The African Studies minor allows students to augment their major with a concentrated study of Africa and its issues. It is primarily designed for students who plan to live and work in Africa or who are interested in government and public services careers involving African affairs.

**Preparation Course Requirements (2 lower division courses)**

- **Preparation Courses (2 courses):**
  
  Two courses from the following list:

  African Languages 1A, 7A, 11A, 31A, 41A, 61A • Afrikaans 40 • Art History 55A • Ethnomusicology 20B • History M10A, 10B (or 10BH or 10BW), 97J • Honors Collegium 10, 24

**Upper Division Course Requirements (5 upper division courses)**

5 Upper Division Courses with an African Focus:

- Five Upper Division Courses (selected from the list on the back of this sheet)

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**Admission to the Minor:**

To be admitted to the African Studies minor, students must be in good academic standing (minimum 2.00 UC GPA overall), and have completed all preparation for the minor courses with a minimum GPA of 2.00 in these courses.

After satisfying the preparation requirements, students may declare the African Studies minor upon consultation with the African Studies Academic Counselor.

Please note the following restrictions:

- All courses for the minor (including preparation for the minor courses) must be taken for a letter grade.
- The minimum GPA for preparation courses for the minor is 2.00. The minimum GPA for upper division courses for the minor is 2.00.
- No more than two Upper Division courses may be applied toward both this minor and the student’s major or another minor.
Upper Division Courses for the African Studies minor:

- African Languages 150A. African Languages
- African Languages 150B. African Literature
- African Languages 170. South African Literatures and Cinema
- African Languages 171. Language in South Africa. Histories, Cultures, Politics
- African Languages 172. Languages and Cultures of Nigeria
- African Languages M187. Survey of African Languages
- Afrikaans 135. Introduction to Afrikaans Literature
- Ancient Near East 130. Ancient Egyptian Religion
- Ancient Near East 150B. Survey of Ancient Near Eastern Literature in Egypt
- Ancient Near East 165. Egyptian Archaeology
- Anthropology 171. Sub-Saharan Africa
- Anthropology M171P. Culture Area of Maghreb (North Africa)
- Art History M101A. Egyptian Art & Archaeology
- Art History M101B. Egyptian Art & Archaeology
- Art History 118C. Arts of Sub-Saharan Africa
- Art History C119C. Contemporary Arts of Africa
- Art History C119D. Architecture & Urbanism in Africa
- Art History 119E. African Civilizations
- Ethnomusicology C136A. Music of Africa
- Ethnomusicology C136B. Music of Africa
- French 121. Francophone Literatures and Cultures
- Geography 122. Wildlife Conservation in Eastern Africa
- Geography 135. African Ecology & Development
- History M103A. Ancient Egyptian Civilization
- History M103B. Ancient Egyptian Civilization
- History 108A. History of North Africa from Islamic Conquest
- History M164A. Prehistoric Africa-Technological & Cultural Traditions
- History 164B. Africa & the Slave Trade
- History 164C. Africa in the Age of Imperialism
- History 164D. Topics in African History. Africa & the Diaspora in Global & Comparative Perspective
- History 164E. Africa from 1945 to the Present
- History 166A. West Africa from Earliest Times to 1800
- History 166B. West Africa since 1800
- History 166C. Social & Economic History of West Africa Since 1600
- History 167A. History of Northeast Africa
- History 167B. History of East Africa
- History 167C. History of Central Africa
- History 168A. History of Southern Africa-Origins to 1870
- History 168B. History of Southern Africa Since 1870
- History 191J. Undergraduate Seminar. Africa
- Honors Collegium 123. War & Peace in Africa
- Political Science 133. International Relations Sub-Saharan Africa
- Poli Sci 151A. Government & Politics of Africa
- Political Science 151B. Political Economy of Africa
- Political Science 151C. Special Topics in African Politics
- World Arts & Cultures 134. Oral Traditions in Africa
- World Arts & Cultures C139. Afro-Caribbean Ritual Arts. Vodou & Santeria

Course descriptions are available from the African Studies website: [http://www.international.ucla.edu/idps/africanstudies/minor.asp](http://www.international.ucla.edu/idps/africanstudies/minor.asp)

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