

**The Ohio State University
Arts and Sciences
Interdisciplinary Programs
Latino/a Studies Minor (LL Stds, 129)**

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The minor in Latino/a Studies explores the social, cultural and historical realities facing Latinos/as residing in the United States. The minor pays attention to pan-Latino/a identity formations and the intersections of race, class, gender, and sexuality.

The minor in Latino/a Studies requires 25 credit hours and draws upon course work in several departments and colleges. The minor is composed of 10 credit hours of core course requirements and 15 hours of elective course work. A number of the courses listed below have prerequisites, which must be taken, and enrollment in some courses may be limited because of demand or available space. Also, students must have the coordinator's approval before taking topical courses where the content changes from quarter to quarter. This approval ensures that the content for a particular quarter is appropriate for the minor. Minor course work may overlap with the GEC where appropriate. No more than 10 credit hours of course work at the 200 level may be counted toward the minor.

After the coordinating advisor has approved your Minor Program Form, you should file the form with your college or school counselor. For further information about the minor program contact: aldama.1@osu.edu.

Core requirements (10 credit hours required)

Comparative Studies 242, 243 (with approval), 367.04, 544

Social Work 301

Spanish 557

Women's Studies 340, 367.02

Elective requirements (15 credit hours required)

African American and African Studies 243 (with approval), 545, 595

Allied Medical Professions 641

Anthropology 553.01

Comparative Studies 205, 242, 243 (with approval), 367.04, 544, 545

History 598 (with approval)

Linguistics 367

Political Science 608

Psychology 375

Social Work 300, 301

Sociology 380, 608

Spanish 330, 331, 557, 689 (taught in Spanish)

Women's Studies 340, 367.02, 520, 540, 545

Independent research or fieldwork (5 credit hours maximum). Students can develop an independent project in consultation with an adviser

Arts and Sciences minor program guidelines

The following guidelines govern minors.

Required for graduation No

Credit hours required A minimum of 20 (some minors require more)

Transfer credit hours allowed A maximum of 10

Overlap with the GEC Permitted, unless specifically disallowed by an individual minor program.

Overlap with the major Not allowed and

- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The same courses cannot count on the minor and on the major.

Overlap between minors Each minor completed must contain 20 unique hours.

Grades required

- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.

Approval required The minor program description sheet indicates if the minor course work must be approved by:

- The academic unit offering the minor, or
- A college/school counselor.

Filing the minor program form The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school counselor.

Changing the minor Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by:

- The academic unit offering the minor, or
- A college/school counselor (depending on the minor).

During the 08-09 academic year, the curriculum will be revised to also include aspects of the Latin, Caribbean, and Hispanic experiences. Please be sure to visit our site, latino-astudies.osu.edu for updates about the curriculum, lectures, and events.

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