Social Justice Studies (AA-T)

CAREER PATHS:
Area, Gender, Ethnic, or Cultural Studies Teacher
Human Services or Social Services Provider
Counselor
Law or Public Policy
Human Resources Specialist

Additional Career Paths and related data, including state-by-state wage info and growth in the field, can be found at www.onetonline.org. This program map represents one possible pathway. See a counselor to create a customized education plan. Map is for the 2019-2020 catalog year.

1 FIRST SEMESTER
Total Recommended Units: 15
- Social Justice Studies 3 units
- SJS Area 3: MATH 011 Elementary Statistics (IGETC 2) 4 units
- SJS Area 2: Arts and Humanities 3 units
- Suggested: ART 012 or CINA 011 or ENGL 036 or MUSC 013 (IGETC 3A)
- ENGL 001 English Composition (IGETC 1A) 4 units
- LR 010 Introduction to Library Research and Information Competency 1 unit
- IGETC 1B Suggested: ENGL 002 or 004 4 units

2 SECOND SEMESTER
Total Recommended Units: 16
- Social Justice Studies 3 units
- SJS Area 1: History or Government Suggested: HIST 028 or 029 or 037 (IGETC 4/Am Inst Grp 2) 3 units
- IGETC 1B Suggested: ENGL 002 or 004 4 units
- Transferable Elective 3 units

3 THIRD SEMESTER
Total Recommended Units: 15
- Psychology of Gender (IGETC 4) 3 units
- IGETC 4/Am Inst Grp 1 Suggested: PLSC 001 or 005 3 units
- IGETC 5A or 5B Without Lab. 3 units
- IGETC 3A or 3B 3 units
- Transferable Elective 3 units

4 FOURTH SEMESTER
Total Recommended Units: 16
- Social Justice Studies 3 units
- SJS Area 3: Social Science 3 units
- Suggested: ANTH 002 or CDFS 053 or COMM 012 or PSYC 007 or PSYC 034
- IGETC 5A or 5B With Lab. Whichever not previously taken. 4 units
- Transferable Elective 3 units
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GET STARTED NOW!

- Get started on your Pathway now with these recommended courses!
- Then—See a counselor to create a CUSTOMIZED education plan personalized to your career and transfer goals!
- Required courses may change depending on a student’s career and transfer goals, including requirements for cross-cultural and foreign language courses, and/or specific requirements for an individual CSU or UC.
- Unique transfer requirements for a specific institution can be found at www.assist.org.

LET US HELP YOU!

How to Apply: solano.edu/ar/apply.php

Questions? Talk to a Counselor Now!
Main Campus, Fairfield: (707) 864-7101
Vacaville Center: (707) 863-7836
Vallejo Center: (707) 642-8188
Travis AFB: (707) 863-7878
Visit online at solano.edu/counseling

Contact Our Career Center to Learn Your Career Options!
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Social Justice/Ethnic Studies

Associate in Arts in Social Justice Studies for Transfer (ADT: A.A.-T)

Program Description
The Associate in Arts in Social Justice Studies for Transfer at Solano Community College prepares students to provide social leadership in creating greater equity and inclusion in the local community and in larger societal contexts. With a focus on Ethnic Studies, and Gender and Sexuality Studies, Social Justice Studies majors are given opportunities to critically examine the experiences of various communities in relation to issues of power and social inequality. The program’s interdisciplinary coursework allows students exposure to a variety of theoretical frameworks including Psychology, English, Sociology, History, Art, Political Science, Communications and more, as well as the fundamentals of methodology needed for social inquiry. Critical thinking and problem solving are emphasized throughout the program, especially in the analysis of historical and current examples of social engagement and change. Social Justice Studies provides a strong academic preparation for upper division coursework, a range of career paths, and meaningful social awareness and public engagement over students’ lifetimes.

