

Summer Session 2, APIMEDA Course List

Courses listed are a partial listing of courses that APIMEDA Programs and Services is aware of that are offered during Summer Session 2 in 2021. Please check with the Departments to confirm offerings and other course information.

Anthropology

- **ANTH 21. Race and Racisms**
 - Why does racism still matter? How is racism experienced in the United States and across the globe? With insights from the biology of human variation, archaeology, colonial history, and sociocultural anthropology, we examine how notions of race and ethnicity structure contemporary societies.
- **ANTH 23. Debating Multiculturalism: Race, Ethnicity, and Class in American Societies**
 - This course focuses on the debate about multiculturalism in American society. It examines the interaction of race, ethnicity, and class, historically and comparatively, and considers the problem of citizenship in relation to the growing polarization of multiple social identities.
- **ANTH 105. Climate Change, Race, and Inequality**
 - This course introduces students to the ways in which climate change exacerbates environmental racism and inequality. We will consider the ways that structural violence and discriminatory policies create environmental inequalities where marginalized communities take on more of the risk and burdens of climate change. We will address community organizing and social justice efforts to combat the systems of power that unevenly distribute the burdens of climate change to marginalized communities.
- **ANSC 105. Global Health and Inequality**
 - (Cross-listed with GLBH 105.) Why is there variation of health outcomes across the world? We will discuss health and illness in context of culture and address concerns in cross-national health variations by comparing healthcare systems in developed, underdeveloped, and developing countries. In addition, we'll study the role of socioeconomic and political change in determining health outcomes and examine social health determinants in contemporary global health problems: multidrug resistance to antibiotics, gender violence, human trafficking, etc.
- **ANSC 148. Global Health and Cultural Diversity**

- (Cross-listed with GLBH 148.) Introduction to global health from the perspective of medical anthropology on disease and illness, cultural conceptions of health, doctor-patient interaction, illness experience, medical science and technology, mental health, infectious disease, and health-care inequalities by ethnicity, gender, and socioeconomic status.

Critical Gender Studies

- **CGS 114. Gender, Race, Ethnicity, and Class**
 - (Cross-listed with ETHN 183.) Gender is often neglected in studies of ethnic/racial politics. This course explores the relationship of race, ethnicity, class, and gender by examining the participation of working-class women of color in community politics and how they challenge mainstream political theory.
- **CGS 120. Capitalism and Gender**
 - (Cross-listed with ANSC 180.) Drawing insight from anti-colonial and queer of color critique, this course critically examines the demands capitalism makes on us to perform gender, and how that relates to processes of exploitation and racialization. We will explore alternatives and develop strategies for navigating jobs in this system.

Educational Studies

- **EDS 135. Working with Newcomer Communities in San Diego**
 - This Partners at Learning (PAL) practicum course examines the history, policies, and practices that inform work with newcomers (recent refugees and immigrants) in the San Diego community. Students enrolled in the course will learn about the diverse groups of newcomers in San Diego and will complete their field hours in a variety of school and community settings. **Prerequisites:** department approval required.

Ethnic Studies

- **ETHN 103. Environmental Racism**
 - This course will examine the concept of environmental racism, the empirical evidence of its widespread existence, and the efforts by government, residents, workers, and activists to combat it. We will examine those forces that create environmental injustices in order to understand its causes as well as its consequences. Students are expected

to learn and apply several concepts and social scientific theories to the course material.

- **ETHN 122. Asian American Culture and Identity**
 - A survey of Asian American cultural expressions in literature, art, and music to understand the social experiences that helped forge Asian American identity. Topics: culture conflict, media portrayals, assimilation pressures, the model minority myth, and interethnic and class relations.
- **ETHN 160. Global Indigenous Studies**
 - Focusing on transregional relationships to land and decolonization in the Pacific, Caribbean, and the Americas, this course is a comparative study of cultural and political phenomena that shape indigenous communities globally. We will examine enduring legacies of colonialism, nationalism, and Western normativities, and explore indigenous activism within the decolonial movement.
- **ETHN 163J. Asian American Social Movements**
 - (Cross-listed with HIUS 125.) This course introduces students to the history of Asian American social movements from the late-nineteenth century to the present, with an emphasis on inter-ethnic, cross-racial, and transnational practices. Topics include immigration reform, antiwar and anticolonial movements, redress, hate crimes, and police brutality.
- **ETHN 182. Race, Gender, and Sexuality in Fantasy and Science Fiction**
 - This course focuses on race, gender, and sexuality in twentieth- and twenty-first-century fantasy and science fiction. We will study literature, film, music, television, video games, and the internet in order to situate such speculative visions in historical and transmedia contexts.

History

- **HIUS 103. The United States and the Pacific World**
 - (Cross-listed with ETHN 103A.) History of the United States in the Pacific, with an emphasis on Hawai'i, Guam, the Mariana Islands, and the Marshall Islands, from the nineteenth century to the present. Topics include colonialism and imperialism, cultural representations, indigenous knowledge and sovereignty, militarism, tourism, and environmentalism.
- **HIUS 125. Asian American Social Movements**

- (Cross-listed with ETHN 163J.) This course introduces students to the history of Asian American social movements from the late-nineteenth century to the present, with an emphasis on inter-ethnic, cross-racial, and transnational practices. Topics include immigration reform, antiwar and anticolonial movements, redress, hate crimes, and police brutality.

Literature

- **LTCS 119. Asian American Film and Media**
 - (Cross-listed with CGS 119.) The course explores the politics of pleasure in relation to the production, reception, and performance of Asian American identities in the mass media of film, video, and the Internet. The course considers how the “deviant” sexuality of Asian Americans (e.g., hypersexual women and emasculated men) does more than uniformly harm and subjugate Asian American subjects. The texts explored alternate between those produced by majoritarian culture and the interventions made by Asian American filmmakers.
- **LTEN 181. Asian American Literature**
 - (Cross-listed with ETHN 124.) Selected topics in the literature by men and women of Asian descent who live and write in the United States.

Rady School of Management

- **MGT 18. Managing Diverse Teams (4)**
 - The modern workplace includes people different in culture, gender, age, language, religion, education, and more. Students will learn why diverse teams make better decisions and are often integral to the success of organizations. Topics include challenges of diversity, and the impact of emotional, social, and cultural intelligence on team success. Content will include significant attention to the experiences of Asian Americans and African Americans as members and leaders of such diverse teams.

Political Science

- **POLI 108. Politics of Multiculturalism**
 - This course will examine central issues in debates about race, ethnicity, and multiculturalism in the United States. It will look at relations not only between whites and minorities, but also at those among racial and ethnic communities.

Sociology

- **SOCI 118. Sociology of Gender**

- An analysis of the social, biological, and psychological components of becoming a man or a woman. The course will survey a wide range of information in an attempt to specify what is distinctively social about gender roles and identities; i.e., to understand how a most basic part of the “self”—womanhood or manhood—is socially defined and socially learned behavior.

Urban Planning and Studies

- **USP 1. History of US Urban Communities**

- This course charts the development of urban communities across the United States both temporally and geographically. It examines the patterns of cleavage, conflict, convergence of interest, and consensus that have structured urban life. Social, cultural, and economic forces will be analyzed for the roles they have played in shaping the diverse communities of America’s cities.