African Studies

This section presents the requirements for programs in:

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- M.A. Music and Culture with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies
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Program Requirements

M.A. Anthropology with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)

Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits):
1. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 5000 [0.5]  African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
2. 0.0 credit in:
   AFRI 5800 [0.0]  Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
3. 0.5 credit in:
   ANTH 5401 [0.5]  Theory in Anthropology
4. 0.5 credit in:
   ANTH 5402 [0.5]  Research in Anthropology
5. 1.5 credits in electives (see Note, below) 1.5
6. 2.0 credits in:
   ANTH 5909 [2.0]  M.A. Thesis

Total Credits 5.0

Requirements - Research Essay pathway (5.0 credits)
1. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 5000 [0.5]  African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
2. 0.0 credit in:
   AFRI 5800 [0.0]  Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
3. 0.5 credit in:
   ANTH 5401 [0.5]  Theory in Anthropology
4. 0.5 credit in:
   ANTH 5402 [0.5]  Research in Anthropology
5. 2.5 credits in electives (see Note, below) 2.5
6. 1.0 credit in:
   ANTH 5908 [1.0]  M.A. Research Essay

Total Credits 5.0

Requirements - Coursework pathway (5.0 credits)
1. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 5000 [0.5]  African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
2. 0.0 credit in:
   AFRI 5800 [0.0]  Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
3. 0.5 credit in:
   ANTH 5401 [0.5]  Theory in Anthropology
   (Normally to be taken in the first fall term after admission to the program.)
4. 0.5 credit in:
   ANTH 5402 [0.5]  Research in Anthropology
5. 0.5 credit from:
   ANTH 5109 [0.5]  Ethnography of Gender
   ANTH 5209 [0.5]  Special Topics in Ethnography of Contemporary Africa
   ANTH 5809 [0.5]  Special Topics in the Anthropology of Development
   SOCI 5404 [0.5]  Race, Ethnicity and Class in Contemporary Societies

Total Credits 5.0
- or an approved course in ANTH or SOCI approved by the Graduate Coordinator of the Institute of African Studies

6. **3.0 credits in electives, including 0.5 credit in a course designated as having sufficient African Studies content**

| Total Credits | 5.0 |

### M.A. Applied Linguistics and Discourse Studies with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)

**Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)**

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **1.0 credit in:**
   - ALDS 5001 [0.5] Directions in Applied Linguistics and Discourse Studies
   - ALDS 5002 [0.5] Inquiry Strategies in Applied Linguistics and Discourse Studies

4. **1.5 credits from any 5000-level ALDS course (in consultation with their advisor, students may take up to 1.0 credit in graduate courses from other programs at Carleton University or the University of Ottawa; up to 1.0 credit can be taken at the 4000 level; up to 1.5 credits can be taken in piggybacked courses)**

5. **2.0 credits in:**
   - ALDS 5909 [2.0] M.A. Thesis

| Total Credits | 5.0 |

**Requirements - Research Essay pathway (5.0 credits)**

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **1.0 credit in:**
   - COMS 5101 [1.0] Foundations of Communication Studies

4. **0.5 credit in:**
   - COMS 5605 [0.5] Approaches to Communication Research

5. **1.0 credit in:**
   - COMS 5908 [1.0] Research Essay

| Total Credits | 5.0 |

### Master of Business Administration with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (8.5 credits)

**Requirements:**

1. **0.75 credit in:**
   - IBUS 5712 [0.25] Business and Government in Emerging Economies

| Total Credits | 5.0 |

### M.A. Communication with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)

**Requirements - Research Essay pathway (5.0 credits)**

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

| Total Credits | 5.0 |

**Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)**

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

| Total Credits | 5.0 |

1. Students with less than two (2) years of professional employment experience must successfully complete BUSI 5999 [1.0] Internship in order to graduate. Students with two or more years work experience may apply for an exemption.

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### M.A. Economics

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### M.A. English

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### M.A. Film Studies

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#### Requirements - Thesis Stream (4.0 credits)

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**Total Credits:** 4.0

**Requirements - Research Essay Stream (4.0 credits)**

1. 0.5 credit in: AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
2. 0.0 credit in: AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
3. 1.0 credit in: FILM 5010 [0.5] Film Theory, History, and Critical Methodologies I
4. 1.0 credit in: FILM 5020 [0.5] Film Theory, History, and Critical Methodologies II
5. 1.5 credits in Film Studies graduate course work, excluding FILM 5801
6. In addition to the formal requirements, MA students are required to attend the Departmental Seminar series, and the Graduate Field Camp.

