GLOBAL AND LOCAL SOCIAL JUSTICE, MINOR


In order to address fundamental social problems such as poverty, injustice or war meaningfully, students must understand the social and political systems that contribute to them causally and the cultural environments in which they occur. The aim of this unique interdisciplinary minor program is to provide students with such an understanding.

The global and local social justice interdisciplinary minor is a cooperative program that draws required or elective courses from several departments and programs, including American Studies, political science, public health, public policy studies, sociology and anthropology, social work, and women's and gender studies.

Leadership
Ruth Porter Groff, Ph.D.
Director

Curriculum Overview
The minor consists of 21 hours of classes and a presentation requirement. Students must select classes in each of the four required issue areas, with a fifth course from area 2 or 3. For the remaining hours, students may select additional classes in the four required issue areas or from the list of electives. As part of their study, students must take classes in at least three different disciplines.

Students must also present in a public forum, such as the Global and Local Social Justice Conference, Atlas week, or a student research conference, either on their research or their internship.

Requirements
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**Local and Domestic Issues Requirement**
Select from classes with the 'Global Local Justice-Domestic' attribute, including:

**Global Issues Requirement**
Select from classes with the 'Global Local Justice-Global' attribute, including:

**Directed Elective Requirement**
Select an additional class with either the 'Global Local Justice-Domestic' attribute or the 'Global Local Justice-Global' attribute.

**Service-learning Requirement**
Select from internships approved by the minor director or classes with the 'Global Local Justice-Service' attribute, including:

AAM 2000  Introduction to African American Studies
ASTD 3010  Comparative Ethnic Studies
ASTD 3100  Making the American City: Culture, Space, & 20th-century U.S. Urbanisms
ASTD 3200  The Urban Crisis
ASTD 3300  Workshop in the City
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ASTD 3900  Mixed-Race America
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POLS 2570  Introduction to Latin American Politics
POLS 2590  Politics of the Middle East and North Africa
POLS 3500  East Asian Political Economy
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POLS 3570  Third World Development
POLS 3600  Problems of Globalization
POLS 3620  International Organization and the Management of World Problems
POLS 4500  Russian Political Culture
POLS 4520  Political Change
POLS 4620  Global Diplomacy
POLS 4840  Global Health Politics and Policy
PUBH 2100  Introduction to Global Health
PUBH 2300  Contemporary Issues in Global Health
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**Elective Course**

Select from classes with the ‘Global Local Justice-Theory’ attribute, the ‘Global Local Justice-Domestic’ attribute, the ‘Global Local Justice-Global’ attribute, the ‘Global Local Justice-Service’ attribute, or the ‘Global Local Justice-Elective’ attribute.

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Total Credits: 21

**Continuation Standards**

Students with a minor in global and local social justice must maintain a 2.0 GPA in courses for the global and local social justice minor.