

# Africana Studies (Minor)

To see more about what you will learn in this program, visit the Learning Outcomes website (<https://apps.oirp.ncsu.edu/pgas/>)!

The Africana Studies minor provides a comparative and interdisciplinary study of the Black experience in Africa and the Americas. Three required courses include an introduction to African Civilizations (AFS 240 African Civilization), Introduction to African American Studies (AFS 241 Introduction to African American Studies), and Introduction to the African Diaspora (AFS 342 Introduction to the African Diaspora). Two elective courses may be selected from a list of designated courses in such disciplines as anthropology, communication, English, history, political science, psychology, social work, and sociology. The minor is designed to bring together students from diverse backgrounds and curricula who share a common interest in the global experience of African people. No courses for the minor may be taken for S/U credit.

## Admissions

Students interested in pursuing the African-American Studies minor should consult with Dr. Haddy Njie as listed below.

## Certification

A University Minor Declaration Form ([https://studentservices.ncsu.edu/forms/registrar/declare\\_minor.pdf](https://studentservices.ncsu.edu/forms/registrar/declare_minor.pdf)) should be submitted to Registration and Records for inclusion of the minor on the student's official record. Dr. Njie will certify completion of the minor. The minor must be completed no later than the semester in which the student expects to graduate from his or her degree program. Paperwork for certification should be completed no later than during the registration period for the student's final semester at NC State.

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## Plan Requirements

- Completion of 15 credit hours.
- A minimum grade of 'C' (2.0) or better must be achieved in each course counting towards the minor.
- A maximum of **one** (1) course may be used (double-counted) towards both departmental major requirements and minor requirements.

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
AFS 240	African Civilization	3
AFS 241	Introduction to African American Studies	3
AFS 342	Introduction to the African Diaspora	3
AFS/WGS 380	Black Feminist Theory	3
<b>Elective Courses</b>		
Select two of the following:		6
AFS/ENG 248	Survey of African-American Literature	
AFS/HI 275	Introduction to History of South and East Africa	
AFS/HI 276	Introduction to History of West Africa	

AFS/SOC 305	Racial and Ethnic Relations
AFS 343	African American Religions
AFS 344	Leadership in African American Communities
AFS/PSY 345	Psychology and the African American Experience
AFS 346	Black Popular Culture
AFS/ENG 349	African Literature in English
AFS/HI 372	African-American History Through the Civil War, 1619-1865
AFS/HI 373	African-American History Since 1865
AFS/ENG 375	African American Cinema
AFS/PS 409	Black Political Participation in America
AFS 442	Issues in the African Diaspora
AFS/ENG 448	African-American Literature
AFS/HI 455	History of the Civil Rights Movement
AFS/HI 475	History of the Republic of South Africa
AFS/HI 476	Leadership in Modern Africa
AFS/HI 479	Africa (sub-Saharan) in the Twentieth Century
AFS 491	Study Abroad in Africana Studies
ANT 330	Peoples and Cultures of Africa
PHI 319	Africana Political Philosophy
SW 413	African American Families: History, Tradition, and Community