**Total Credits:** 4.0

**Requirements - Coursework Stream (4.0 credits)**

1. 0.5 credit in: AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
2. 0.0 credit in: AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
3. 0.5 credit in: HIST 5003 [0.5] Historical Theory and Method
4. 2.0 credits in: HIST at the graduate level at Carleton; up to 1.0 credit may be taken in designated public history courses. With departmental permission, up to 0.5 credit of courses with historical content may be taken from another unit at Carleton University, at the University of Ottawa, or at another accredited institution.
5. 0.5 credit in: HIST 5900 [0.5] Directed Research
6. 1.0 credit in: HIST 5908 [1.0] M.A. Research Essay (in the specialization)

**Total Credits:** 4.0

**Requirements - Thesis pathway (4.5 credits)**

1. 0.5 credit in: AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
2. 0.0 credit in: AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
3. 0.5 credit in: HIST 5003 [0.5] Historical Theory and Method
4. 2.0 credits in: HIST at the graduate level at Carleton; up to 1.0 credit may be taken in designated public history courses. With departmental permission, up to 0.5 credit of courses with historical content may be taken from another unit at Carleton University, at the University of Ottawa, or at another accredited institution.
5. 0.5 credit in: HIST 5900 [0.5] Directed Research
6. 1.0 credit in: HIST 5908 [1.0] M.A. Research Essay (in the specialization)

**Total Credits:** 4.5
3. 0.5 credit in:
   - HIST 5003 [0.5] Historical Theory and Method

4. 1.5 credits in HIST at the graduate level at Carleton; up to 1.0 credit may be taken in designated public history courses. With departmental permission, up to 0.5 credit of courses with historical content may be taken from another unit at Carleton University, at the University of Ottawa, or at another accredited institution.

5. 2.0 credits in:
   - HIST 5909 [2.0] M.A. Thesis (in the specialization)

Total Credits
4.5

**M.A. International Affairs with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)**

Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

2. 1.5 credit in:
   - INAF 5015 [0.5] Research Design and Methods for International Affairs
   - INAF 5016 [0.5] Statistical Analysis for International Affairs
   - INAF 5017 [0.25] International Policymaking in Canada: Structure and Process
   - INAF 5018 [0.25] Law and International Affairs

3. 0.5 credit in economics, successfully completed by the end of the second term, from:
   - INAF 5009 [0.5] International Aspects of Economic Development
   - INAF 5205 [0.5] Economics of Conflict
   - INAF 5214 [0.5] Economics for Defence and Security
   - INAF 5308 [0.5] International Trade: Theory and Policy
   - INAF 5309 [0.5] International Finance: Theory and Policy
   - INAF 5600 [0.5] The Economics of Human Development
   - INAF 5703 [0.5] International Public Economics

4. 1.0 credit in:
   - INAF 5908 [1.0] Research Essay (in the specialization)

5. 1.5 credits in Field and Elective courses (See Note 2, below)

6. Successful completion of second language proficiency examination (see Note 3, below)

Total Credits
5.0

Requirements - Coursework pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

2. 1.0 credit in:
   - INAF 5016 [0.5] Statistical Analysis for International Affairs
   - INAF 5017 [0.25] International Policymaking in Canada: Structure and Process
   - INAF 5018 [0.25] Law and International Affairs
   - INAF 5019 [0.5] International Aspects of Economic Development
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   - INAF 5214 [0.5] Economics for Defence and Security
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3. 0.5 credit in economics, successfully completed by the end of the second term, from:
   - INAF 5009 [0.5] International Aspects of Economic Development
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   - INAF 5309 [0.5] International Finance: Theory and Policy
   - INAF 5600 [0.5] The Economics of Human Development
   - INAF 5703 [0.5] International Public Economics

4. 2.0 credits in:
   - INAF 5909 [2.0] M.A. Thesis (in the specialization)

5. 0.5 credit in Field and Elective courses (See Note 2, below)

6. Successful completion of second language proficiency examination (see Note 3, below)

Total Credits
5.0

Requirements - Research essay pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

2. 1.5 credit in:
   - INAF 5015 [0.5] Research Design and Methods for International Affairs
4. **1.0 credit in** courses accepted by the Institute of African Studies Graduate Coordinator as having sufficient African content and accepted by the NPSIA M.A. Program Supervisor or Associate Director as being relevant to the student's program of study. These courses would normally be drawn from the social science courses listed under the collaborative program. In years that it is offered, it is strongly suggested that NPSIA students include INAF 5603.

5. **2.0 credits in** Field and Elective courses (See Note 2, below)

6. Successful completion of second language proficiency examination (see Note 3, below)

**Total Credits**

1. All students must complete the 0.5 credit economics course for their designated field, or an approved alternate economics course. For students in the IEP field both INAF 5308 and INAF 5309, or approved equivalent, must be completed.

2. For elective courses, 1.5 credits of the total required 5.0 credits may be selected from courses offered in other departments, with a maximum of 1.0 credit from a single department and a maximum of 1.0 credit selected from fourth year undergraduate courses. Any course not identified as an INAF 5000-level course must be approved by the M.A. Program Supervisor.

3. Students must successfully complete an examination in second language proficiency administered by Carleton University’s School of Linguistics and Language Studies, or meet the equivalent standard as determined by the School of Linguistics and Language Studies. Details of the language requirement are provided on the School website.

