

Minor Map for Latin American and Latino Studies (LALS-M) 2018-19 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
Intermediate II Spanish or Portuguese 3-12 hrs	Choose 1 sequence in Spanish or Portuguese language classes to get to the 20203 or higher level: ____ SPAN 10103 (or fluency) ____ SPAN 10203 (or fluency) ____ SPAN 20103 (or fluency) ____ SPAN 20203 (or higher required, including 21203) OR* ____ PORT 10103 (or fluency) ____ PORT 10203 (or fluency) ____ PORT 20103 (or fluency) ____ PORT 20203 (or higher required, including 21003)	Only the last level of the language will pull in to Workday Student, but students are expected to take all levels up to that language unless they have prior fluency. Language Placement: See the WLLC website for a list of available placement exams for certain languages as well as information about credit by exam for Spanish. *Students could also take PORT 11003 and 21003 to meet this requirement, if they have credit for SPAN 20203, FREN 20203, or ITAL 20203 already
Latin American Studies Colloquium 3 hrs	____ LALS 40003/400H3 Latin American Studies Colloquium	
Latin American and Latino Studies Elective for Minor 12 hrs	Take 12 hrs of Electives from the following classes, withing the following parameters: ☐ Courses must be selected from at least <u>two different departments</u>, Take 4: ____ ANTH 20143/LALS 20103 Intro to Latin American Studies ____ ANTH 35503 Religion in Latin America ____ ANTH 42603 Identity & Cult in US-Mexico borderlands ____ ARHS 45603 Pre-Columbian Art ____ ARHS 45703 Artists of New Spain ____ COMM/HIST/LALS 32803 U.S. Latinos and Latinas through Film ____ ECON 38403 Economics of the Developing World ____ ECON 38503 Emerging Markets ____ ENGL/LALS/COMM 32503, The Latinx Image in Media ____ ENGL 35403 Topics in US Latino/Latina Literature and Culture ____ ENGL 45203 Studies in US Latino/Latina Literature and Culture ____ HIST/AAS 12303 History of Race and Medicine	*These courses were added to the 2026-27 catalog. Students wishing to count these courses for this requirement should update to this catalog year or request a standing substitution from their ARSC advisor (non-ARSC majors can email ARSCcert@uark.edu). **These courses will be added to the 2027-28 catalog. Students wishing to count these courses for this requirement should update to this catalog year or request a standing substitution from their ARSC advisor. (non-ARSC majors can email ARSCcert@uark.edu). Retired courses that can still count via standing substiuttion if taken previously: • HIST 3843 Special Topics in Latin American and Caribbean History

	☐ HIST 30703 Women and Gender in Modern Latin American History* ☐ HIST 31903 Making of the Modern Caribbean ☐ HIST 32003 Colonial Latin America ☐ HIST 32103 Modern Latin America ☐ HIST 33003 US immigration History ☐ HIST 33103 Latinos and Latinas in the US ☐ HIST 33603 Atlantic world ☐ HIST 33703 Rise of the American Empire: War, Migration, and Expansion 1789-1917 ☐ HIST 42803 Indigenous Histories of South America* ☐ HIST 44403 Frontiers and Borderlands in Colonial Latin America ☐ HIST/LALS 47103 Women, Gender and Sexuality in Colonial Latin America ☐ HIST 47403 The Cold War in Latin America ☐ HIST 47803 History of Modern Mexico ☐ HIST/AAST/LALS 48103 Africans and Slavery in Colonial Latin America ☐ HIST/AAST/LALS 48203 Black Freedom in the Age of Emancipation ☐ LARC/LALS 48503 Latin American Landscapes ☐ LALS 30103, Special Topics in Latin American and Latino Studies ☐ LALS 399HV Honors Thesis ☐ LALS 40003 Latin American Studies Colloquium ☐ LALS any additional course with the LALS prefix can count towards this requirement _____ ☐ MUHS 42503 (Topic: Latin American Music) ☐ PLSC 32603 Latino Politics ☐ PLSC/LALS 32703 Belonging, Citizenship, & Immigration in the United States ☐ PLSC 35703 Government and Politics of Latin America ☐ PLSC 47903 Latino/Hispanic Political Thought ☐ PLSC/LALS 41603 Nuevo South: The Emerging Latino Electorate in the South ☐ PORT 30103 Brazilian Cinema ☐ PORT 32003 Brazilian Cultural Social Issues ☐ SOCI 31703 Latinos, Migration, and the US South ☐ SPAN 31003 Cultural Readings ☐ SPAN 31103 Intro to Lit ☐ SPAN 31203 Spanish for heritage Speakers II ☐ SPAN 41203 Spanish for heritage Speakers III* ☐ SPAN 41303 Survey of Span-Am Lit I ☐ SPAN 41903 Survey of Span-AM lit II ☐ SPAN 42203 Latin Am. Civilization ☐ SPAN 42403 Literature and Culture in the Hispanic United States ☐ SPAN 42503 Latin American Cinema and Society ☐ SPAN 44403 Decolonial Latin America/Latinoamérica decolonial* ☐ SPAN 45503 Latin America Today* ☐ SPAN 45603 Latino Youth Biliteracy Service Learning Project*	• PORT 3103 Intro to Luso-Afro-Brazilian Literature • HIST 4173 The Latin American City • PLSC 3593 Politics of Mexico • PLSC 4873 Inter-Am Politics
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LALS Residency Rule 0 Additional Hours	Of courses taken for the above requirements students must complete 3 hours of courses with the LALS 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.