Associate in Arts in Social Justice Studies for Transfer
The Associate in Art in Social Justice Studies for Transfer Degree is intended for seamless transfer to local California State University campuses (CSUs). Students who successfully complete degree requirements will be ensured preferential transfer status to local CSU campuses in degree programs identified as “similar to” Social Justice Studies by those CSU campuses. While coursework in Social Justice Studies is designed to provide lower division preparatory requirements for many related degree programs, students should meet with a counselor to determine specific course requirements for local CSUs/programs and to properly identify which CSUs are considered local.

To earn the Associate in Arts in Social Justice Studies for Transfer degree, student must:
1. Complete 60 semester units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University, including both of the following:
   a. The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University General Education – Breadth Requirements
   b. A minimum of 18 semester units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district
2. Obtain a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

Program Outcomes
Students who complete the Associate in Arts in Social Justice Studies for Transfer degree will be able to:
1. Identify and analyze historical and modern-day factors that contribute to social inequities in the United States and globally, especially those related to race, gender, and sexuality.
2. Demonstrate knowledge of the unique experiences and social, artistic, and intellectual contributions of key social groups studied.
3. Apply critical thinking and problem-solving skills to complex social issues related to equality, inclusion, and social justice.

REQUIRED COURSES .................................................Units
SJS 001 Introduction to Social Justice Studies ..........................3
SJS 002 Introduction to Race and Ethnicity ..............................3
PSYC 012 Introduction to Gender .........................................3
3 courses from at least 2 of the 4 Areas ...................................9-10

Area 1: History or Government
HIST 028 African American History to 1877 ...........................3
HIST 029 African American History Since 1865 .......................3
HIST 031 Mexican American/Chicano History .......................3
HIST 037 Women in American History ..................................3
PLSC 005 Constitutional Rights in a Multicultural Society ..........3

Area 2: Arts and Humanities
Art 012 Inside/Outside: The Cultures and Identities of Diverse Visual Artists in the U.S. .............................................3
CINA 011 American Cultures in Film .....................................3
ENGL 036 Multi-Ethnic Literature in America .........................3
MUSC 013 Multicultural Music in America .............................3

Area 3: Social Science
ANTH 002 Cultural Anthropology .......................................3
CDFS 053 Teaching in a Diverse Society ................................3
COMM 012 Intercultural Communication ...............................3
PSYC 007 Cross-Cultural Psychology ...................................3
PSYC 034 Human Sexual Behavior .....................................3

Area 4: Quantitative Reasoning and Research Methods
MATH 011 Elementary Statistics .........................................4

Required Major Total Units .............................................18-19
CSU General Education or IGETC Pattern Units .......37-39
CSU Transferable Electives (as needed to reach 60 transferable units) * ...............................................14-24
Total Degree Units ......................................................60

*12-19 units may be double counted toward both the major area of emphasis and CSU General Education or IGETC Pattern. Consult with a counselor for more information on completing this degree.
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Program Description
This major is an interdisciplinary program which provides an opportunity for students to pursue organized studies of minority groups in American Society and to foster and expand general understanding of these groups. The courses allow for a wide latitude of study to meet a variety of interests with courses which fulfill competence in and an understanding of the unique contributions of American ethnic groups; interpretation of American ethnic culture as manifested in its history, its literature, and its social, economic, political, and philosophical development. (The course descriptions may be found under the appropriate disciplines.)

Associate in Arts Degree
The Associate in Arts Degree can be obtained by completing the 18-22-unit major, general education requirements, and electives. All courses in the major must be completed with a minimum grade of C or a P if the course is taken on a Pass/No Pass basis.

Program Outcomes
Students who complete the Ethnic Studies Associate Degree will be able to:
1. Increase understanding of diverse ethnic groups in American society.
2. Identify and analyze the impact of culture and the significance of history and literature.
3. Develop competence as it pertains to various ethnic groups including an understanding of their social, economic, political and philosophical development.
4. Develop competence in understanding the unique contributions of ethnic groups in American Society.

