

**General Education Requirements and Degree Information: BACHELOR OF ARTS IN LATIN AMERICAN & BORDERS STUDIES**

**ID:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Major:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Update:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Catalog:** 2015-2016

**Anticipated Degree Completion:** \_\_\_\_\_

| Course                        | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>FY/Adv. Entry Seminar:</b> |       |        |
| 05-012/212                    |       |        |

| <b>Foreign Language (4 sem.)</b> |  |  |
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| I.                               |  |  |
| II.                              |  |  |
| III.                             |  |  |
| IV.                              |  |  |

| <b>Social Justice Course:</b> | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>Intercultural Perspective Course:</b> | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>2 different FRAs:</b> | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>Humanities: 2 courses, may be same dept.:</b> | Grade | Credit |
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| Course                   | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>Natural Sciences:</b> |       |        |
| Exp. Lab:                |       |        |
| MAT or CSC:              |       |        |

| <b>Social Sciences: 2 courses, must be diff. depts:</b> | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>Fine Arts Lecture:</b> | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>Fine Arts Performance:</b> | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>Paideia:</b> |       |        |
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| <b>Cluster:</b> | Grade | Credit |
| Course 1:       |       |        |
| Course 2:       |       |        |
| Course 3:       |       |        |
| Seminar:        |       |        |
| Distinction:    |       |        |
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A "C" average on all work attempted is required for graduation. No grade below "C-" may be counted toward the major or minor. At least 127 credits are required to earn a degree at Southwestern; of these, 64 credits must be completed in residence, including the last 32 credits. No more than 56 credit hours may be counted in one subject area. A major requires at least 30 credits, 60% upper-level, and a minor (optional) requires at least 18 credits (at least 12 upper-level). With the exception of FRAs and the FY/AES seminar, all gen.ed. requirements require a minimum of 3 credits, including Fine Arts Performance.

**LATIN AMERICAN & BORDER STUDIES MAJOR (BA)**

| <b>Major Courses:</b>   | Grade | Credit |
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| <b>1 courses from*:</b> |       |        |

| <b>Electives:</b> | Grade | Credit |
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| LAS06-504 Philosophies of the Americas       |  |  |
| LAS06-804 Introduction to Latin American Art |  |  |

**2 advanced Spanish language courses from:**

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| LAS06-314 Conversation Through Hispanic Cinema |  |  |
| LAS06-324 Introduction to Literary Studies     |  |  |
| LAS06-334 Cultures of Latin America            |  |  |
| LAS06-344 Topics in Hispano-American Lit.      |  |  |
| LAS06-354 Readings in Pre-20th Cent. Hispano-  |  |  |
| LAS06-364 Contemporary Hispano-American Lit.   |  |  |
| LAS06-374 Cultural Memory in Latin America     |  |  |
| LAS06-404 Hispano-American Lit. Abroad         |  |  |
| LAS06-414 Topics in Hispanic Film              |  |  |
| LAS06-424 Topics in Hispanic Literature        |  |  |
| LAS06-434 Topics in Hispanic Culture           |  |  |

**6 additional LAS courses, in at least 3 different disciplines from:**

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| <b>Humanities:</b>                           |  |  |
| LAS06-504, 514, 524, 554, 654, 664, 674, 684 |  |  |
| <b>Social Sciences:</b>                      |  |  |
| LAS06-714, 724, 754, 764, 774                |  |  |
| <b>Fine Arts:</b>                            |  |  |
| LAS06-804, 814, 824, 834, 844                |  |  |
| 2 credit (minimum) Capstone Experience       |  |  |

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*\*Students may substitute these courses with others offered in disciplines besides Spanish, subject to approval by Chair of LAS studies program*

*\*\*Other courses whose main content focuses on Latin America may count toward major, subject to approval by Chair of LAS Program*

*\*\*At least one course in LAS major must be writing attentive  
\*\*LAS majors must take an exit exam or oral interview to measure proficiency in Spanish, as measured in the STAMP at a mid-intermediate rating (level 4)*

*\*\*LAS majors are strongly encourage to take a semester long study abroad experience in a Spanish or Portuguese speaking country in Latin America.*

**Total credits w/gen ed:**

**\*\*Minimum of 127 credits required.**