COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES
OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2016-2017

BACHELOR of ARTS

MAJOR: American Studies
Option: Pre-Law

Minimum Overall Grade Point Average: 2.00
Total Hours: 120
(cumulative graduation/retention GPA)

Other GPA requirements, see below.

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**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS: 40 HOURS**

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<th>Area</th>
<th>Hours</th>
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<tr>
<td>English Composition</td>
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<td>ENGL 1113 (or 1313) and ENGL 1213 (or 1413 or 3323) (See Academic Regulation 3.5 in Catalog)</td>
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<td>American History &amp; Government</td>
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<td>HIST 1103 and POLS 1113</td>
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<td>Analytical &amp; Quantitative Thought (A)</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>MATH or STAT course designated (A)</td>
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<td>Humanities (H)</td>
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<td>Courses designated (H)</td>
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<td>Natural Sciences (N)</td>
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<td>Courses designated (N) with one (L) Science (L) course.</td>
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<td>Social &amp; Behavioral Sciences (S)</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>SPCH 2713</td>
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<td>Additional General Education</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>Courses designated (A), (H), (N), or (S)</td>
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**DIVERSITY (D) & INTERNATIONAL DIMENSION (I)**

May be completed in any part of the degree plan.

At least one Diversity (D) course: [_____]
At least one International Dimension (I) course: [_____]

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**COLLEGE/DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS: 22 HOURS**

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<td>First Year Seminar</td>
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<td>Arts &amp; Humanities</td>
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**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 48 HOURS**

Minimum GPA 2.50. Minimum grade of “C” in all AMST upper-division courses.
No more than 9 hours in Major Requirements may be taken from 2000 level courses.

**AMST 3223 and 4973**
American Studies: 9 hours (6 hours must be upper division) – AMST courses other than AMST 3223 & 4973; and courses listed in the following three categories:

**American History:** 5 hours (3 hours must be upper-division)
HIST 2323, 2333, 2343, 3133, 3613, 3633, 3643, 3653, 3663, 3673, 3683, 3693, 3753, 3763, 3773, 3793, 4063, 4153, 4163, 4173, 4253, 4273, 4353, 4463, 4483, 4503, 4513, 4523, 4543, 4553, 4563, 4593

**American Literary and Cultural Studies:** 6 hours (3 hours must be upper-division)
ENGL 2453, 2773, 2883, 3153, 3183, 3190, 3193, 3410, 3443, 3453, 3473, 3503, 3813, 4093, 4200, 4210, 4220, 4400, 4450

**Legal Emphasis:** 12 hours upper-division
AMIS 4013
AMST 3333
GEOG 3113
ECON 3713, 4723
PHIL 3513, 3843
POLS 3523, 3963, 4353, 4363, 4593, 4963
PSYC 4293, 4573
SOC 3523, 4313, 4333, 4443, 4743
SPCH 3733, 4793

**ELECTIVES: 10 HOURS**

May need to include 6 hours upper-division general education outside AMST, American History and American Literature (see note 2.c.) and 1 additional upper-division hour.

Recommend ECON 2103 and POLS 2023

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1. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

No more than two courses (or eight hours) from the major department may be used to meet General Education and College and Departmental Requirements. The General Education required English Composition, required U.S. History, required American Government, one required MATH or STAT course, and required foreign language for B.A. degrees do not count against the two-course maximum.

2. A&S COLLEGE/DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

a. Arts and Humanities are defined as any course carrying an (H) designation or courses from AMST, ART, ENGL (except 3323) HIST, MUSI, PHIL (except 1313, 3003 and 4003), REL, TH, and foreign languages (second year and above). No more than six hours may be music or theatre performance or art studio.

b. Natural and Mathematical Sciences are defined as any course from the following prefixes: ASTR, BIOC, BIOL, BOT, CHEM, CS (except 4883), GEOL, MATH, MICR, PHYS, STAT and ZOOL; or courses from other departments that carry an (A) or (N) general education designation.

c. The required six hours of upper-division General Education may not include courses from the student's major department. This requirement may be satisfied by courses also used to satisfy any part of a student's degree program (i.e., in General Education, College Departmental Requirements, Major Requirements or Electives).

d. Non-Western Studies Requirement for B.A. and B.F.A. One 3-hour course in Non-Western Studies from: AMIS 2013, 4013; ANTH 3443, 4223; ART 2693, 2733, 4603, 4653, 4663, 4673, 4683, 4703, 4713, 4763; CHIN 1225; ENGL 2963, 3183, 3190 (African Novel), 4330; FLL 1000 (Arabic 2 & Mvskoke2); GEOG 3053, 3733, 3753, 3763, 3783; HIST 1713, 3003, 3013, 3043, 3053, 3123, 3133, 3153, 3163, 3203, 3403, 3413, 3423, 3433, 3443, 3503, 3513, 3523, 3543, 3553, 3583, 3793; HONR 3033; JAPN 1225, 2015, 2225; MUSI 3583; PHIL 3943, 4943, 4953; POLS 3003, 3053, 3123, 3163, 3223, 3313; REL 3003, 3573, 4113, 4213, 4223; RUSS 1225, 3003, 3053, 3123, 4013, 4023, 4113, 4123; SOC 4533, 4653. This requirement may be satisfied by courses also used to satisfy any part of a student's degree program (i.e., in General Education, College Departmental Requirements, Major Requirements or Electives).

e. The College of Arts & Sciences requires a minimum 2.0 GPA in all major requirements and a minimum 2.0 GPA in all major-prefix courses.

3. FOREIGN LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

a. The foreign language requirement for the B.A. may be satisfied by 10 hours college credit in the same language, or equivalent proficiency (e.g., passing an advanced standing examination; completing a second-year or higher college-level course in the language, etc.).

b. The foreign language requirement for the B.S., B.M. and B.F.A. may be satisfied by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language (passing grades at second year level of study). It may also be satisfied by any of the options listed above for the B.A. utilizing elective hours.

c. In addition to a. and b., students pursuing teacher certification must meet novice-high foreign language proficiency by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language with no grade below B. Or, students may complete 5 hours college credit in the same language with no grade below C (or pass an advanced standing examination equivalent to 5 hours of college credit.)

4. EXCLUSIONS

a. Courses used to satisfy the General Education English Composition, U.S. History, American Government, and Mathematics or Statistics requirements will not count toward the 54 hour maximum allowed from one department.

b. Courses with ATHL or LEIS prefixes and leisure activity courses may not be used for degree credit.

5. TEACHER CERTIFICATION

Students can satisfy the requirements for secondary schools teaching certification while earning a B.A. or B.S. in the College of Arts & Sciences. Those interested should see their Arts and Sciences adviser and the OSU Professional Education Unit in room 325 Willard.