

LATINA/O/X STUDIES CONCENTRATION, LATIN AMERICA AND LATINO STUDIES (BA)

The Latina/o/x Studies concentration allows students to choose from an array of intellectually challenging, multidisciplinary courses that introduce cutting-edge scholarship on the Latina/o populations of the United States. Our courses familiarize students with the nation's fast-growing, diverse, transnational Latina/o populations, including their histories, ongoing connections to Latin America, cultures, and social conditions. Courses offer students the opportunity to focus on individual Latina/o communities in the country and to engage in comparative analysis of the various Latina/o communities. Students can select courses that concentrate on current socioeconomic and political issues facing Latinos in the U.S., as well as others that capture Latina/o expression in literature, music, and the arts. Some courses in this concentration involve students in collaborative projects with Chicago based Latina/o community organizations, civic programs, and other service learning opportunities.

Course Requirement

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
Select six courses from the following: ¹		24
LST 113	LATINO RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE IN THE UNITED STATES	
LST 209	LATINOS/AS AND THE CRIMINAL LEGAL SYSTEM	
LST 290	LATINO/A LIBERATION TRADITIONS	
LST 300	SPECIAL TOPICS IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (LATINOS IN EDUCATION)	
LST 300	SPECIAL TOPICS IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (LATINA BODY IN LITERATURE & POLITICS)	
LST 300	SPECIAL TOPICS IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (LATINO/A TRANSNATIONAL IMAGINATION)	
LST 300	SPECIAL TOPICS IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (CONTEMPORARY ISSUES/US/ LATINO LITERATURE)	
LST 300	SPECIAL TOPICS IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (LATINO RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE IN THE US)	
LST 303	THE U.S.-MEXICO BORDER. PEOPLE, RESOURCES, ENVIRONMENTAL WASTE, TECHNOLOGY	
LST 305	LATINO COMMUNITIES AND SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT	
LST 306	LATINO COMMUNITIES IN CHICAGO	
LST 307	GROWING UP LATINO/LATINA IN THE U.S.	
LST 308	MOTHERHOOD IN LATINO COMMUNITIES	
LST 309	SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT AND LATINO FAMILIES	

LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (NEW LATINO/A WRITING)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (LATINOS IN EDUCATION)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (LATINO RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (LATINAS AND SEXUALITY)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (LAND AND LABOR IN INDIGENOUS AMERICA)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (HISPANIC WOMEN WRITERS)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (MACHISMO & MARIANISMO IN LATIN AMERICA)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (RACE/GENDER/SEX/LATINO LITERATURE/FILM)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (BORDER CINEMA)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (CHICANA LITERATURE)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (QUEER LATINIDAD)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (LATINA FEMINIST THOERY)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (LATINO/O SEXUALITIES)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (LATINOS AND FILM)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (POETRY AND HIP HOP CULTURE)
LST 310	SPECIAL TOPICS: LATINOS IN THE U.S. (LATINO THEATER)
LST 311	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES AND SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT
LST 312	LATINO/O SEXUALITIES
LST 330	LATINOS IN EDUCATION

¹ Courses from other departments may count towards this concentration; consult your LALS advisor for more information.

Open Electives

Open elective credit also is required to meet the minimum graduation requirement of 192 hours.