How to Choose Your General Education (GE) Courses

Focus Area
Race, Class, & Gender
Coursework in social identity, power dynamics, and social justice

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Writing and Communication II*:

- AfAmSt 2367.04 – Black Women Writers: Text and Context
- CompStds 2367.02 – U.S. Latino Identity
- CompStds 2367.08(H) – American Identity in the World
- English 2367.01(H) – Language, Identity and Culture in the U.S. Experience
- WGSS 2367.01 – U.S. Women Writers: Text and Context
- WGSS 2367.02 – U.S. Latina Writers: Text and Context

Social Science:

- CRPlan 3500 – The Socially Just City
- Econ 3048 – Ethics and Social Responsibility in Economic Life
- Ling 3602(H) – Language and Social Identity in the U.S.
- Sociol 2320 – Sociology of Education
- Sociol 2380 – Racial and Ethnic Relations in America
- Sociol 2345(H) – The Social Structure of American Society
- Sociol 3463(H) – Social Stratification: Race, Class, and Gender
- SocWork 1120 – Introduction to Social Welfare
- SocWork 1130(H) – Introduction to Social Work in Contemporary Society
- WGSS 1110(H) – Gender, Sex, and Power

Literature:

- CompStd 2105 – Literature and Ethnicity
- CompStd 3604(H) – Women in East Asian and Asian American Literature
- WGGSt 2215 – Reading Women Writers

Visual & Performing Arts:

- ArtEduc 2367.01(H) – Visual Culture: Investigating Diversity & Social Justice
- Slavic 3360 – Screening Minorities: Representations of the Other in Slavic Film
- WGSS 2230 – Gender, Sexuality and Race in Popular Culture

Cultures & Ideas:

- CompStd 2321 – Introduction to Asian American Studies
- CompStd 2322 – Introduction to Latino Studies
- English 2277 – Introduction to Disability Studies
- English/WGGSt 2282 – Introduction to Queer Studies

Historical Study:

- AfAmSt 3083 – Civil Rights and Black Power Movements
- Econ 4100 – Evolution of Economic Thought
- History 2070 – Native American History

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History 2075 – U.S. Latino/a History
History 2080 – African American History to 1877
History 2120 – Revolutions and Social Movements in Modern Latin America
History 2620 – Women Changing the World: Histories of Activism and Struggle
History 2752 – Social Reform Movements in U.S. History
History 3090 – Comparative Slavery
History 3352 – Marginal Groups in the Non-Western World
WGSS 2750(H) – Natives and Newcomers: Immigration and Migration in U.S. History

Open Option:

Anthrop 4597.02 – Women, Culture, and Development
English 4597.01 – The Disability Experience in the Contemporary World
ESHESA 2577 – Crossing Boundaries: A Journey Towards Intercultural Leadership Identity Development
SocWork 1140 – Minority Perspectives: Race, Ethnicity and Gender

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