

**COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES  
THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY**

**DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION CERTIFICATE**

The 12-credit hour Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Certificate (DEI) introduces students to an interdisciplinary approach to understanding diversity and social inequality. \* indicates potential online course option

**Required core courses (6 credits):**

- **SOCIOL 2463/2463H:** Social Stratification: Race, Class, and Gender\* (3)
- **Choose ONE from the following three courses**
  - **AFAMAST 1101:** Introduction to African American and African Studies (3)
  - **COMPSTD 1100/1100H:** Introduction to Cross-Cultural Perspectives (3)
  - **WGSST 1110/1110H:** Gender, Sex, and Power\* (3)

**Elective courses (6 credits):**

In addition, students will select two or more courses from those listed below (temporarily, the elective courses can be taken before or after the required courses). Students must choose their electives from at least **TWO** of the different groups listed below.

**Group 1: Social Class/Economic Inequality**

- SOCIOL 1101(H) or 1102- Introductory Sociology or Social Foundations of Race, Ethnicity, Gender, and Social Class\*
- SOCWORK 1120 Introduction to Social Welfare
- GEOG 2400/GEOG 2400H Economic and Social Geography
- SOCWORK 3201 Social and Economic Justice
- SOCIOL 3306 Sociology of Poverty
- SOCIOL 3464 Work, Employment and Society
- POLITSC 4282 The Politics of Income Inequality
- WGSST 4404 Global Sexual Economies
- WGSST 4524 Women and Work
- ECON 4553 Economics of Population
- GEOG 5401 Economies, Space, and Society
- SOCIOL 5463 Advanced Social Stratification

**Group 2: Gender/Sexuality**

- COMPSTD/SXLTYST 2214 Introduction to Sexuality Studies
- WGSST 2230 Gender, Sexuality and Race in Popular Culture\*
- WGSST/ENGLISH 2282 Introduction to Queer Studies\*
- WGSST 2305 Gender and Sexuality in Global Perspective
- WGSST 2325 Health and Inequality\*
- AFAMAST 3230: Black Women, Culture, and Politics
- SOCIOL 3435 Sociology of Gender
- COMM 3662 Communication and Gender
- ECON 3820 The Economics of Gender in Labor Markets
- POLITSC 4138 Women and the Law
- POLITSC 4170 Gender and Politics
- SOCIOL 4510 Gender, Crime, and the Criminal Justice System
- WGSST 4513/POLITSC 4175 Women Government and Public Policy
- AFAMAST 4535: Topics in Black Masculinity Studies
- WGSST 4597/POLITSC 4597.03 Gender and Democracy in the Contemporary World
- SOCIOL 4635 Men and Women in Society
- WGSST/COMPSTD 4845 Gender, Sexuality, and Science

- COMPSTD/RELSTDS 4875 Gender, Sexuality and Religion
- SOCWORK 5006 Sexualities, Diversity and Social Work
- SOCIOL 5605 Sociology of Sexuality

**Group 3: Race/Ethnicity**

- COMPSTD 2105: Literature and Ethnicity
- AFAMAST 2218: The Black Urban Experience
- AFAMAST 2270: Introduction to Black Popular Culture
- AFAMAST 2300: Issues in the Contemporary Black World
- COMPSTD 2321 Introduction to Asian American Studies
- COMPSTD 2322 Introduction to Latino Studies
- COMPSTD 2323 Intro to American Indian Studies
- AFAMAST 2367.02: Debates in African American Studies
- COMPSTD 2367.02 U.S. Latino Identity
- AFAMAST/ENGL 2367.07S: Literacy Narratives of Black Columbus
- AFAMAST/HIST 3083: Civil Rights and Black Power Movements
- SOCIOL 3200 Sociology of Immigration\*
- PSYCH 3375 Stereotyping and Prejudice
- SOCIOL 3380 Race in America\*
- AFAMAST/PHILOS 3440 Theorizing Race
- POLITSC 3596 Nationalism and Ethnicity
- POLITSC 4143 Race, Ethnicity, and American Politics
- WGSST 4401/HIST 3612 Asian American Women: Race, Sex, Representation
- WGSST 4402 Black Women: Race, Sex, Representation
- WGSST 4405 Race and Sexuality
- COMM 4445 Stereotypes in Media\*
- AFAMAST 4504/POLITSC 4140 Black Politics
- WGSST 4520 Women of Color and Social Activism
- AFAMAST 4610: African Americans and the Law
- COMPSTD 4685 Comparative Ethnic and American Studies
- COMPSTD 4804 Studies in Latino Literature and Culture
- COMPSTD 4822 Native American Identity
- COMPSTD/WGSST/AFAMAST 4921 Intersections: Approaches to Race, Gender, Class and Sexuality
- POLITSC 4940 The Politics of Immigration
- AFAMAST/PUBAFRS/COMSTD 5240 Race and Public Policy in the U.S.
- SOCIOL 5629 Health Disparities in Social Context
- AFAMAST 5650: The Black Body in Race and Medicine

**DEI Certificate guidelines**

The following guidelines govern the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Certificate.

Credit hours required: Minimum of 12 semester credit hours.

Overlap with a major/minor

- All courses applied toward the certificate must have been taken at Ohio State.
- Max 50% overlap with major/minor program courses is permitted.

Grades required

- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the certificate
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA for all certificate course work

Filing the certificate program form: The certificate program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school advisor

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