**M. Journalism with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (8.0 credits)**

**M. Journalism with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (Professional Practice pathway)**

**First Year requirements:**

Students must complete the following courses before proceeding to the second year of study:

1. **0.5 credit in:**

   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**

   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **4.5 credits in:**

   - JOUR 5000 [0.5] Introduction to Investigative Journalism
   - JOUR 5002 [0.5] Broadcast Journalism Laboratory
   - JOUR 5200 [1.0] Introduction to Reporting
   - JOUR 5202 [1.0] Broadcast Journalism Laboratory
   - JOUR 5206 [0.5] In-Depth Reporting Seminar

4. **0.5 credit in** approved In-Depth Reporting Seminar

**Second Year requirements:**

5. **1.0 credit in:**

   - JOUR 5908 [1.0] M. Journalism Research Project (in the specialization)

6. **0.5 credit in:**

   - JOUR 5001 [0.5] Entrepreneurial Journalism

7. **0.5 credit from:**

   - JOUR 5003 [0.5] Advanced Journalism: Multimedia
   - JOUR 5004 [0.5] Advanced Journalism: Audio
   - JOUR 5005 [0.5] Advanced Journalism: Video

8. **0.5 credit from:**

   - JOUR 5300 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Special Topic
   - JOUR 5301 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Business and the Markets
   - JOUR 5302 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Business and Canadian Society
   - JOUR 5303 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Health and Science
   - JOUR 5304 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Environment and Science
   - JOUR 5306 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Canada and the World
   - JOUR 5308 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Sports and Sport Culture
   - JOUR 5309 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Arts and Culture
   - JOUR 5310 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Justice and the Law
   - JOUR 5311 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Justice and The Supreme Court
   - JOUR 5315 [0.5] Specialized Journalism: Canada and the U.S.

Note: As a condition of graduation, students normally are required to acquire a minimum of eight weeks practical experience in the media. For qualified applicants, the program may deem the requirement to have been met.

**Total Credits**

8.0

**M. Journalism with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (Journalism Studies pathway)**

**First Year requirements:**

Students must complete the following courses before proceeding to the second year of study:

1. **0.5 credit in:**

   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**

   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **4.5 credits in:**

   - JOUR 5000 [0.5] Introduction to Investigative Journalism
   - JOUR 5002 [0.5] Broadcast Journalism Laboratory
   - JOUR 5200 [1.0] Introduction to Reporting
   - JOUR 5202 [1.0] Broadcast Journalism Laboratory
   - JOUR 5206 [0.5] In-Depth Reporting Seminar

4. **1.0 credits in** electives related to the study of the media, chosen in consultation with the Supervisor of Graduate Studies
5. 2.0 credits in:
   JOUR 5909 [2.0] M. Journalism Thesis (in the specialization)

Total Credits 8.0

M. Journalism with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies
(Advanced entry - 5.0 credits)

M. Journalism with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (Professional Practice pathway, advanced entry)

Requirements:
1. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
2. 0.0 credit in:
   AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
3. 0.5 credit in:
   JOUR 5000 [0.5] Journalism in a Changing Society

4. 2.0 credits in approved electives related to the study of the media, chosen in consultation with the Supervisor of Graduate Studies

5. 2.0 credits in:
   JOUR 5909 [2.0] M. Journalism Thesis (in the specialization)

Total Credits 5.0

M.A. Legal Studies with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)

Requirements - Thesis pathway

1. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 1.0 credit in:
   LAWS 5000 [0.5] Theories of Law and Social Transformation
   LAWS 5001 [0.5] Legal Method and Social Inquiry

3. 0.0 credit in:
   AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

4. 1.5 credits in LAWS

5. 2.0 credits in:
   LAWS 5909 [2.0] M.A. Thesis (in the specialization, including an oral examination. See Note, below)

Total Credits 5.0

Requirements - Research essay pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 0.0 credit in:
   AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. 1.0 credit in:
   LAWS 5000 [0.5] Theories of Law and Social Transformation
   LAWS 5001 [0.5] Legal Method and Social Inquiry

4. 2.5 credits in LAWS

5. 1.0 credit in:
   LAWS 5908 [1.0] M.A. Research Essay (in the specialization. See Note, below)

Total Credits 5.0

Note: Thesis/Research Essay: The thesis or research essay must represent the result of the candidate's
independent research undertaken after being admitted into graduate studies in the Department of Law and Legal Studies. Previous work of the candidate may be used only as introductory or background material for the thesis or research essay. A student may carry on research work related to the thesis or research essay off campus if the work is approved in advance and supervision arrangements have been made with the supervisor of graduate studies.

M.A. Migration and Diaspora Studies with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)

Requirements - Thesis Pathway:

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 0.0 credit in:
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. 1.0 credit in:
   - MGDS 5001 [0.5] MA Core Seminar: Migration and Diaspora Studies
   - MGDS 5003 [0.5] Research Seminar in Migration and Diaspora Studies

4. 0.5 credit in MGDS at the 5000 level. May not include MGDS 5101.

5. 2.0 credits from Migration and Diaspora Studies electives (see below). Up to 1.0 credit in Migration and Diaspora Studies practicum placements (MGDS 5101) may count toward this requirement.

6. 1.0 credits in course(s) designated as having sufficient African Studies content, approved by both the MDS Program Director and the Director of African Studies.

