

LATINO AND CARIBBEAN STUDIES (595)

FALL 2016 COURSE LIST

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*Consider our **Certificate in Multicultural Competence** awarded with 9 credits in LCS courses.*

Please contact Prof. López for LCS certificate/minor/major advising.

LCS 01:595:100 INTRODUCTION TO CARIBBEAN STUDIES – 3 credits

SAS Core Code: [21C]

Interdisciplinary introduction to the principal questions, themes, and debates in the field of Caribbean studies. Emphasis on the complex connections and fragmentation of the different histories, cultures, and nations of the Caribbean Basin.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	T & TH	6:10-7:30PM	CAC	SC-114	Maldonado-Torres
02	T & TH	5:00-6:20PM	LIV	BE-219	Ramos
03	T	6:40-9:25PM	LIV	TIL-252	Ramos
*04	W	10:20AM-1:05PM	LIV	TIL-204	Miller
05	T & F	10:20-11:40AM	LIV	BRR-5101	Dinzey-Flores

*Section 04 open to EOF students by special permission number only.

LCS 01:595:101 INTRODUCTION TO LATINO STUDIES – 3 credits

SAS Core Code: [21C]

Interdisciplinary introduction to the principal questions, themes, and debates in the study of Latinos in the United States including distinct immigrant, national origin, and ethnic groups.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
*01	M & TH	10:20-11:40AM	LIV	TIL-204	Berg
02	M & W	3:20PM-4:40PM	LIV	RC-2	Bañales
03	M	5:00-7:45PM	LIV	LSH-A256	Bañales
04	W	10:20AM-1:05PM	LIV	TIL-116	Stone
05	T & TH	3:20-4:40PM	LIV	BRR-5113	Fernández, L.

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LCS 01:595:205 HISTORY OF THE CARIBBEAN SINCE 1898 – 3 credits

SAS Core Code: [HST or SCL]

*Overview of the history of the Caribbean since the formation of the U.S. sphere of influence in 1898. Emphasis on the Hispanic Caribbean and Haiti with consideration of the English-speaking nations. Credit not given for both this course and History 508:272. **Fulfills History, Politics, and Philosophy distribution.***

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	T & TH	5:00-6:20PM	LIV	TIL-204	Lauria

LCS 01:595:240 LATINO LITERATURE AND CULTURE – 3 credits

SAS Core Code: [AHO]

*Survey of Latino/a literary voices drawn from the Mexican, Puerto Rican, Dominican, Cuban, and other Latin American migrations to the United States. Discussion of exile, resistance, and assimilation; political presence and identity formation; race, ethnicity, gender, and sexuality; and examination of literary modes and genres (autobiography, poetry, novel, film, music). Credit not given for both this course and 01:050:240. **Fulfills Culture and Creative Expressions distribution.***

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	M & W	1:40-3PM	LIV	LSH-A256	Martínez-San Miguel

LCS 01:595:282 TOPICS IN LATINO AND CARIBBEAN STUDIES: LATINIDADES: IMAGES AND IDENTITIES SEMINAR - 1.5 credits

Special seminar open to Latin Images Living-Learning Community students only.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	F	9:50-11:10AM	CAC	MU-114	Staff

LCS 01:595:298 LATINOS AND MIGRATION - 3 credits

SAS Core Code: [SCL]

Historical and contemporary experience of Latinos and Latin Americans with migration to/from the United States and migration within the United States. Development of regional, national, and transnational practices. Emphasis on causes and experience of migration. Credit not given for both this course and Latin American Studies 01:590:298.

