The major in American studies examines the many cultures of the United States from an interdisciplinary or multidisciplinary point of view. The program is developed by student and adviser around relevant courses in American studies and other disciplines to combine reading, library research, and fieldwork. Independent study on special projects is encouraged. Each student should select one of the following areas of concentration:

- Literature, fine arts, and history
- Science and technology
- Popular culture and the media
- Folklore and folklife

The major requires 30 credits beyond prerequisite courses:

1. Prerequisites:
   - 21&62:352:223,224 Survey of American Literature
   - 21&62:512:201,202 Development of the United States

2. 6 credits to include:
   - 21&62:050:300 Introduction to American Studies or 21&62:050:301 Documentation and Research in American Studies; and
   - 21&62:050:488,489 Topics in American Studies

3. 6 additional credits in American Studies 050

4. 6 additional credits in American Literature 352 or American History 512

5. 12 credits in other departments in related courses approved by American studies advisers. These courses are to be selected to support the area of concentration.

Students interested in a dual major-American studies and another discipline-or an American studies minor should contact an American studies adviser.
Art (Art 080, B.F.A. Visual Arts 081, Art History 082, Arts Management 084)

Biological Sciences

Central and Eastern European Studies (Cees) 149

Chemistry 160

Clinical Laboratory Sciences 191

Computer Science 198

Criminal Justice 202

Earth and Environmental Sciences

Economics 220

Education 240-310

English

Environmental Sciences 375

French 420

Geoscience Engineering 465

German 470

Greek 490

Hebraic Studies 500

History (History 510, American 512)

Honors 525

Human-Computer Interaction 531

International Affairs

Italian 560

Journalism and Media Studies 570

Korean 574

Latin 580

Legal Studies

Linguistics 615

Mathematics (Mathematics 640, Statistics 960)

Medical Technology 660

Microbiology

Music (Music 700, Music Performance 701)

Philosophy 730

Physics 750
Political Science 790
Portuguese and Lusophone World Studies 810
Psychology 830
Puerto Rican Studies 836
Religious Studies 840
Science, Technology, and Society 880
Slavic 861
Social Work 910
Sociology 920
Spanish 940
Speech 950
Television
Theater Arts, Television and Media Arts (Theater Arts 965, Speech 950)
Urban Studies 975
Women's Studies 988
Administration and Faculty
Consortium With New Jersey Institute of Technology
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