LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (B.A.)

Required course work includes the university requirements (see regulation J-3 (https://catalog.uidaho.edu/general-requirements-academic-procedures/j-general-requirements-baccalaureate-degrees/)), the general requirements for the B.A. degree, including Spanish for the foreign language requirement, and:

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Select 27 credits of the following courses:  

- ANTH 102 Cultural Anthropology
- ANTH 462 Human Issues in International Development
- ECON 447 International Development Economics
- HIST 315 Comparative African-American Cultures
- HIST 440 Social Revolution in Latin America
- HIST 441 Slavery and Freedom in the Americas
- IS 320 Model United Nations
- IS 321 UN and Related Agencies
- POLS 449 World Politics and War
- POLS 480 Politics of Development
- SPAN 402 Readings: Spanish American Literature
- SPAN 404 Special Topics
- SPAN 409 Modern Latin American Society
- SPAN 413 Spanish American Short Fiction
- SPAN 419 Latin America Theatre Through Literature
- SPAN 421 Bilingual and Bicultural Identities
- SPAN 422 Mexican Culture through Cinema
- SPAN 424 Human Rights and Hispanic Cinema

Additionally, all students must take Avant’s STAMP (STAndards-based Measurement of Proficiency) exit exam before applying for graduation.

Total Hours 36

Courses to total 120 credits for this degree

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Students may also take the optional courses listed above, at least six of which must be Spanish credits.

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Students who elect to take ECON 447 International Development Economics are strongly urged to take HIST 101 World History I/HIST 102 World History II (History of Civilization) in their freshman year.

The degree map is a guide for the timely completion of your curricular requirements. Your academic advisor or department may be contacted for assistance in interpreting this map. This map is not reflective of your academic history or transcript and it is not official notification of completion of degree or certificate requirements. Please contact the Registrar’s Office regarding your official degree/certificate completion status.

1. Communicative Proficiency: Students will demonstrate foreign language proficiency in writing, speaking, listening, and reading.
Aligns with University Learning Outcome(s): Learn and Integrate; Think and Create; Communicate.

2. Cultural Understanding and Acquisition of Knowledge: Students will explain the inter-connectedness between language, culture, history, and peoples in Latin America. Aligns with University Learning Outcome(s): Learn and Integrate; Think and Create; Communicate; Clarify Purpose and Perspective.

3. Analytical Ability: Students will compare different Latin American cultures and evaluate the ways these cultures are similar or different from their own. Aligns with University Learning Outcome(s): Learn and Integrate; Think and Create; Communicate; Clarify Purpose and Perspective; Practice Citizenship.