Total Credits 5.0

Requirements - Research Essay Pathway:

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 0.0 credit in:
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. 1.0 credit in:
   - MGDS 5001 [0.5] MA Core Seminar: Migration and Diaspora Studies
   - MGDS 5003 [0.5] Research Seminar in Migration and Diaspora Studies

4. 0.5 credit in MGDS at the 5000 level. May not include MGDS 5101.

5. 2.0 credits from Migration and Diaspora Studies electives (see below). Up to 1.0 credit in Migration and Diaspora Studies practicum placements (MGDS 5101) may count toward this requirement.

6. 1.0 credits in course(s) designated as having sufficient African Studies content, approved by both the MDS Program Director and the Director of African Studies.

Total Credits 5.0

Requirements - Coursework Pathway

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 0.0 credit in:
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

M.A. Music and Culture with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)

Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 1.5 credits in:
   - MUSI 5000 [0.5] Music and Cultural Theory I: Intellectual Histories
   - MUSI 5002 [0.5] Research Methods in Music and Culture
   - MUSI 5004 [0.5] Music and Cultural Theory II: Current Debates

2. 2.0 credits in additional MUSI course work chosen from available electives

3. 2.0 credits in:
   - MUSI 5909 [2.0] M.A. Thesis

4. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

5. 0.0 credit in:
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

Total Credits 5.0

Requirements - Research essay pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 1.5 credits in:
   - MUSI 5000 [0.5] Music and Cultural Theory I: Intellectual Histories
   - MUSI 5002 [0.5] Research Methods in Music and Culture
   - MUSI 5004 [0.5] Music and Cultural Theory II: Current Debates

2. 2.0 credits in additional MUSI course work chosen from available electives

3. 2.0 credits in:
   - MUSI 5909 [2.0] M.A. Thesis

4. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

5. 0.0 credit in:
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

Total Credits 5.0

Requirements - Coursework Pathway

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 0.0 credit in:
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
### Requirements - Coursework pathway (5.0 credits)

1. **1.5 credits in:**
   - MUSI 5000 [0.5] Music and Cultural Theory I: Intellectual Histories
   - MUSI 5002 [0.5] Research Methods in Music and Culture
   - MUSI 5004 [0.5] Music and Cultural Theory II: Current Debates

2. **2.0 credits in** additional MUSI coursework chosen from available elective courses

3. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

4. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

5. **1.0 credit from:**
   - AFRI 5050 [0.5] Selected Topics in African Studies
   - AFRI 5100 [0.5] African Studies Abroad
   - AFRI 5700 [0.5] Directed Readings in African Studies
   - AFRI 5900 [0.5] Placement
   - ANTH 5109 [0.5] Ethnography of Gender
   - ANTH 5209 [0.5] Special Topics in Ethnography of Contemporary Africa
   - ANTH 5809 [0.5] Special Topics in the Anthropology of Development
   - ENGL 5008 [0.5] Studies in African Literature
   - ENGL 5010 [0.5] Studies in Caribbean Literature
   - FREN 5212 [0.5] Littératures francophones
   - INAF 5603 [0.5] Issues in Development in Africa
   - LAWS 5007 [0.5] Race, Ethnicity and the Law
   - LAWS 5603 [0.5] International Law: Theory and Practice
   - PSCI 5107 [0.5] Globalization, Adjustment and Democracy in Africa
   - PSCI 5203 [0.5] Southern Africa After Apartheid
   - SOCI 5404 [0.5] Race, Ethnicity and Class in Contemporary Societies
   - WGST 5902 [0.5] Advanced Topics in Women’s and Gender Studies II

**Total Credits 5.0**

### Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **1.0 credit in:**
   - PECO 5000 [0.5] Theories of Political Economy
   - PECO 5001 [0.5] Methodologies of Political Economy

4. **2.0 credits in:**
   - PECO 5909 [2.0] M.A. Thesis (in the specialization, including an oral examination in the thesis)

**Total Credits 5.0**

### Requirements - Research essay pathway (5.0 credits)

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **1.0 credit in:**
   - PECO 5000 [0.5] Theories of Political Economy
   - PECO 5001 [0.5] Methodologies of Political Economy

4. **1.0 credit in:**
   - PECO 5908 [1.0] Research Essay (in the specialization)

5. **2.5 credits in** approved graduate level electives (see Selection of Courses, below)

**Total Credits 5.0**

1 Up to one (1.0) credit may be taken at the 4000 (honours undergraduate) level.

### M.A. Political Science with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)

### Requirements - Coursework pathway (5.0 credits)

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **0.5 credit from:**
   - PSCI 5107 [0.5] Globalization, Adjustment and Democracy in Africa
   - PSCI 5203 [0.5] Southern Africa After Apartheid

4. **3.5 credits in** approved courses

**Total Credits 5.0**

### Requirements - Research essay pathway (5.0 credits)

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **0.5 credit from:**
   - PSCI 5107 [0.5] Globalization, Adjustment and Democracy in Africa
   - PSCI 5203 [0.5] Southern Africa After Apartheid

4. **0.5 credit in** course designated as having sufficient African Studies content, approved by both the Graduate Supervisor in Political Science and the Graduate Coordinator of the Institute of African Studies

