

# Make an IMPACT with a minor in Africana and African American Studies

Africana & African American Studies' Value = LIMITLESS
View complex situations from multiple perspectives
Gain a deeper understanding of the GLOBAL HUMAN EXPERIENCE



	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR+
Your Courses	Take the Introduction to <b>Africana Studies core course, AFAM 1113</b>	Choose among our 2000 level courses: AFAM 2223 Movements of the Black Diaspora; AFAM 2423 Black Popular Culture ; AFAM 2523 Black Political Thought	Choose from 3000 level courses: AFAM 3343 Black Psychology ; AFAM 3753 African American Arts and Culture, AFAM 3950 Special Topics	Choose from 4000 level courses such as <b>AFAM 4980: Research in Africana Studies.</b> Complete the required 15 hours from the 2, 3, or 4000 level options.
Your Experience	Experience an interactive, multi- format, discussion-based course. Engage in new ways of thinking about the world from varied Black and African perspectives.	Consider Study Abroad opportunities in and outside the U.S. Take advantage of local out-of-classroom learning opportunities offered in your courses.	<b>Develop your brand</b> - Work on your undergraduate portfolio; polish and update your resume; secure business cards and/or a website as appropriate.	Present at OSU's Undergraduate Research Symposium, at regional academic or leadership conferences, and at Africana programming events.
Your Community	Visit the Center for Africana Studies. Learn about Africana as a field of study; meet the student community; experience the wide variety of events.	Get to know Africana faculty, graduate students and advanced undergrads. All can serve as sources of information. <i>Advanced students serve as mentors.</i>	Get to know the faculty you will ask for letters of recommendation. <i>Apply to work as a Student Ambassador</i> for the Center for Africana Studies (CfAS).	<b>Complete research</b> and applied experiences that incorporate your work in Africana with your major degree.
Your Career Readiness	Meet with your advisor and the Center's Program Coordinator. Learn about the Minor and how it connects you to your career goals.	Explore internships and other off- campus learning opportunities. Meet with career services and the CfAS Admin for advice on how to map your path.	Attend a conference. Update your resume; prepare for graduate exams or other post-graduate training. Consult with Africana faculty about options.	Attend career fairs; meet with career services. Request references or letters of recommendation from Africana faculty.
		The minor offers breadth, adapta options from across OSU.	bility, and utility across majors an	d colleges. Add it to degree

#### YOU WILL LEARN

to view complex situations from multiple perspectives; to synthesize known information and hypothesize the unknown; about the breadth and variety of Black, African-American, and African global contributions to the ancient, modern and future world

### WHAT IS NEXT

## Work in fields like: Education, Health,

Law, Business, Computer Science, Urban Planning, Management, And more!

#### **Advanced Degrees**

in: Law, Public Policy, Journalism, Media, Education, Psychology.



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