

LIBERAL ARTS:

Latin American Studies

Career Studies Certificate

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Purpose: The program is specifically designed for both degree seeking and non-degree seeking students who are interested in reviewing or developing an in-depth understanding and appreciation of Latin American culture, history, and language. Other students will be able to enhance their employability in careers such as teaching or social service occupations.

Two Years		Credits
1st Semester		
HIS	231 History of Latin American Civilizations I	3
¹ SPA	102 Beginning Spanish II	<u>5</u>
Total		8
2nd Semester		
² ENG	252 Survey of World Literature II (Focus on Latin America)	3
HIS	232 History of Latin American Civilizations II	<u>3</u>
Total		6
3rd Semester		
³ ____	Elective	3
SPA	201 Intermediate Spanish I	<u>3</u>
Total		6
4th Semester		
SPA	202 Intermediate Spanish II	<u>3</u>
Total		3

Total credits for the Latin American Career Studies Certificate = 23

All first-time students must take a one-credit Student Development (SDV) course prior to enrolling in their 16th credit at NOVA.

¹ Prerequisite for this course is SPA 101 or proficiency equivalent.

² Prerequisites for this course are ENG 111 and 112.

³ Elective may be selected from the following: ECO 210, International Economics; PSY 119, Cross-Cultural Psychology; CST 229, Intercultural Communication; HIS 125, History of the American Indian; PLS 241-242, International Relations I-II; SOC 255, Comparative Sociology; and GEO 220, World Regional Geography.