African and African Diaspora Studies Department

African Studies Certificate: Summer and Fall 2015 Offerings

Below are courses offered in Summer and Fall 2015 that count for Supporting Coursework in the African Studies Certificate. For courses not on this list (such as African language courses like Yoruba), please contact the AADS department (ncrosley@austin.utexas.edu) for petition process.

### Summer 2015

**Lower-Division**

None

**Upper-Division**

- AFRi374C Ancient Egypt Nethercut GC flag
- AFRi374C.6 Apartheid: South African History Charumbira GC flag

### Fall 2015

**Lower-Division**

- AFR 304 Intro to the Study of Africa GC flag
- AFR 317C.1 The U.S. and Africa Falola GC and CD flag
- AFR 317C.4 Civilizations of Africa to 1800 Charumbira GC and Wr flag

**Upper-Division**

- AFR 322 Intro to African Prehistory Denbow GC flag
- AFR 372G African Travel Narratives Osseo-Asare GC, Wr, II flags
- AFR 372G.6 African Women’s History Charumbira GC flag
- AFR 374F.18 Historical Images of Africa in Film Falola Wr, II flags

This list is subject to change and does not take the place of advising or the official Summer and Fall 2015 Course Schedules.

**Reminders:**

- It is strongly suggested that you meet with the certificate advisor (Nia Crosley, ncrosley@austin.utexas.edu) before beginning coursework on the African Studies Certificate
- AFR majors cannot receive an African Studies Certificate
- Total time for certificate is 18 hours, six of which is required, twelve of which is supporting coursework and can be chosen from a list such as the one above
- At least one course must be taken outside of the requirements of your degree
- One of the supporting coursework courses must carry a Writing Flag from the School of Undergraduate Studies
- Courses the student has completed at the time of application to the program may be counted toward the certificate.
- You do not have to be enrolled in the AFR side of the course if the course is cross-listed with another department.

The African Studies certificate allows students to engage with scholarship on African peoples, cultures, and history through the theoretical lens of Black Studies. Through the certificate, undergraduates develop...
interdisciplinary expertise in African Studies related to the student’s personal field of interest. The certificate advisor is available to steer candidates towards areas of interest, which can include: Expressive Cultures, Gender and Sexuality studies, Literature, Language, History, Politics, and Society as these topics relate to theories of Blackness on the African continent.