Fulfills Society, Community, and Environment distribution.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	M & TH	12-1:20PM	LIV	LSH-A256	Berg

LCS 01:595:299 LATINOS & COMMUNITY - 3 credits

Historical and contemporary formation and experience of Latino cultural, political, symbolic, and geographic communities in comparative perspective. Participation of Latinos and Latin American migrants in broader communities. Credit not given for both this course and Latin American Studies 01:590:299:01 or American Studies 01:050:200:01. Fulfills Society, Community, and Environment distribution.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	W	5-7:45PM	LIV	LSH-A256	Bañales

LCS 01:595:342 POSTCOLONIAL CARIBBEAN THEATER AND PERFORMANCE - 3 credits

Cross-cultural exploration of the theater and performance traditions of the postcolonial Caribbean and its diaspora. Topics include storytelling and the oral tradition, ritual and carnival, politics and the performance of race, class, and gender. Credit not given for both this course and 01:195:396:01 or 01:590:399:01.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	M & TH	10:20-11:40AM	LIV	LSH-A256	Stevens

LCS 01:595:369 LATINO HISTORY - 3 credits

History of people of Latin American and Hispanic Caribbean descent in the United States over the last two centuries. Experiences of the exiled, labor migrants, refugees, and colonial subjects. Formation of communities, political and labor struggles, and racial/ethnic identities. Credit not given for both this course and 01:512:360.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	T & TH	1:40-3PM	LIV	LSH-A256	Lauria

LCS 01:595:493, 494 SERVICE LEARNING INTERNSHIP - 1-3 credits

One- to three-credit community service placement in Latino and Caribbean Studies.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	INTERNSHIP BY SPECIAL PERMISSION ONLY - PLEASE CONTACT THE DEPARTMENT				

LCS 01:595:495 INDEPENDENT STUDY - 3 credits

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	INDEPENDENT STUDY BY SPECIAL PERMISSION ONLY - PLEASE CONTACT THE DEPARTMENT				

LCS 01:595:497 SENIOR RESEARCH SEMINAR IN LATINO AND CARIBBEAN STUDIES - 3 credits

Provides a forum for the organization of independent or coordinated research projects in Latino and Caribbean studies for juniors and seniors who are majors or minors in the department. By special permission of department.

SEC	DAY	TIME	CAMPUS	LOCATION	PROFESSOR
01	W	10:20AM-1:05PM	LIV	LSH-A256	López

*Please consult the online university schedule of classes for updates: <http://sis.rutgers.edu/soc/>

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Certificate in Multicultural Competence

The certificate consists of 9 credits (3 courses) completed with a grade of C or better.

The 3 courses must be offered by Latino and Caribbean Studies (at least 2 courses must have a 595 prefix; 1 course may be taken in another department but cross-listed with LCS).

QUESTIONS?

Please note that the Major and Minor have changed recently!

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Minor

The minor consists of 18 credits completed with a grade of C or better.

Introductory Course (3 credits):
595:100 Introduction to Caribbean Studies *or*
595:101 Introduction to Latino Studies

Interdisciplinary Distributions (9 credits, one course from three of the following areas):

- History, Politics, and Philosophy
- Culture and Creative Expressions
- Society, Community, and Environment
- Research Methods in Latino and Caribbean Studies (595:215)

Electives:

Two courses, one of which must be at the 300- or 400-level.

None of the courses in the minor may be substituted by courses outside the department.

Only one independent study course may be counted toward the minor.

Major

The major consists of 36 credits completed with a grade of C or better.

Introductory Course (3 credits):
595:100 Introduction to Caribbean Studies *or*
595:101 Introduction to Latino Studies

Research Methods Course (3 credits):

Research Methods in Latino and Caribbean Studies (595:215)

Interdisciplinary Distributions (9 credits, one course from each of the following areas):

- History, Politics, and Philosophy
- Culture and Creative Expressions
- Society, Community, and Environment

Capstone Course (3 credits):

01:595:497 Senior Seminar *or* another approved course

Electives (18 credits):

Students are required to take an additional six courses, of which at least three must be at the 300-level.

With the Undergraduate Director's approval, students may replace up to two electives with courses that are offered by other departments or units of Rutgers University. Credit may be offered for one course in Spanish language or composition at the 200- or 300-level. Only one independent study course may be used to satisfy the requirements, except by students enrolled in the department's honors program.