

Latin American Studies Certificate

The Certificate in Latin American Studies is designed to promote the knowledge and understanding of Latin America and the Caribbean through multidisciplinary study and field experience. It provides students with a broad background in the long and complex history, intersecting political, economic, and social structures, and diverse cultures of the region.

Students must take five courses from at least three different departments. Only one of the courses may be from the student's major department. The courses below may be used as Latin American area courses. Other courses in which 25% of the content is devoted to Latin America and in which a student's papers/project/presentations are based on Latin America may, with the approval of the certificate advisor, be counted as one of the required area courses.

REQUIREMENTS:

History

HIST 0500	Colonial Latin America
HIST 0501	Modern Latin America
HIST 1522	Brazil
HIST 1525	Mexico, Aztecs to the Present
HIST 1583	20th Century Latin American Revolutions

Spanish

SPAN 0326/ ENGLIT 0327	Latin American Film and Literature in Translation
SPAN 1030	Latinos in the United States
SPAN 1400	Survey of Latin American Literature
SPAN 1410	Cinema of the Hispanic World
SPAN 1450	Hispanic Legends

Political Science

PS 1321	Latin American Government and Politics
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Courses for the Latin American Studies Certificate must be completed with a C- or better.