CERRITOS COLLEGE SOCIAL JUSTICE STUDIES: CHICANO STUDIES (AA-T) ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE IN FOR TRANSFER

The Associate in Arts in Social Justice Studies-Chicano/o Studies for Transfer (AA-T) Degree is intended to meet the lower division requirements for Chicano Studies majors (or similar majors) at a CSU campus that offers a baccalaureate degree in a relevant or similar major.

This program is designed to prepare students for seamless transfer to a CSU to pursue degrees and programs related to race and ethnicity.

Upon completion of this program, students will possess foundational understanding in the field of Social Justice Studies-Chicano/o Studies and an awareness of the major theories and concepts that give voice to the lived experiences of Mexican American, Chicana(o), and Latinx communities.

The AA-T in Social Justice Studies-Chicana(o) Studies program introduces students to the broader field of Social Justice Studies, providing a theoretical framework for the study of race, ethnicity, gender, and identity through an intersectional lens while also providing students with the opportunity to examine, analyze and contextualize, historical, social, and political contexts and events that have shaped the experiences of Mexican American, Chicana(o) and Latinx communities.

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REQUIRED CORE: (9 UNITS)		UNITS	
CS 101	Introduction to Social Justice Studies	3	
WGS 202	Gender and Society	3	
<i>or</i> SOC 202	Gender and Society	(3)	
SPAN 245	Introduction to Chicano/Mexican American Culture	3	

LIST A: Select three courses from at least two of the following areas (9 units) Only one course from Area 4 may be used.

Area 1: History or Government (3)

HIST 102	Political and Social History of the U.S.: 1500s to 1876	3
HIST 103	Political and Social History of the U.S.: 1877 to Present	3
HIST 230	History of Mexico	3
HIST 235	History of Latin America	3

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Area 2: Arts and Hui	manities (3)	
ART 105A	The Arts of Latin America and The Caribbean: Pre-Columbian	3
ART 106	Mexican Art	3
ENGL 223	Chicana/o Literature	3
ENGL 225	Mexican Literature in Translation	3
PHIL 104	Philosophy of Cultural Diversity: Challenge and Change	3
SPAN 260	Frida Kahlo and Mexican Muralists	3
WGS 102	Women and Religion	3
PHIL 109	Philosophy of the Body, Feminism, and Gender	3
<i>or</i> WGS 109	Philosophy of the Body, Feminism, and Gender	(3)
Area 3: Social Scienc	ce (3)	
ANTH 202	The Maya, Inca, and Aztecs: Ancient Civilizations of the Americas	3
SOC 210	Race and Ethnic Relations in the U.S.	3
<i>or</i> ETHN 210	Race and Ethnic Relations in the U.S.	(3)
PSYC 261	Social Psychology	3
PSYC 265	Psychology of Gender	3
PSYC 275	Cultural Psychology	3
<i>or</i> ETHN 275	Cultural Psychology	(3)
SOC 201	Social Problems	3
SOC 215	Sociology of Cultural Diversity: Challenge and Change	3
HIST 204	Women in American History	3
<i>or</i> WGS 204	Women in American History	(3)
WGS 105	Gender Studies and the Chicana/Latina Experience	3
<i>or</i> ETHN 105	Gender Studies and the Chicana/Latina Experience	(3)
Area 4: Quantitative	e Reasoning and Research Methods	
MATH 112	Elementary Statistics	4
<i>or</i> MATH 112S	Enhanced Elementary Statistics	(4.5)
<i>or</i> PSYC 210	Elementary Statistics	(4)
<i>or</i> SOC 205	Research Methods	(3)
<i>or</i> PSYC 220	Research Methods	(4)

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Area 5: Major Preparation
Any course not already used

ENGL 223	Chicana/o Literature	3
ENGL 225	Mexican Literature in Translation	3

Total Units for Major 18

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- 1. Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units of degree-applicable courses,
- 2. Minimum overall grade point average of 2.0
- 3. Minimum grade of "C" (or "P") for each course in the major, and
- 4. Completion of IGETC and/or CSU-GE-Breadth.