REQUIRED COURSES

SOC 022 Ethnic, Racial and Minority Group Relations in Harmony and Conflict .......................... 3
One course from List A ........................................ 3
One course from List B ........................................ 3
One course from List C ........................................ 3
Two courses from List D ................................... 6-10

List A: (select one course)
ART 012 Inside/Outside: The Cultures and Identities of Visual Artists in a Diverse America .......... 3
MUSC 007 Jazz and Popular Music in America: Ragtime to Rock ........................................... 3
MUSC 013 Multicultural Music in America .......... 3

List B: (select one course)
COUN 055 Valuing Diversity ................................ 3
SOC 030 Peace, Non-Violence, and Conflict Resolution ......................................................... 3

List C: (select one course)
HIST 028 African American History to 1877 ....... 3
HIST 029 African American History Since 1865 ....... 3
PLSC 005 Constitutional Rights in a Multicultural Society ....................................................... 3
SOC 053 Civil Rights, Non-Violence, and Race Relations ............................................................ 3

List D: (select two courses)
ANTH 002 Cultural Anthropology ........................ 3
COUN 055 Valuing Diversity ................................ 3
ENGL 036 Multi-Ethnic Literature in America ....... 3
HIST 028 African American History to 1877 ....... 3
HIST 029 African American History Since 1865 ....... 3
HIST 031 Mexican American/Chicano History ....... 3
HS 053 Serving Special Populations ..................... 3
MUSC 007 Jazz and Popular Music in America: Ragtime to Rock ........................................... 3
MUSC 013 Multicultural Music in America .......... 3
PLSC 005 Constitutional Rights in a Multicultural Society ....................................................... 3
PSYC 007 Cross-Cultural Psychology ................. 3
SOC 002 Social Issues and Problems ................. 3
SOC 023 Sociology of African Americans .......... 3
SOC 025 Mexican-American Experience .......... 3
SPAN 001 First Semester Spanish ....................... 5
SPAN 002 Second Semester Spanish ..................... 5
SPAN 003 Third Semester Spanish ..................... 5
SPAN 004 Fourth Semester Spanish ..................... 5
THEA 013 Diversity in American Theatre: A Contemporary Focus ........................................... 3

* If not used for List A-C

Required Major Total Units: ................................ 18-22
CSU General Education or IGETC Pattern units .... 37-39
Transferable Electives (as needed to reach 60 units) ................................................................. 11-17
Total Degree Units CSU GE or IGETC ............... 60

Solano General Education .................................. 21
Electives (as needed to reach 60 units) ............... 17-21
Total Degree Units Solano GE ........................ 60

* 12 units may be double counted toward both the major area of emphasis and CSU General Education or IGETC Pattern. Consult with a counselor for more information on completing this degree.
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SJS 001  Introduction to Social Justice Studies  3.0 Units
General Education: Option B: Area 4; Option C: Area D
Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 48-54 lecture
Interdisciplinary introduction to the study of race/ethnicity, gender, and sexuality in the United States. Examines social justice movements and perspectives in relation to ethnicity/race, gender and sexuality, and related intersectional systems of difference in the United States. Analysis of antiracist and feminist perspectives serves as a basis for understanding socio-economic, cultural and political inequities in the United States and globally, and for assessing strategies for creating greater equity and inclusion for all. (C-ID SJS 110)

SJS 002  Introduction to Race and Ethnicity  3.0 Units
General Education: Option A: Area E; Option B: Area 4, SCC Cross-Cultural; Option C: Area D, SCC Cross-Cultural
Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 48-54 lecture
Analysis of race, ethnicity, and racism. Examines the cultural, political, and economic practices and institutions that support or challenge racism, racial and ethnic inequalities, as well as historical and contemporary patterns of interaction between various racial and ethnic groups. (C-ID SOCI 150)

SJS 030  Peace, Non Violence and Conflict Resolution  3.0 Units
General Education: Option A: Area B2; Option B: Area 4; Option C: Area D
Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 48-54 lecture
Introduction to the study of peace, nonviolence and peaceful conflict resolution. The course is designed for students interested in the fundamental issues of peace, justice, and conflict resolution in our society. It offers students an opportunity to reflect on the peace writings of both past and contemporary authors and is an examination of justice, peace, and peacemakers in the U.S. and worldwide. (Formerly SOCS 030)