5. **3.5 credits in** approved courses

**Total Credits 5.0**

### M.A. Political Economy with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)

### Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **0.5 credit from:**
   - PSCI 5107 [0.5] Globalization, Adjustment and Democracy in Africa
   - PSCI 5203 [0.5] Southern Africa After Apartheid

4. **1.0 credit in:**
   - PECO 5908 [1.0] Research Essay (in the specialization)

5. **2.5 credits in** approved graduate level electives (see Selection of Courses, below)

**Total Credits 5.0**

### Requirements - Research essay pathway (5.0 credits)

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **1.0 credit in:**
   - PECO 5000 [0.5] Theories of Political Economy
   - PECO 5001 [0.5] Methodologies of Political Economy

4. **1.0 credit in:**
   - PECO 5908 [1.0] Research Essay (in the specialization)

5. **2.5 credits in** approved graduate level electives (see Selection of Courses, below)

**Total Credits 5.0**
4. 0.5 credit in course designated as having sufficient African Studies content, approved by both the Graduate Supervisor in Political Science and the Graduate Coordinator of the Institute of African Studies

5. 1.0 credit in:
   - PSCI 5908 [1.0] M.A. Research Essay (in the specialization)

6. 2.5 credits in approved courses 2.5

Total Credits 5.0

Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 0.0 credit in:
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

6. An oral examination on the candidate's research essay and program.

Total Credits 5.0

M.A. Sociology

Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 1.0 credit in:
   - SOCI 5005 [0.5] Recurring Debates in Social Thought
   - SOCI 5809 [0.5] The Logic of the Research Process

2. 2.5 credits in courses excluding SOCI 5905. With departmental permission 0.5 credit may be selected from courses at the 4000-level.

3. 1.0 credit in courses designated as having sufficient African Studies content, including at least 0.5 credit in:
   - SOCI 5404 [0.5] Race, Ethnicity and Class in Contemporary Societies
   - ANTH 5109 [0.5] Ethnography of Gender
   - ANTH 5209 [0.5] Special Topics in Ethnography of Contemporary Africa
   - ANTH 5809 [0.5] Special Topics in the Anthropology of Development
   - Or, a Sociology or Anthropology course approved by the Graduate Coordinator of the Institute of African Studies.

4. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

Total Credits 5.0

M.A. Women's and Gender Studies

Requirements - Thesis pathway (5.0 credits)

1. 0.5 credit in:
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 0.0 credit in:
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. 0.5 credit in:
   - WGST 5900 [0.5] Program Seminar

4. 0.5 credit in:
   - WGST 5906 [0.5] Feminist Theory

5. 0.5 credit in:
   - WGST 5907 [0.5] Researching Women's and Gender Issues

6. 1.0 credit in additional course work chosen from available elective courses (see below)

7. 2.0 credits in:
   - WGST 5909 [2.0] M.A. Thesis (in the specialization)

Total Credits 5.0
## Requirements - Research essay pathway (5.0 credits)

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. **0.0 credit in:**
   - AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. **0.5 credit in:**
   - WGST 5900 [0.5] Program Seminar

4. **0.5 credit in:**
   - WGST 5906 [0.5] Feminist Theory

5. **0.5 credit in:**
   - WGST 5907 [0.5] Researching Women’s and Gender Issues

6. **2.0 credits in** additional course work chosen from available elective courses (see below)

7. **1.0 credit in:**
   - WGST 5908 [1.0] Research Essay (in the specialization)

**Total Credits** 5.0

## Ph.D. Anthropology with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (Advanced Completion Option - 2.5 credits)

Applicants to the Ph.D. Anthropology with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies who have completed a master's program with specialization in African Studies may be considered for admission to an advanced completion option of the Ph.D.

### Requirements - Standard Admission:

1. **0.5 credit in:**
   - AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions

2. **1.0 credit in:**
   - ANTH 6000 [1.0] Doctoral Seminar: Theory and Method in Contemporary Anthropology

3. **0.5 credit in:**
   - ANTH 6002 [0.5] Research Design

4. **0.0 credit in** (two terms satisfactory participation in):
   - ANTH 6100 [0.0] Thesis Writing Seminar

5. **0.5 credit in** SOCI or ANTH courses at the 5000 or 6000 level

6. A satisfactory research preparation portfolio

7. A satisfactory thesis proposal and (when required) Research Ethics Board clearance to undertake this research

8. Satisfactory thesis research

9. **0.0 credit in:**
   - ANTH 6909 [0.0] Ph.D. Thesis (in the specialization, including successful oral defence)

**Total Credits** 2.5

## Ph.D. Architecture with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (6.0 credits)

Note: Please consult the School regarding registration sequence.

### Requirements:

1. **2.5 credits in** core courses
   - ARCN 6001 [0.5] Workshop: Design as Research I
   - ARCH 6001 [0.5] Texts, Precedents and Writings in Architecture I
   - ARCH 6103 [0.5] Colloquium I: Architectural Research Methods
   - ARCH 6104 [0.5] Colloquium II: Architectural Research Presentation
   - ARCH 6105 [0.5] Colloquium III: Architectural Research Dissemination

2. **2.0 credits in:**
   - ARCH 6907 [1.0] Ph.D. Comprehensive Examination
   - ARCH 6908 [1.0] Ph.D. Proposal Examination

3. **0.0 credit in:**
4. 1.0 credits in:  
AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives  
AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions  
5. 0.0 credit in:  
AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies  
6. 0.5 credit in free elective at the 5000-level in any discipline.  

