

THE UNIVERSITY OF PUGET SOUND

2022-2023 CURRICULUM GUIDE

AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES

DEGREE: BA

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SUGGESTED four-year plan of study (other class schedules are possible):

<i>Fall Semester Classes</i>		<i>Spring Semester Classes</i>	
Freshman	Units		Units
SSI 1	1	SSI 2	1
AFAM 101 ^{1, 2} (HM core, KNOW) or Elective	1	AFAM 101 ^{1, 2} (HM core, KNOW) or Elective	1
Approaches core	1	Approaches core	1
FL (if needed) or elective	1	FL (if needed) or elective	1
Sophomore	Units		Units
AFAM 398 ³ or Elective	1	AFAM 399 ³ or Elective	1
Approaches core	1	Approaches core	1
AFAM Elective 1 ⁴	1	AFAM Elective 2 ^{4, #}	1
Elective	1	Elective	1
Junior	Units		Units
AFAM 398 ³ or Elective	1	AFAM 399 or Elective	1
AFAM Elective 3 ^{4, #}	1	AFAM Elective 4 ^{4, #}	1
Upper Division Elective	1	CN core (AFAM 401) ⁵	1
Elective	1	Elective	1
Senior	Units		Units
AFAM 401 (CN core) ⁵	1	AFAM 402	1
AFAM Elective 3 ^{4, #}	1	AFAM Elective 4 ^{4, #}	1
Upper Division Elective	1	Elective	1
Elective	1	Elective	1

Fulfillment of the Experiential Learning* requirement and min. of 32 units required to graduate

Notes:

***Refer to the Bulletin for details on how to meet the Experiential Learning Requirement.**

- 1) AFAM 101 satisfies the Humanistic Approaches core and the KNOW graduation requirement (see back page for details about this graduation requirement).
- 2) Majors may satisfy no more than two university core requirements from African American Studies offerings.
- 3) AFAM 101 is a prerequisite to AFAM 398 and 399.
- 4) Four elective units, including two depth and two breadth courses, selected and approved through advising from the courses listed in the Bulletin. #At least three of the four elective units must be taken at the 300+ level.
- 5) Of the three units of upper division coursework required outside the first major, the Connections course will count for one unless it is used to meet a major requirement. AFAM majors may satisfy no more than two university core requirements from African American Studies offerings.
- 6) Only courses for which a student has received a C- or better may count for the major or minor.
- 7) Students who study abroad may apply two approved courses toward their African American Studies major.

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COURSE CHECKLIST AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES

CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS (min. D- letter grade)			MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (9 units; min. C- letter grade)		
COURSE	Units	Complete	COURSE	Units	Complete
Argument and Inquiry: Seminar in Scholarly Inquiry 1 and Seminar in Scholarly Inquiry 2 (SSI 1 and SSI 2)			AFAM 101**	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
SSI 1		<input type="checkbox"/>	AFAM 398***	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
SSI 2		<input type="checkbox"/>	AFAM 399	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
Five Approaches to Knowing:			Four additional AFAM electives:		
1) Artistic		<input type="checkbox"/>	1.	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
2) Humanistic (AFAM 101)		<input type="checkbox"/>	2. #	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
3) Mathematical		<input type="checkbox"/>	3. #	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
4) Natural Scientific		<input type="checkbox"/>	4. #	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
5) Social Scientific		<input type="checkbox"/>	Senior Sequence:		
Connections (one unit) AFAM 401*			AFAM 401	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:			AFAM 402	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
Foreign Language Requirement (Check ONE option):			THIS FORM IS NOT AN OFFICIAL GRADUATION ANALYSIS		
1) Two semesters at 101/102 level or One semester at 200+ level		<input type="checkbox"/>			
2) Proficiency exam (3rd year high school level or 1st year college level)		<input type="checkbox"/>			
3) AP foreign language exam score of 4 or 5		<input type="checkbox"/>			
4) IB higher level foreign language exam score of 5, 6, or 7		<input type="checkbox"/>			
Experiential Learning Requirement (EXLN): Four options; See Advisor for details.					
KNOWledge, Identity, and Power Requirement: One course. See Bulletin for details. Course may also fulfill other program/graduation requirements.					
KNOW Course (AFAM 101)		<input type="checkbox"/>			
Upper Division Level Requirement: Three units outside department of first major; 300+ courses or 200+ courses with at least two pre requisites.					
*Upper Div #1		<input type="checkbox"/>			
Upper Div #2		<input type="checkbox"/>			
Upper Div #3		<input type="checkbox"/>			

NOTES:

Only courses for which a student has received a C- or better may count for the major or minor.

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**AFAM 101 satisfies the HM core and the KNOW graduation requirement.

***AFAM 101 is prerequisite to AFAM 398 and 399.

#Four elective units, including two depth and two breadth courses, selected and approved through advising from the courses listed in the Bulletin. At least three of the four units must be taken at 300+ level (upper-division).

Capstone sequence: AFAM 401 and 402. Students who study abroad may apply two approved elective courses toward their African American Studies major or minor.

Majors and minors may satisfy no more than two university core requirements from African American Studies offerings.

When a course both supports their African American Studies major and fulfills a major or minor requirement in another field, a student may count no more than two units from that major or minor toward their African American Studies major.

The African American Studies Department reserves the option of determining, on an individual basis, a time limit on the applicability of courses to the major.