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Viewing: **LALS Dependent ~~Combined~~ Major : Latin American and Latino Studies Dependent ~~Combined~~ Major**

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Catalog Pages Using this Program

[Latin American and Latino Studies \(LALS\)](#)

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Program Status: Active

Academic Level: Undergraduate

Type of proposal: Major/Field of Study

Select a reason for this modification
 Making Minor Changes to an Existing Certificate, Degree or Program (including 15 or fewer hours, admission/graduation requirements, Focused Studies or Tracks)

Are you adding a concentration?
No

Are you adding or modifying a track?
No

Are you adding or modifying a focused study?
No

Effective Catalog Year: 08152024

College/School Code: Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences (ARSC)

In Workflow

1. ARSC Dean Initial
2. Director of Curriculum Review and Program Assessment
3. Registrar Initial
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Approval Path

1. 10/10/23 3:58 pm
Christopher Liner (liner): Approved for ARSC Dean Initial
2. 11/14/23 2:40 pm
Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza): Approved for Director of Curriculum Review and Program Assessment
3. 11/17/23 8:56 am
Gina Daugherty (gdaugher):

Department Code
Latin American and Latino Studies (LALS)

Program Code LALS Dependent
Combined Major

Degree Bachelor of Arts

CIP Code

Approved for
Registrar Initial

4. 11/27/23 9:38 am
Doug Miles
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for Institutional
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5. 11/27/23 12:30 pm
Steven Rosales
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for LALS Chair

6. 01/30/24 9:42 am
Nik Rowan
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for ARSC Curriculum
Committee

7. 01/30/24 9:45 am
Melinda Smith
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Dean

8. 01/30/24 12:08 pm
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ARSC Dean

9. 01/30/24 1:03 pm
Suzanne Kenner
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10. 01/31/24 5:17 pm
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History

1. Feb 2, 2015 by
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2. Mar 1, 2017 by
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- 3. Apr 26, 2017 by Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza)
- 4. May 25, 2017 by Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza)
- 5. May 22, 2019 by Ryan Cochran (rcc003)
- 6. May 27, 2020 by Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza)
- 7. May 19, 2021 by Ryan Cochran (rcc003)
- 8. May 19, 2022 by Gina Daugherty (gdaugher)
- 9. Mar 14, 2023 by Gina Daugherty (gdaugher)
- 10. May 24, 2023 by Gina Daugherty (gdaugher)

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Program Title

Latin American and Latino Studies Dependent ~~Combined~~ Major

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

Yes ~~No~~

College(s)/School(s)

College/School Name
<u>Fay Jones School of Architecture and Design (ARCH)</u>

What are the total hours needed to 120

complete the program?

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Requirements for a Dependent ~~Second~~ Major in Latin American and Latino Studies

In addition to the requirements of a primary departmental major, students pursuing a second major in Latin American and Latino Studies must complete the following:

<u>LALS 40003</u>	<u>Latin American Studies Colloquium</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>SPAN 20203</u>	<u>Intermediate Spanish II (ACTS Equivalency = SPAN 2023) (Or Equivalent)</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>or PORT 20203</u>	<u>Intermediate Portuguese II</u>	

Provisions are available for recognition of language skills gained by other means than formal course work taken at the University of Arkansas: See information under the entry in the department of world languages. Further functional work in Spanish or Portuguese as well as study and residence in a Latin American nation can serve to strengthen language competence and are encouraged.

Eighteen hours of additional courses chosen from the list below. Courses must be selected from at least three different departments, and a maximum of nine hours may be submitted from courses taken in any one department. **18**

African and African American Studies

AAST 36703 Distant Relatives: The Global Black Diaspora

Anthropology

ANTH 2013 **Course ANTH 2013 Not Found**

ANTH 3553 **Course ANTH 3553 Not Found**

ANTH 4263 **Course ANTH 4263 Not Found**

ANTH 20143 Introduction to Latin American Studies

ANTH/LALS 35503 Religion in Latin America

ANTH/LALS 42603 Identity and Culture in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands

Art History

ARHS 4563 **Course ARHS 4563 Not Found**

3

<u>ARHS 4563H</u>	<u>Course ARHS 4563H Not Found</u>	3
<u>ARHS 4573</u>	<u>Course ARHS 4573 Not Found</u>	3
<u>ARHS 4573H</u>	<u>Course ARHS 4573H Not Found</u>	3
<u>ARHS</u> <u>45603/ARHS 456H3</u>	<u>Pre-Columbian Art</u>	
<u>ARHS</u> <u>45703/ARHS 457H3</u>	<u>Artists of New Spain</u>	
<u>Communication</u>		
<u>COMM/HIST/LALS</u> <u>32803</u>	<u>U.S. Latinos and Latinas through Film</u>	
Economics		
<u>ECON 3843</u>	<u>Course ECON 3843 Not Found</u>	
<u>ECON 3853</u>	<u>Course ECON 3853 Not Found</u>	
<u>ECON 38403</u>	<u>Economics of the Developing World</u>	
<u>ECON 38503</u>	<u>Emerging Markets</u>	
English		
<u>ENGL 3543</u>	<u>Course ENGL 3543 Not Found</u> (English)	3
<u>ENGL 4523</u>	<u>Course ENGL 4523 Not Found</u>	3
<u>ENGL/LALS 32503</u>	<u>The Latinx Image in Media</u>	
<u>ENGL/LALS 35403</u>	<u>Topics in U.S. Latino/Latina Literature and Culture (English)</u>	
<u>ENGL/LALS 45203</u>	<u>Studies in U.S. Latino/Latina Literature and Culture</u>	
History		
<u>HIST 3073</u>	<u>Course HIST 3073 Not Found</u>	3
<u>HIST 3193</u>	<u>Course HIST 3193 Not Found</u>	3
<u>HIST 3203</u>	<u>Course HIST 3203 Not Found</u>	
<u>HIST 3213</u>	<u>Course HIST 3213 Not Found</u>	
<u>HIST 3283</u>	<u>Course HIST 3283 Not Found</u>	3
<u>HIST 3303</u>	<u>Course HIST 3303 Not Found</u>	3
<u>HIST 3313</u>	<u>Course HIST 3313 Not Found</u>	3
<u>HIST 4173</u>	<u>Course HIST 4173 Not Found</u>	3

HIST 3363	Course HIST 3363 Not Found	3
HIST 4443	Course HIST 4443 Not Found	3
HIST 4743	Course HIST 4743 Not Found	3
HIST 4783	Course HIST 4783 Not Found	
HIST 4813	Course HIST 4813 Not Found	3
HIST 4823	Course HIST 4823 Not Found	3
HIST 31903	The Making of the Modern Caribbean	
HIST/LALS 32003	Colonial Latin America	
HIST 32103	Modern Latin America	
HIST 32803	U.S. Latinos and Latinas through Film	
HIST/LALS 33003	U.S. Immigration History	
HIST/LALS 33103	Latinos and Latinas in the U.S.	
HIST 33603	The Atlantic World, 1400-1850	
HIST/LALS 33703	Rise of the American Empire: War, Migration and Expansion, 1789-1917	
HIST/LALS 44403	Frontiers and Borderlands in Colonial Latin America	
HIST/LALS 47103	Women, Gender, and Sexuality in Colonial Latin America	
HIST/LALS 47403	The Cold War in Latin America: Revolutions, Violence, and Politics	
HIST 47803	History of Modern Mexico	
HIST/AAST/LALS 48103	Africans and Slavery in Colonial Latin America	
LALS 48203	Black Freedom in the Age of Emancipation	
Landscape Architecture		
LARC/LALS 48503	Latin American Landscapes	
Latin American and Latino Studies		
LALS 2013	Course LALS 2013 Not Found	3
LALS 399VH	Course LALS 399VH Not Found	1- 6
LALS 4003	Course LALS 4003 Not Found	3
LALS 20103	Introduction to Latin American and Latino Studies	

[LALS 30103](#) [Special Topics in Latin American and Latino Studies](#)

[LALS 399HV](#) [Honors Thesis](#)

[LALS 40003](#) [Latin American Studies Colloquium \(If taken a second time under a new topic\)](#)

Music

[MUHS 4253](#) [Course MUHS 4253 Not Found](#) (Latin American Music)

[MUHS 42503](#) [Capstone Project Seminar \(Latin American Music\)](#)

Political Science

[PLSC 3263](#) [Course PLSC 3263 Not Found](#)

[PLSC 3573](#) [Course PLSC 3573 Not Found](#)

[PLSC 4793](#) [Course PLSC 4793 Not Found](#)

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[PLSC 32603](#) [Latino Politics](#)

[PLSC/LALS 32703](#) [Course PLSC 32703 Not Found](#)

[PLSC 35703](#) [Governments and Politics of Latin America](#)

[PLSC 47903](#) [Latino/Hispanic Political Thought](#)

[PLSC/LALS 41603](#) [Course PLSC 41603 Not Found](#)

Portuguese

[PORT 3013](#) [Course PORT 3013 Not Found](#)

3

[PORT 3103](#) [Course PORT 3103 Not Found](#)

3

[PORT 3203](#) [Course PORT 3203 Not Found](#)

3

[PORT 30103](#) [Brazilian Cinema](#)

[PORT 32003](#) [Brazilian Cultural and Social Issues](#)

Sociology

[SOCL 3173](#) [Course SOCL 3173 Not Found](#)

3

[SOCL 31703](#) [Latinos, Migration, and the U.S. South](#)

Spanish

[SPAN 3103](#) [Course SPAN 3103 Not Found](#)

[SPAN 3113](#) [Course SPAN 3113 Not Found](#)

[SPAN 3123](#) [Course SPAN 3123 Not Found](#)

[SPAN 4133](#) [Course SPAN 4133 Not Found](#)

