

Minor Map for Southern Studies (SOST-M) 2015-16 through 2026-27 Catalog Years



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Transfer Coursework Restriction: At least 50% of a student's Arts and Sciences (ARSC) major or minor must be taken at the University of Arkansas.

Academic Requirement Name	Degree Requirements	Curriculum Notes
Introduction to Southern Studies 3 hrs	____ SOST 20003 Introduction to Southern Studies	
Southern Studies Electives 15 hrs	Take an additional 5 classes from below (only 6 hrs can overlap with another major or minor): ____ AAST/HIST 32303 African American History to 1877 ____ AAST/HIST 32403. African American History Since 1877 ____ AAST/PLSC 32903 Black Politics ____ AAST/HIST 43803 The American Civil Rights Movement ____ AAST/PLSC 49303 African American Political Ideology ____ ENGL 31103 Folklore ____ ENGL 38503 Topics in African-American Literature and Culture ____ ENGL 38603 Topics in Literature and Culture of the American South ____ HIST 45003 History of Political Parties in the United States 1789-189 ____ HIST 45603 The Old South 1607-1865 ____ HIST 45703 The New South 1860 to the Present ____ HIST 45803 Arkansas in the Nation (Or HIST 33803 Arkansas and the Southwest but not both)* ____ HIST 45903/WLLC 30503 The Colonial French in the Mississippi Valley ____ HIST 46503 Antebellum America 1828-1850 ____ HIST 46603 Rebellion to Reconstruction 1850-1877 ____ HIST 46703 The American Civil War ____ PLSC 32103 The South and the Law: Race Gender and Citizenship ____ PLSC 32203 Arkansas Politics and the Nation * ____ PLSC 43303 Southern Politics ____ SOCI 31703 Latinos Migration and the U.S. South ____ SOST 3990V Special Topics in Southern Studies **	While some classes may not be listed in older catalogs classes in this list are approved to count in any catalog within this window. * A maximum of 6 hours can be taken in Arkansas-specific courses. ** A maximum of 6 hours of SOST 399V Special Topics in Southern Studies may be taken. Retired courses that can still count: • AAST/HIST 4093 The History of African Americans and Social Justice (counts if taken 2023 or earlier)
SOST-M Residency Rule 0 Additional Hours	Of courses taken for the above requirements students must complete 3 hours of courses with the SOST course prefix in residence.	In residence means courses taken from the University of Arkansas Fayetteville Campus. This includes UA faculty-led study abroad classes online/on-campus classes and Global Campus courses and all other courses paid towards Fayetteville campus tuition and fees.