

Program Learning Outcomes Asian American Studies

Students will

1. Demonstrate understanding of historically changing intersections of race, ethnicity, class, gender, and sexuality have shaped social, economic, and political conditions in contemporary U.S. society.
2. Critically analyze historical and contemporary formations of race, ethnicity, class, gender, and sexuality in local and global contexts.
3. Demonstrate understanding of major (or key) concepts, theories, and methods in Asian American Studies.
4. Critically analyze social issues in society employing multidisciplinary knowledge of major concepts, theories, and methods in Asian American Studies.
5. Demonstrate critical thinking skills that involve identifying, interpreting, and evaluating different forms of arguments, evidence, data, information, and knowledge.
6. Demonstrate critically informed understanding of social inequalities and power relations in U.S. society to become engaged citizens in a diverse multicultural, globalized society.
7. Articulate critical consciousness (or critical social awareness) based on understanding of social inequalities and power relations in U.S. society.
8. Demonstrate comparative and relational understanding of the diversity and complexity of Asian American populations.
9. Demonstrate expansive and nuanced understanding of the workings of power and privilege in U.S. society.
10. Demonstrate ability to develop a research project, utilizing appropriate research methods.
11. Apply curricular knowledge through completion of community internship.
12. Demonstrate strong analytical and communication skills in both written and oral forms appropriate to purpose and audience.
13. Effectively communicate ideas in written and oral forms appropriate to purpose and audience.
14. Demonstrate understanding and appreciation of role of engaged scholarship in social change and social justice.
15. Develop and articulate critical social awareness that fosters responsible civic engagement in diverse multicultural society.