AFRICANA WOMEN'S STUDIES

Credits: 30 CIP Code: 24.0103

Student Learning Outcomes

Graduates of the Doctor of Philosophy Degree in Humanities: Africana Women's Studies Concentration will:

- 1. Apply integrated concepts and theories of Humanities and Afrocentricity, Afrocentric historiography, and the history of African people with emphasis on women nationally and globally to construct a research-based dissertation.
- 2. Assess historical and contemporary body of works on the lives of all women, with special emphasis on Women of color, by class, age, and geographic location through humanistic inquiry.
- 3. Discuss the humanistic role of women and identify issues specific to African Diaspora cultures.
- 4. Interpret and communicate effectively in oral and written formats the humanistic influences related to the issues, strategies and contributions of Africana women.

Degree Requirements

In addition to the General Degree Requirements as published in this Catalog, candidates pursuing Africana Women's Studies Concentration are required to complete thirty (30) credits in the following coursework:

Required Courses

Code	Title	Hours		
Research Courses				
CAWS 501	Feminist Theory	3		
CAWS 503	Feminist Methodology	3		
Concentration Courses				
CAWS 506	Women and Development	3		
CAWS 600	Sem on Africana Women Studies	3		
CAWS 611	Intro to Africana Women's Stud	3		
CAWS XXX	Departmental Course I	3		
CAWS XXX	Departmental Course II	3		
CAWS XXX	Departmental Course III	3		
Cognate Courses ¹				
CXXX XXX	Cognate Course I	3		
CXXX XXX	Cognate Course II	3		
Total Hours	30			

Select two (2) graduate cognate courses in the concentration of choice (e.g. African American Studies, English, History, Political Science, or Sociology).

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First Year		
First Semester		
CHUM 875	Humanistic Inquiry I	3
CHUM 877	Literature & Popular Culture	3
CAWS 501	Feminist Theory	3

Second Semester CHUM 876 CHUM 878 Ideas and Exemplars CAWS 506 CHUM 878 Ideas and Exemplars CAWS 506 Women and Development CAWS 611 Intro to Africana Women's Stud Hours Second Year First Semester CHUM 879 Interdis Seminar: Ethics & Soc CHUM 891 CAWS XXX Departmental Course I Hours Second Semester CHUM 883 Science and the Humanities CHUM 892 Research Design CAWS XXX Departmental Course II CXXX XXX Cognate Course II Hours Third Year First Semester CHUM 880 Spec Top:Contemp Issues in Hum CHUM 881 Teaching and the Humanities CAWS XXX Departmental Course III Hours First Semester CHUM 881 CAWS 600 Sem on Africana Women Studies CAWS XXX Departmental Course III Hours Second Semester CHUM 882 The Internship CHUM 882 The Internship CHUM XXX Dissertation Research CHUM XXX Dissertation Research CAWS XXX Dissertation Research Hours	
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