

Minor in Black Studies

Requirements

Students seeking a minor in Black Studies must complete 15 credit hours. At least two (2) of the content area studies courses must be 2000-level or above, and one (1) of the area studies courses must be 3000-level or above. A minimum grade of C- is required in each minor course. A minimum GPA of 2.0 in all combined minor coursework is required to earn the minor.

A minor consists of at least 15 credits, including at least 6 credits numbered 2000 or above, 9 of the required credits must be taken in MU course work. This requirement can be reduced from 9 to 6 at the discretion of an individual department. Students must meet the minimum GPA requirements for a minor, which in no case can be lower than 2.0. In addition, a student cannot receive a grade lower than a C- in any course applied towards a minor in the College. For more information, please see Requirements for Optional Minor (<https://catalog.missouri.edu/collegeofartsandscience/#requirementsforoptionalminor>).

BL_STU 1000	Introduction to Black Studies	3
Three hours of Black Studies coursework in each of the four content areas		
Black Politics (select from the following list)		3
BL_STU 1704	Introduction to Black Politics	3
BL_STU 2704	African Political Thought	3
BL_STU 2804	Black Political Thought	3
BL_STU 3200	Black Freedom Movement, 1955-1973	3
BL_STU 3230	Studies in Black Sexual Politics	3
BL_STU 3850	Gender, Hip Hop, and the Politics of Representation	3
BL_STU 4130	African-American Politics	3
BL_STU 4303	Black Studies in Race, Class, Gender, and U.S. Policy	3
BL_STU 4415	African Americans and American Justice	3
BL_STU 4640	African Politics	3
BL_STU 4720	Third World Politics	3
Arts, Literature, and Culture (select from the following list)		3
BL_STU 1250	World Theatre Workshop	2
BL_STU 1335	Introduction to Soul and Country	3
BL_STU 1705	Introduction to Black Studies in Culture	3
BL_STU 1720	African-American Theatre History	3
BL_STU 2150	African-American Cinema	3
BL_STU 2310	Literature of the African Diaspora	3
BL_STU 2400	Introduction to African Diaspora Literature	3
BL_STU 2601	Languages of Africa	3
BL_STU 2604	Caribbean History and Culture	3
BL_STU 2715	Studies in Black Culture	3
BL_STU 2720	African-American Visual Culture	3
BL_STU 3100	African American Psychology	3
BL_STU 3303	Black Athletes	3
BL_STU 3400	Survey of African American Literature, Beginnings to 1900	3
BL_STU 3410	Survey of African American Literature, 1900-Present	3

BL_STU 3420	Periods and Genres in African Diaspora Literature	3
BL_STU 3427	Periods and Genres in African Diaspora Literature, 1603-1789	3
BL_STU 3428	Periods and Genres in African Diaspora Literature, 1789-1890	3
BL_STU 3429	Periods and Genres in African Diaspora Literature, 1890-Present	3
BL_STU 3625	Comparative Approaches to Black Studies in Culture	3
BL_STU 3705	Themes in Black Culture	3
BL_STU 4181	Themes in Literature by Women	3
BL_STU 4220	Religion in Afro-American Literature	3
BL_STU 4352	Historical Studies in African Music	3
BL_STU 4407	Studies in African Diaspora Literature, 1603 to 1789	3
BL_STU 4408	Studies in African Diaspora Literature, 1789 to 1890	3
BL_STU 4410	Major Africana Diaspora Writers	3
BL_STU 4480	Major African Diaspora Women Writers	3
BL_STU 4487	Major African Diaspora Women Writers, 1603 to 1789	3
BL_STU 4488	Major African Diaspora Women Writers, 1789 to 1890	3
BL_STU 4489	Major African Diaspora Women Writers, 1890 to Present	3
BL_STU 4530	Caribbean Women Writers	3
BL_STU 4710	Themes in African Diaspora Folklore	3
Africa and African Diaspora Studies (select from the following list)		3
BL_STU 1410	African American History	3
BL_STU 1790	History of Early Africa	3
BL_STU 1800	History of Modern Africa	3
BL_STU 1801	Introduction to Africa and the African Diaspora	3
BL_STU 2210	The Black Americans	3
BL_STU 2570	Black Religion	3
BL_STU 2701	Black Dionysus: Greek Drama in Africa and the African Diaspora	3
BL_STU 2750	Black Religion in America	3
BL_STU 2904	Black Studies in Slavery and Freedom	3
BL_STU 3022	Peacebuilding and Peacemaking in the Modern Caribbean	3
BL_STU 3590	Religious Biography: Black Religion	3
BL_STU 3670	Global History of Black Power	3
BL_STU 3804	Resistance in the Black Atlantic	3
BL_STU 4270	African-Americans in the Twentieth Century	3
BL_STU 4835	Race and Politics in South Africa	3
BL_STU 4875	Black Studies: Study Abroad-Humanities	3
BL_STU 4877	Black Studies: Study Abroad-Social Science	3
Gender, Race, Sexuality, Class (select from the following)		3
BL_STU 2425	Race and the American Story	3
BL_STU 3024	Black Diaspora Women and Reproductive Justice	3
BL_STU 3700	Black Studies in Gender, Race, Sexuality, and Class: Advanced	3

BL_STU 3800	Women in African History	3
BL_STU 4020	Studies in Black Feminist Thought	3
BL_STU 4230	Women, Development, and Globalization	3
BL_STU 4300	The Black Family: Past, Present and Future	3
BL_STU 4335	The Wire: Race, Urban Inequality, and the "Crisis" of the American City	3
BL_STU 4418	Major African Diaspora Writers, 1789 to 1890	3
BL_STU 4420	Africana Womanism	3
BL_STU 4489	Major African Diaspora Women Writers, 1890 to Present	3
BL_STU 4804	Historical Studies of Black Women	3
BL_STU 4904	Historical and Contemporary Slavery	3