



DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL & SOCIAL SCIENCES

SOCIAL JUSTICE STUDIES FOR TRANSFER

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE

The **Associate in Arts in Social Justice Studies for Transfer (AA-T) Degree** is intended to meet the lower division requirements for various social science majors (or similar majors) at a CSU campus that offers a Social Justice baccalaureate degree. The Social Justice Studies degree is an interdisciplinary degree that engages students in examining identity issues such as gender, race, class, ethnicity, and nationality as they intersect with the social justice issues of racism, sexism, classism, terrorism and other oppressive structures within society. This degree is designed to appeal to students interested in learning about the experiences of marginalized groups, as well as those going into majors such as sociology, history, political science, women's studies, and race and ethnic studies. In addition to the courses listed below, the following additional requirements must be met for completion of the Associate in Arts in Social Justice Studies for Transfer Degree:

1. Completion of a minimum of 60 CSU-transferable semester units.
2. Achievement of a minimum GPA of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework (some majors may require a higher GPA; students should consult with a counselor for more information).
3. Completion of the major with a grade of "C" or better in each course or a "P" if the course was taken on a Pass/No Pass basis and the "P" is equal to a "C" or better.
4. Certified completion of the California State University General Education-Breadth (CSU GE) pattern; OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern.

Required Courses		Units	N	IP	C
SOC 102	Major Social Problems	3			
SOC 116	Power, Oppression, and Privilege: Race and Ethnic Relations	3			
or EGSS 110	Introduction to Ethnic Studies				
SOC 120	She, He, They: Intersections of Gender	3			
or EGSS 120	Introduction to Women's Studies				
or EGSS 130	Introduction to LGBTQ+ Studies				
Choose 1 course from the following list:					
HIST 122	History of Mexico	3			
HIST 158	US Comparative History of American Indians and Black Americans	3			
HIST 170	Women in American History	3			
Choose 1 course from the following list:					
CHST 146	The Mexican American in History of the United States	3			
LIT 117/H	Mexican Literature in Translation / *Honors	3			
LIT 130/H	*Women and Literature / *Honors	3			
LIT 149/H	Introduction to Chicana/o/x Literature/ *Honors	3			
Choose 1 course from the following list:					
ANTH 110	Gender and Sexuality	3			
CHST 101	Introduction to Chicana/o/x Studies	3			
CHST 148/H	La Chicana: Mexican-American Women in Contemp. Society/*Honors	3			
CHST 150	Chicana/o/x Politics	3			
HIST 156	Black American Experience to 1865	3			
HIST 157	Black American Experience since 1865	3			
HIST 159/H	US Comparative History of Mexican and Asian Americans and Women/*Honors	3			
HUM 130	Contemporary Mexican-American Culture	3			
PHIL 101/H	Introduction to Philosophy/*Honors	3			
PHIL 135	Philosophy of Social Justice	3			
POLS 150	Latinx Politics	3			
SOC 105	Introduction to Human Sexuality	3			
SOC 110	Human Sexuality from a Cross-Cultural Perspective	3			
Required Subtotal		18			

CSU GE or IGETC Pattern	varies			
Transferable Electives	as needed to reach 60 transferable units			
Total units needed for Associate of Science	60			
*Prerequisite				

NOTE: Students are advised to check with the Counseling Department or Transfer Center for the courses accepted into the Social Justice Studies major at the CSU where they seek transfer.