

# LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (UNDERGRADUATE CERTIFICATE)

## Program Overview

The Latin American Studies certificate is designed to provide students with an interdisciplinary course of study on Latin America. Students from all majors with a minimum 2.80 GPA are eligible to participate.

## Program of Study

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
Select 6 hours of Spanish or French at the 3000 level <sup>1</sup>		6
ITDS 2107	Modern Latin America	3
or SPAN 3175	Contemporary Approaches to Cultures of Latin America	
<b>Elective Courses</b>		
Select three elective courses		9
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>18</b>

<sup>1</sup> Or demonstration of proficiency above the intermediate level in Spanish, French, Portuguese, Haitian Creole or Quechua.

## Electives

Code	Title	Credit Hours
ANTH 5305U		
ANTH 5515U	Selected Topics in Anthropology	3
ANTH 5555U	Selected Topics in Archaeology	3
ARTH 3555	Selected Topics in Art History	3
BUSA 3135	International Business	3
COMM 4555	Selected Topics in Communication	3
ECON 3165	Global Economic Issues	3
HIST 3135	Introduction to Latin American History	3
HIST 3136		
HIST 3137	Latin America and the United States	3
HIST 5535U	Selected Topics in Latin American History	3
ITDS 1156	Understanding Non-Western Cultures	3
ITDS 2107	Modern Latin America	3
MGMT 4116	International Management	3
POLS 3555	Selected Topics In Political Science	3
SPAN 2002	Intermediate Spanish II	3
SPAN 3150	Spanish Conversation	3
SPAN 3160	Grammar and Composition	3
SPAN 3170	Contemporary Approaches to Identities and Cultures of Spain	3
SPAN 3175	Contemporary Approaches to Cultures of Latin America	3
SPAN 3185	Survey of Latin American Literature	3

SPAN 4120	Perspectives on Mexico: Works and Experiences of Selected Mexican Women	3
SPAN 4555	Selected Topics in Spanish	3

Students must complete 30 semester hours of credit at a four-year institution or 15 semester hours at a two-year institution, and ITDS 2107 Modern Latin America or SPAN 3175 Contemporary Approaches to Cultures of Latin America before applying to enroll in the certificate program. Additional courses can be applied toward the Certificate if they have a minimum of 25% Latin American content. All coursework for the Certificate must be approved by the certificate coordinator or the Director of the Center for International Education. The Certificate in Latin American Studies must be taken in conjunction with a baccalaureate degree program. For more information, contact the Center for International Education (<https://cie.columbusstate.edu/>).