Total Credits 6.0

**Ph.D. English with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.0 credits)**

**Requirements:**  
1. 0.5 credit in:  
AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives  
2. 0.0 credit in:  
AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies  
3. 0.5 credit in:  
AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions  
4. 1.0 credit in:  
ENGL 6003 [0.5] Theories and Foundations in the Production of Literature  
ENGL 6004 [0.5] Approaches to the Production of Literature  
5. 0.5 credit in:  
ENGL 6002 [0.5] Proseminar  
6. 1.0 credit in approved courses  
7. 1.0 credit in:  
ENGL 6900 [1.0] Comprehensive Examination  
8. 0.5 credit in:  
ENGL 6902 [0.5] Dissertation Proposal  
9. Language requirement:  
Satisfactory demonstration of an understanding of a language other than English. Contact the Department for details.  
10. 0.0 credit in:  
ENGL 6909 [0.0] Thesis (in the specialization)

**Ph.D. International Affairs with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (6.0 credits)**

**Requirements - Standard Admission:**  
1. 1.5 credits in:  
INAF 6001 [0.5] Qualitative Research Methods  
INAF 6002 [0.5] Quantitative Research Methods  
INAF 6003 [0.5] Advanced International Policy Analysis  
2. 0.5 credit in required INAF economics course for the declared field listed below (see Note, below)  
3. 1.5 credits in courses in the declared field  
4. 0.5 credit in:  
AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives  
5. 0.0 credit in:  
AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies  
6. 0.5 credit in:  
AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions  
7. 0.5 credit in:  
INAF 6700 [0.5] Doctoral Field Comprehensive Seminar  
8. Language requirement (see details below)  
9. 1.0 credit in: doctoral research seminar and public defence of the doctoral research prospectus  
10. 0.0 credit in:  

**Ph.D. English with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (Advanced Completion - 4.5 credits)**

Applicants to the Ph.D. English with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies who have completed a master's program with specialization in African Studies may be considered for admission to an Advanced Completion Option of the Ph.D.

**Requirements:**  
1. 0.5 credit in:  
AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions  
2. 1.0 credit in:  
ENGL 6003 [0.5] Theories and Foundations in the Production of Literature  
ENGL 6004 [0.5] Approaches to the Production of Literature  
3. 0.5 credit in:  
ENGL 6002 [0.5] Proseminar  
4. 1.0 credit in approved courses  
5. 1.0 credit in:  
ENGL 6900 [1.0] Comprehensive Examination  
6. 0.5 credit in:  
ENGL 6902 [0.5] Dissertation Proposal  
7. Language requirement:  
Satisfactory demonstration of an understanding of a language other than English. Contact the Department for details.  
8. 0.0 credit in:  
ENGL 6909 [0.0] Thesis (in the specialization)
INAF 6909 [0.0] Doctoral Research Thesis (in the specialization)

**Total Credits** 6.0

**Note:** students without strong economics training may be required to complete additional INAF economics courses.

**Ph.D. International Affairs with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (Advanced Completion Option - 5.5 credits)**

Applicants to the Ph.D. International Affairs with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies who have completed a master’s program with specialization in African Studies may be considered for admission to an Advanced Completion Option of the Ph.D.

**Requirements - Advanced Completion Option:**

1. 0.5 credit in required INAF economics course for the declared field listed below (see Note, below)

2. 1.5 credits in courses in the declared field

3. 0.5 credit in:

   INAF 6700 [0.5] Doctoral Field Comprehensive Seminar

4. 0.5 credit in:

   AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions

5. 1.5 credits in:

   INAF 6001 [0.5] Qualitative Research Methods
   INAF 6002 [0.5] Quantitative Research Methods
   INAF 6003 [0.5] Advanced International Policy Analysis

6. Language requirement (see details below)

7. 1.0 credit in: doctoral research seminar and public defence of the doctoral research prospectus

   INAF 6906 [0.5] Doctoral Research Prospectus Seminar
   INAF 6907 [0.5] Doctoral Research Prospectus Defence

8. 0.0 credit in:

   INAF 6909 [0.0] Doctoral Research Thesis (in the specialization)

**Total Credits** 5.5

**Note:** students without strong economics training may be required to complete additional INAF economics courses.

**Ph.D. Political Science with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (5.5 credits)**

**Requirements:**

1. 2.0 credits in courses at the 6000 level in each of the candidate's two major fields of study. A GPA of 9.0 or higher must be obtained in these courses for students to be allowed to proceed to the comprehensive examinations.

2. 1.0 credit in:

   PSCI 6900 [0.5] Ph.D. Field Examination I
   PSCI 6905 [0.5] Ph.D. Field Examination II

Field examinations normally take place once per year, in August. At the discretion of the Department, candidates may be required to take an oral examination following the written examination. Full-time students are normally required to complete the comprehensive examinations within 24 months of entering the program.

