

THEME AND APPROACH COURSES

U.S. IN THE WORLD (USW)

The goal of courses in this category is to increase students' knowledge of diversity of traditions that have characterized the United States and to explore the ways in which this heterogeneity acts as a touchstone for national identity and gives rise to tensions that shape the nation. Upon completing a course in this category, students should be able to do at least three of the following:

1. Describe the political, diplomatic, social, economic, cultural, scientific, and/or environmental interactions between the United States and the world.
2. Identify major practices, institutions, and ideas of the United States (its nations, regions, and peoples) as well as how those constructions are applied and contested.
3. Explain the political, economic, and cultural history of the United States.
4. Demonstrate a nuanced understanding of the role and/or place of "America" in the world.
5. Evaluate evidence and create their own arguments in relation to existing arguments.

COURSES THAT FULFILL REQUIREMENT

- 50:163:325 Youth in the New Nation (USW)
- 50:202:345 Comparative Criminal Justice (USW)
- 50:220:305 American Economic History (USW)
- 50:352:254 Myths of America (USW)
- 50:512:201 Development of the United States I (USW)
- 50:512:202 Development of the United States II (USW)
- 50:512:203 African-American History I (USW)
- 50:512:205 Malcolm X (USW)
- 50:512:220 Women in American History (USW)
- 50:512:334 African-American History Since 1960 (USW)
- 50:512:376 United States Naval and Military History (USW)
- 50:512:387 United States Foreign Relations to 1914 (USW)
- 50:700:306 Rock and Roll (USW)
- 50:730:218 American Philosophy (USW)
- 50:790:349 Money and Politics (USW)
- 50:790:405 Conservatism, Liberalism and American Democracy (USW)
- 50:840:263 Religion in Contemporary America (USW)
- 50:965:216 African American Theater (USW)
- 57:705:150 Issues in Health Policy (USW)
- 57:705:255 Nutrition (USW)