SPAN 4193	Course SPAN 4193 Not Found	
SPAN 4223	Course SPAN 4223 Not Found	
SPAN 4243	Course SPAN 4243 Not Found	
SPAN 4253	Course SPAN 4253 Not Found	
SPAN 475V	Course SPAN 475V Not Found	
SPAN 5253	Course SPAN 5253 Not Found	
SPAN 5393	Course SPAN 5393 Not Found	
SPAN 5463	Course SPAN 5463 Not Found	
SPAN 5703	Course SPAN 5703 Not Found	3
SPAN 5943	Course SPAN 5943 Not Found	3
SPAN 31003	Cultural Readings	
SPAN 31103	Introduction to Literature	
SPAN 31203	Spanish for Heritage Speakers II	
SPAN 41303	Survey of Spanish-American Literature I	
SPAN 41903	Survey of Spanish-American Literature II	
SPAN 42203	Latin American Civilization	
SPAN 42403	Literature and Culture in the Hispanic United States	
SPAN 42503	Latin American Cinema and Society	
SPAN 4593	Course SPAN 4593 Not Found	
SPAN 4750V	Special Investigations	
SPAN 52503	Colonial Literature and Culture	
SPAN 53903	19th Century Spanish American Literature	
SPAN 54603	20th Century Spanish American Literature	
SPAN 57003	Special Topics	
SPAN 59403	U.S. Latino/a Literatures and Cultures	
Any additional course with a Course prefix of LALS that is not in this list may also count towards major/minor requirements		

Total Hours

24

Language Competence: The student must complete [SPAN 2013](#), [PORT 2013](#), or equivalent. Provisions are available for recognition of language skills gained by other means than formal course work taken at the University

of Arkansas: See information under the entry in the department of world languages. Further functional work in Spanish or Portuguese as well as study and residence in a Latin American nation can serve to strengthen language competence and are encouraged. Colloquium: The student must complete at least three hours in the interdepartmental colloquium, **LALS 4003**. The Colloquium may be repeated, with the adviser's approval, provided the topic is different. Electives: The student must complete 18 hours, in addition to **LALS 4003**, in courses with specific Latin American or Latino content, or individualized study options under instructors teaching Latin American or Latino Studies. Students choosing to take individualized readings or directed research courses must obtain the approval of the director of the area studies program. In the selection of the electives, the following conditions apply: Courses must be selected from at least three different departments; A maximum of nine hours may be submitted from courses taken in any one department. The following courses and individualized study options may be taken in fulfillment of elective requirements:

8-Semester Plan

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

No

Estimated Student Demand for Program 120 co-majors/minors

Scheduled Program 2030-2031 ~~2021~~

Review Date

Program Goals and Objectives

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1. Area Studies Focus: to cultivate an understanding of the historical, cultural, geographic, and political processes that define Latin/o America as a distinct area of academic study
2. Interdisciplinarity: to facilitate education from a variety of academic disciplines
3. International focus: to foster critical awareness of international issues and their articulation with / impact on, domestic realities
4. Diversity focus: to foster the inclusion of students/scholars of diverse backgrounds and cultivate an atmosphere of inclusion for diverse perspectives and insights

Learning Outcomes

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1. Historical trajectories to the present
Fostering critical understandings of the historical actors and events that shaped Latin America and the Latino U.S.

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2. Political and economic issues

Promoting an awareness of the political underpinnings, economic structures and contemporary political economies of Latin America and Latino/as in the U.S.

3. Literatures and arts

Cultivating critical understandings of, and appreciation for, the diverse literary and artistic currents in Latin America and the Latino U.S.

4. Language skills

Fostering deeper understandings of Latin America and the Latino U.S. through cultural literacy and proficiency in an area language. (Currently Spanish is offered at UA; in the future, training in Portuguese, Quechua, and/or other indigenous languages may be available.)

5. Social and cultural issues

Awareness of the cultural diversity and social concerns that shape and impact contemporary Latin America and the Latino U.S.

6. Study Abroad experiences

Opportunities for students to study and live in a Latin American country

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
<p>Format change</p> <p>additions to newly cross-listed LALS courses.</p> <p>Removal of retired or soon to be retired courses.</p> <p>Updated title to be in alignment to campus standards/other area studies programs.</p> <p>Added new language at bottom about counting any LALS prefixed course.</p>	<p>Change format to align with college level standards.</p> <p>expand available offerings to students in the major.</p> <p>Updated title to be in alignment to campus standards/other area studies programs.</p> <p>Added language to allow immediate counting of newly created LALS courses to reflect the challenge of keeping list up to date as new courses are continually cross-listed.</p>

Upload attachments

Reviewer Comments

Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza) (11/14/23 2:28 pm): SPAN 4593 in approval process for spring 2024 effective date.

Lisa Kulczak (lkulcza) (11/14/23 2:39 pm): Changed reason for proposal to "Making Minor Changes" and added ARCH to the list of colleges impacted by proposal. The addition of a LARC cross-listed course means this proposal does not qualify for the shortened approval process. Added next scheduled program review dates. ATTENTION REGISTRAR: Please add ARCH Dean to the approval workflow immediately before ARSC Dean.

Gina Daugherty (gdaugher) (11/17/23 8:56 am): Added ARCH Dean to approval workflow.

Gina Daugherty (gdaugher) (02/02/24 2:36 pm): Fixed typo at request of College.