3. 0.0 credit in:

   AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

4. 1.0 credit in:

   AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
   AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions

5. 0.5 credit in electives at the graduate level, in fields allied to major topics of the thesis. This credit will normally be fulfilled through regular course work rather than tutorials.

6. 1.0 credit in:

   PSCI 6907 [0.5] Thesis Proposal Workshop I
   PSCI 6908 [0.5] Thesis Proposal Workshop II

7. An oral defence of a written dissertation proposal. Full-time students must normally complete the oral defence of the proposal, preceded by its formal acceptance by the supervisory committee, in the third year of their doctoral program.

8. 0.0 credits in:

   PSCI 6909 [0.0] Ph.D. Thesis (in the specialization)

**Total Credits** 5.5

**Ph.D. Political Science with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (Advanced Completion Option - 5.0 credits)**

Applicants to the Ph.D. Political Science with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies who have completed a master's program with specialization in African Studies may be considered for admission to an Advanced Completion Option of the Ph.D.

**Requirements:**

1. 2.0 credits in courses at the 6000 level in each of the candidate's two major fields of study. A GPA of 9.0 or higher must be obtained in these courses for students to be allowed to proceed to the comprehensive examinations.

2. 1.0 credit in:

   PSCI 6900 [0.5] Ph.D. Field Examination I
   PSCI 6905 [0.5] Ph.D. Field Examination II

3. 0.5 credit in:

   AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions

4. 0.5 credit in electives at the graduate level, in fields allied to the major topics of the thesis. This credit will normally be fulfilled through regular course work rather than tutorials.

5. 1.0 credit in:

   PSCI 6907 [0.5] Thesis Proposal Workshop I
   PSCI 6908 [0.5] Thesis Proposal Workshop II
6. An oral defence of a written dissertation proposal. Full-time students must normally complete the oral defence of the proposal, preceded by its formal acceptance by the supervisory committee, in the third year of their doctoral program.

7. 0.0 credit in:
   PSCI 6909 [0.0] Ph.D. Thesis (in the specialization)

Total Credits 5.0

Ph.D. Sociology with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (3.0 credits)

Requirements - Standard Admission:
1. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives

2. 0.0 credit in:
   AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

3. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions

4. 0.0 credit in:
   SOCI 6101 [0.0] Introductory Doctoral Seminar

5. 1.0 credit in:
   SOCI 6102 [0.5] Doctoral Seminar Year 1: Comprehensive Exam
   SOCI 6103 [0.5] Doctoral Seminar Year 2: Research Design

6. 0.5 credit in:
   SOCI 5008 [0.5] Teaching Sociology
   OR one of the following:
   SOCI 5000 [0.5] Classical Sociological Theory
   SOCI 5001 [0.5] Special Topics in Classical Theory
   SOCI 5002 [0.5] Contemporary Sociological Theory
   SOCI 5003 [0.5] Special Topics in Contemporary Theory
   SOCI 5006 [0.5] Thinking Sociologically
   SOCI 5308 [0.5] Decolonizing Feminist Analyses
   SOCI 5309 [0.5] Cultural Theory
   SOCI 5400 [0.5] Political Sociology
   SOCI 5401 [0.5] Critical Disability Studies
   SOCI 5402 [0.5] Queer Migrations
   SOCI 5404 [0.5] Race, Ethnicity and Class in Contemporary Societies
   SOCI 5405 [0.5] Power and Stratification
   SOCI 5407 [0.5] Genealogies of Politics and Governance
   SOCI 5408 [0.5] Feminism and Materialism
   SOCI 5501 [0.5] Phenomenology for Anthropologists and Sociologists
   SOCI 5803 [0.5] Critical Theory
   SOCI 5804 [0.5] Modern Marxist Theory

7. 0.5 credit in SOCI courses at the 5000- or 6000-level or, with the permission of the graduate supervisor, up to 0.5 credit of graduate level course from another unit at Carleton

8. Written and oral comprehensive examination in one area of specialization

9. Presentation of a thesis proposal

10. 0.0 credit in:
    SOCI 6909 [0.0] Ph.D. Thesis (in the specialization)

11. An oral defence of the thesis

Total Credits 3.0

Ph.D. Sociology with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies (Advanced Completion Option - 2.5 credits)

Applicants to the Ph.D. Sociology with Collaborative Specialization in African Studies who have completed a master's program with specialization in African Studies may be considered for admission to an advanced completion option of the Ph.D.

