

LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES, MINOR

Saint Louis University's Latin American studies minor is designed to engage students with the history, politics, economics, literature and cultures of Latin America, a region of growing global strategic importance and a complex relation with the United States. The minor requires 18 credits of course work.

Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
LAS 3000	Introduction to Latin American Studies	3
HIST 3170	Colonial Latin America	3
HIST 3180	Modern Latin America	3
LAS 4960	Senior Inquiry	3
Elective Courses		
Two courses selected from the following. Students are expected to focus their elective coursework in either Humanities or Social Sciences.		6
<i>Humanities:</i>		
ARTH 4810	Modern Art in Latin America	
HIST 3190	Mexico	
SPAN 4190	Three in One: Hispanic Experience	
SPAN 4240	Short Stories: History, Histories. Deciphering Latin-American Societies and Cultures	
SPAN 4260	Latin American 'Modernism'	
SPAN 4270	Contemporary Latin American Poetry	
SPAN 4280	Early Latin American Novel	
SPAN 4290	Contemporary Latin American Novel	
SPAN 4380	Cultural Stereotypes: Latin Am	
SPAN 4310	Contemporary Latin-Am Drama	
SPAN 4320	The African Experience in Spanish America	
SPAN 4330	Latin Am Novel after 1970	
SPAN 4350	Latin American Testimony	
SPAN 4360	Women's Literature in Latin America	
SPAN 4370	Latin American Film	
THEO 3415	Christ and Color: Liberation Theology	
THEO 4810	Nicaragua: Theology and Culture	
<i>Social Sciences:</i>		
ECON 3790	Economies of Latin America	
POLS 2570	Introduction to Latin American Politics	
POLS 2600	Introduction to International Political Economy	
POLS 2580	Politics of Mexico	
POLS 3530	Comparative Revolutions	
POLS 3560	Political Process - Latin America	
POLS 3600	Problems of Globalization	
POLS 3810	Latin American-U.S. Relations	
POLS 3540	Latin American Social Movements	
POLS 4730	Seminar: Contemporary Political Ideologies	
SOC 2220	Peace and Conflict Studies	

SOC 4640	Demography: Measuring and Modeling Population Process
IB 3020	Latin American Business

Total Credits

18

Non-Course Requirements

Completion of one semester abroad as described for the major.

Completion of at least 40 credits of community service during the semester in Latin America.

Continuation Standards

All Latin American Studies minor courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher in order to count for the major and for the student to continue in the major.