

BLCK 3550: Black Women's Health

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Completion of 30 credit hours

Black women have poorer health outcomes on a variety of psychological and physical measures compared to other groups such as Black men, White men, and White women. This course focuses on why this is by examining the interlocking systemic, interpersonal, and individual stressors shown to negatively impact Black women's health (e.g., gendered-racism). Students also explore and engage in evidence-based techniques that protect and enhance wellbeing in a variety of populations, including Black women.

BLCK 3780: Contemporary Topics & Trends in Black Studies

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: ENGL 1101

This course provides an in-depth analysis of a selected contemporary topic, trend, issue, or problem in the field of Black Studies (also known as African and African Diaspora Studies, Africana, African American, and Pan-African Studies). Particular attention is paid to how socio-demographic variables, such as race, gender, class, religion, and/or ethnicity impact the issues facing the African Diaspora.

BLCK 4031: Black Panthers

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Completion of 30 credit hours

Black Panthers is an in-depth interdisciplinary examination of figures and issues of the black radical imagination using the Black Panther Party and the Marvel Comics superhero Black Panther. Through the discussion of film, music, comics, and other texts, students learn how historical, political, cultural, and community-based models of the Black Panther party and superhero are applied to a variety of fields of study, careers, and projects for social change.

BLCK 4040: Major Issues and Figures

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: ENGL 1102

This course offers an in-depth examination of a major issue or figure relevant to the field of Black Studies.

Notes: The course may be repeated with a change of content.