Requirements - Advanced Completion Option:
1. 0.5 credit in:
   AFRI 6000 [0.5] Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions

2. 0.0 credit in:
   SOCI 6101 [0.0] Introductory Doctoral Seminar

3. 1.0 credit in:
   SOCI 6102 [0.5] Doctoral Seminar Year 1: Comprehensive Exam
   SOCI 6103 [0.5] Doctoral Seminar Year 2: Research Design

4. 0.5 credit in:
   SOCI 5008 [0.5] Teaching Sociology
   OR one of the following:
   SOCI 5000 [0.5] Classical Sociological Theory
   SOCI 5001 [0.5] Special Topics in Classical Theory
   SOCI 5002 [0.5] Contemporary Sociological Theory
   SOCI 5003 [0.5] Special Topics in Contemporary Theory
   SOCI 5006 [0.5] Thinking Sociologically
   SOCI 5308 [0.5] Decolonizing Feminist Analyses
   SOCI 5309 [0.5] Cultural Theory
   SOCI 5400 [0.5] Political Sociology
   SOCI 5401 [0.5] Critical Disability Studies
   SOCI 5402 [0.5] Queer Migrations
   SOCI 5404 [0.5] Race, Ethnicity and Class in Contemporary Societies
   SOCI 5405 [0.5] Power and Stratification
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6. Written and oral comprehensive examination in one area of specialization

7. Presentation of a thesis proposal

8. 0.0 credit in:
    SOCI 6909 [0.0] Ph.D. Thesis (in the specialization)
9. An oral defence of the thesis

Total Credits 2.5

Selection of Courses - African Studies
The courses listed below are relevant to students of African Studies and could, with the approval of the specific requirements of the units involved, be used as courses to help fulfil degree requirements. There are also often graduate courses and 4000-level courses in a number of units at Carleton that are offered on an ad hoc basis that have significant content appropriate to African Studies. To have any such course count towards their degree requires approval of the Director of the Institute of African Studies when it is being offered.

African Studies
AFRI 5000 [0.5] African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
AFRI 5050 [0.5] Selected Topics in African Studies
AFRI 5100 [0.5] African Studies Abroad
AFRI 5700 [0.5] Directed Readings in African Studies
AFRI 5900 [0.5] Placement
AFRI 5800 [0.0] Scholarly Preparation in African Studies

Anthropology
ANTH 5109 [0.5] Ethnography of Gender
ANTH 5209 [0.5] Special Topics in Ethnography of Contemporary Africa
ANTH 5809 [0.5] Special Topics in the Anthropology of Development

English
ENGL 5008 [0.5] Studies in African Literature
ENGL 5010 [0.5] Studies in Caribbean Literature

French
FREN 5212 [0.5] Littératures francophones

International Affairs
INAF 5603 [0.5] Issues in Development in Africa

Law
LAWS 5007 [0.5] Race, Ethnicity and the Law
LAWS 5603 [0.5] International Law: Theory and Practice

Political Science
PSCI 5107 [0.5] Globalization, Adjustment and Democracy in Africa
PSCI 5202 [0.5] Development Theory and Issues
PSCI 5203 [0.5] Southern Africa After Apartheid

Sociology
SOCI 5404 [0.5] Race, Ethnicity and Class in Contemporary Societies

Women's and Gender Studies
WGST 5902 [0.5] Advanced Topics in Women's and Gender Studies II

Regulations
See the General Regulations section of this Calendar and the regulations of the participating unit.

Admission
Admission to the collaborative program in African Studies is available to students who are admitted in one of the participating programs. To apply to one of the participating programs, please visit the Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Affairs Admissions page.

African Studies (AFRI) Courses
AFRI 5000 [0.5 credit]
African Studies as a Discipline: Historical and Current Perspectives
This course examines the formation of African Studies as a discipline, including the historical and ongoing debates over its boundaries and genealogies and its changing research paradigms.

AFRI 5050 [0.5 credit]
Selected Topics in African Studies
A course on a selected topic in African Studies. Topic varies from year to year and will be announced in advance of registration period. Also offered at the undergraduate level, with different requirements, as AFRI 4050, for which additional credit is precluded.

AFRI 5060 [0.5 credit]
African Feminisms
African feminisms as theoretical interventions and as political practice, and as diverse forms. Gender as a marker of power: status, hierarchy, social capability, and as a system of distribution of resources, responsibilities and solidarities. Also offered at the undergraduate level, with different requirements, as AFRI 4060, for which additional credit is precluded.

AFRI 5100 [0.5 credit]
African Studies Abroad
Based at one of Carleton's partner universities in Africa, course will include lectures, seminars, guest speakers, field visits and group research projects to examine a topic in African studies, as selected by the instructor. Topic and location may change annually. Includes: Experiential Learning Activity

AFRI 5700 [0.5 credit]
Directed Readings in African Studies
A Tutorial on a selected topic in African Studies in which seminars are not available.
AFRI 5800 [0.0 credit]
Scholarly Preparation in African Studies
This course will provide scholarly preparation in African Studies by requiring participation in public talks as both audience member and presenter.
Includes: Experiential Learning Activity

AFRI 5900 [0.5 credit]
Placement
Students spend up to one day a week participating in an organization that has an African focus, while carrying out tasks that have a scholarly content. Consult the Director of the Institute of African Studies.
Includes: Experiential Learning Activity

AFRI 6000 [0.5 credit]
Thinking from Africa: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Dimensions
Building upon the foundation provided in AFRI 5000, this course provides a multidisciplinary grounding in African thought and discourse from historical to contemporary perspectives.
Prerequisite(s): AFRI 5000 (may be taken concurrently).