**Latin American Studies Major**

The Latin America Studies Program brings together students and faculty from Anthropology, Government, Economics, History, and Latin American and Latino/a literature. We engage in the critical readings and analysis of the region's distinctive cultural productions, literary texts, histories, polities, and economies to confront enduring tensions and inequalities that challenge the region. Visiting scholars, artists, and activists, our biannual Walker symposium, internships and independent research enhance formal classroom learning. Our graduates emerge as active global citizens capable of analyzing and articulating central issues affecting Latin America.

### Core Classes

- [ ] Latin American Studies 173
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- [ ] Spanish 135 *Must be completed before study abroad*
- [ ] Spanish 231 *Must be completed before study abroad*

### Two Latin American Literature Courses (200 level or above)

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### Four additional classes, 200-level or above, three of which have to be in three different disciplines in the social sciences. The fourth class cannot be a Latin/o American Literature class in Spanish.

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**At Least One Semester Abroad in a Latin American Country on an Approved Program** (Students may count up to four semester courses of foreign study credit toward the major if they study abroad for an entire year, but only up to two semester courses if they study abroad for just one semester. Students with transfer credits should be advised that four semester courses, combining study abroad and credits from other institutions, is the maximum total permitted to count toward the LAS major.)

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**Capstone (Senior Seminar, Advanced Independent Study, Honors Thesis)**