

Hutchins School of Liberal Studies

List of Concentrations

Choose one Area of Concentration. The Concentration must include a minimum of 12 units. At least 3 units must be taken at SSU. The courses below are suggested courses. There may be other appropriate courses.

All substitutions must be approved by the Track II Advisor or Director of the Hutchins School on a case by case basis. A minor or second major in a related area may substitute for a Concentration.

Human Development:

LIBS 330: The Child in Question (3 units) or EDEC 420: Child Development in Family, School and Society

Choice of Courses from the Following (3-4 units each):

ANTH 200: Intro to Linguistic Anthro. OR ENGL 203: Intro Linguistics Studies

ANTH 201: Intro Biological Anthropology PSY 303: The Person in Society

ANTH 203: Intro Cultural Anthropology PSY 325: Social Psychology

ANTH 318: Hum. Dev. Sex & Life Cycle OR NURS 480: Health, Sexuality & Society

ANTH 340: Living in our Globalized World SOCI 263: Sociology of Race and Ethnicity

CALS 403: Chicano/Latino Youth SOCI 326: Social Psychology

CALS 405: Chicano/Latino Family WGS 280: Women's Bodies Health & Image

EDSP 432: Young Child. w/ Special Needs WGS 285: Men and Masculinity

GEP 371: Social Geography WGS 350: Gender, Sexuality & Family

PSY 302: Lifespan Development WGS 375: Gender, Race and Class

Mathematics:

MATH 300A: Elementary Number Systems

MATH 300B: Data, Chance & Algebra

Choice of Two Additional Courses from the Following (3-4 units each):

MATH 103: Ethno Mathematics MATH 105: Math and Politics

MATH 160: Pre-Calculus Mathematics MATH 161: Differential/ Integral Calculus

MATH 200: Discrete Mathematics MATH 310: History of Mathematics

MATH 306: Number Theory MATH 316: Graph Theory

Modern Languages:

Student must complete 12 units of language skills coursework in one language. American Sign Language units may be combined with units in one other language to reach 12 units.

Physical Sciences:

CHEM 102 or 110 (3 units) or PHYS 100 (3 units)

GEOL 107: Intro to Earth Sciences (3 units) or GEP 201 (4 Units)

Choice of Two Additional Courses from the Following (3-4 units each):

ASTR 100: Descriptive Astronomy GEOL 107: Intro to Earth Science

ASTR 350: Cosmology GEOL 110: Natural Disasters

CHEM 102: Chemistry and Society GEOL 301: Natural History of the Hawaiian Islands

CHEM 110: Intro General Chemistry PHYS 300: Physics of Music

GEOL 102: Our Dynamic Earth PHYS 342: Light and Color

GEOL 105: Age of Dinosaurs PHYS 100: Descriptive Physics

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Reading and Literature:

LIBS 327: Literacy, Language, and Pedagogy (3 units) or ENG 379: Pedagogical Grammatical (4 units)

Choice of Courses from the Following (3-4 units each):

AMCS 360: Ethnic Literature ENGL 314: Modern World Literature

AMCS 460: Multi-Ethnic Children's Lit ENGL 342: Children's Literature

CALS 314: Literature in Translation ENGL 343: Youth and Literature

CALS 374: Chicano/Latino Literature ENGL 345: Women Writers

CALS 474: Authors Chicano/Latino Lit FL 214: World Literatures in English

ENGL 214: Literature of the World FL 314: World Literatures in English Translation

ENGL 315: California Ethnic Literature NAMS 354: Native American Literature

Social Sciences:

LIBS 205 OR 304: We Hold These Truths - topic varies (3-4 units)

LIBS 208: The Practice of Culture – topic varies (4 Units)

Choice of Two Additional Courses from the Following (3-4 units each):

ANTH 203: Intro to Cultural Anthropology HIST 446: Women in American History
ANTH 341: Emergence of Civilization OR HIST 201: Foundations of World Civilization
GEP 205: World Regional Geography OR GEP 305: World Regions in Global Context
GEP 203: Human Geography HIST 468: Blacks in American History
GEP 330: Environmental History POLS 201: Ideas and Institutions
HIST 202: Development of Modern World POLS 312: American Political Thought
HIST 380: 20th Century World POLS 315: Democracy, Capitalism, Socialism
WGS 305: LGBTQ US History

Art, Theatre, Music and Dance:

Choice of Courses in Art, Music, Theater & Dance (12 Units Minimum)

AMCS 392: Ethnic Images Film/Media or LIBS 204: Minorities Amer. Cinema or LIBS 209: Bollywood
ARTH 210 and/or 211: Intro to Art History* (3-4) or other approved Art History Courses* - up to 8 units
LIBS 320C: Elective in Core C with emphasis on drama or visual art history
LIBS/THAR 392: Performing Arts for Children**
MUS 101: Intro to Music** or MUS 105: Music Theory for Non Majors**
MUS 150: Survey U.S. Mus** or MUS 350: Survey World Mus** or MUS 250: Survey of Euro. Mus**
MUS 201: Music in Action** or THAR 300: Theatre in Action**
MUS 323 – 390: Performance Courses (1-2 units) up to 6 units
MUS 370: Music and Dance in the World's Religions**
THAR 101: Making Theatre **
THAR 110: Dance Fundamentals (1 unit) may be taken 5 times
THAR 115: Dance Styles (1 unit) may be taken 5 times
THAR 202 or 203: Intro to the History of Drama and Dance (4 units) **
THAR 373: Dances of the World**
THAR 374: Theatre of the World**

*Fulfills Track II Visual Art History Major Requirement (not required if LIBS 101-202 completed)

** Fulfills Track II Performing Arts Major Requirement