**Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2017-2018**

**BACHELOR of SCIENCE**

**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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| English Composition           | 6     | ENGL 1113 (or 1313) and ENGL 1213 (or 1413 or 3323)  
(See Academic Regulation 3.5 in Catalog) |
| American History & Government | 6     | HIST 1103 and POLS 1113                                                             |
| Analytical & Quantitative Thought (A) | 3     | MATH or STAT course designated (A)                                                  |
| Humanities (H)                | 6     | Courses designated (H)                                                              |
| Natural Sciences (N)          | 6     | Courses designated (N)                                                              |
| Social & Behavioral Sciences (S) | 3     | Course designated (S)                                                               |
| Additional General Education  | 10    | Courses designated (A), (H), (N), or (S)                                            |

### 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: [_____]

### College/Departmental Requirements: 13 Hours

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| First Year Seminar                               | 1     | A&S 1111  
转让学生 with 15 hours exempt) |
| Arts & Humanities                                | 3     | (see note 2.a.)                            |
| Natural & Mathematical Sciences                   | 9     | (see note 2.b.)                            |
| Foreign Languages                                | 0-6   | (see note 2.c.)                            |
| Upper-Division General Education                 |       | 6 hours outside AMST, American History and American Literature  
(see note 2.c.) |

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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 four categories:

**American History:** 6 hours  
(3 hours must be upper-division)  
HIST 2323, 2333, 2343, 3133, 3613, 3623, 3633, 3643, 3653, 3663, 3673, 3683, 3693, 3713, 3753, 3763, 3773, 3793, 3803, 4063, 4073, 4153, 4163, 4173, 4253, 4273, 4353, 4453, 4463, 4493, 4503, 4523, 4543, 4553, 4563, 4593

**American Literary and Cultural Studies:** 6 hours  
(3 hours must be upper-division)  
ENGL 2453, 2773, 2883, 3163, 3183, 3190, 3193, 3410, 3443, 3453, 3473, 3503, 3813, 4093, 4200, 4210, 4220, 4330, 4400, 4450

**Legal Emphasis:** 12 hours (upper-division)

- AMIS 4013
- AMST 3333
- GEOG 3133
- 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

9 hours: upper-division related courses

**Electives:** 19 Hours

May need to include 6 hours of a foreign language. See note 3.  
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.

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**Other Requirements:** See 1, 2 & 3 on back of degree sheet

**Upper-Division Credit:** Total hours must include at least 40 hours in courses numbered 3000 or above.

**Hours in One Department:** Hours in one department in excess of 54 will be added to the minimum total of 120 required for graduation.

**Additional State/OSU Requirements:** At least 60 hours at a four-year institution; 30 hours completed at OSU; 15 of the final 30 or 50% of the upper-division hours in the major field completed at OSU. Limit of: one-half of major course requirements as transfer work; one-fourth of hours earned by correspondence; 8 transfer correspondence hours.  
Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation and any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation. Degrees that follow this plan must be completed by the end of Summer 2023.