

# Articulation Agreement by Major

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## Critical Race and Ethnic Studies, B.A.

### ADMISSIONS MAJOR SELECTION CRITERIA

#### Thank you for your interest in UC Merced!

For Admission to the **Critical Race and Ethnic Studies, B.A.** major, students must earn an overall transferrable GPA of 2.4 or better, and must complete classes articulated with the following UC Merced courses by the end of spring term prior to fall enrollment or by the end of fall term prior to spring enrollment. All major preparation courses requires a "C" or better.

**REQUIRED:** Major Preparation Courses for Transfer:  
CRES 001

**Additional Major Preparation:** Recommended to be completed prior to Transfer:

*The Critical Race and Ethnic Studies major consists of many requirements that can be fulfilled by way of Upper Division courses. Listed below are some lower division courses that can fulfill the Non-United States course Requirements and Additional Elective course requirements. Please refer to the [catalog](#) for more information.*

**Non-United States Courses:** Complete up to two: CRES 027, ENG 063, GASP 065A (Other Upper Division Courses can also fulfill this requirement)

**Additional Elective:** Complete up to two: COGS 005, CRES 020, CRES 051, CRES 052, CRES 070, CRES 072B, CRES 076A, CRES 076B, ENG 031, ENG 064, GASP 003, GASP 007, HIST 017, SOC 038 (Other Upper Division Courses can also fulfill this requirement)

Courses in the major must be taken for a letter grade, and specifically may not be taken on a pass/no pass basis unless the course is only offered on a pass/no pass basis.

#### AP Exam Score & Course Exemptions

AP History: US History: score of 4 or 5 exempts HIST 016 and HIST 017

**UC Merced Advance Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB)** credit policies are detailed in the link below:

[Advance Placement \(AP\) and International Baccalaureate \(IB\) Examinations](#)

### IMPORTANT TRANSFER INFORMATION

In addition to the Major Selection Criteria, all Upper-Division Transfer applicants must meet minimum [University of California admissions requirements](#). Visit <https://admissions.ucmerced.edu/transfer/requirements> for more specific UC Merced admissions information.

Prior to Transferring to UC Merced, please be advised of the following for Junior Transfers:

**1) WRI 001 and WRI 010 are admissions requirements:** In most situations, WRI 001 is fulfilled by IGETC 1A English Composition and WRI 010 is fulfilled by IGETC 1B Critical Thinking/English Composition. However best practice is to complete the articulated course for WRI 001 and WRI 010. Please scroll towards the bottom of the agreement to find the articulation for each course.

**2) Transfer Admissions Guarantee (TAG):** UC Merced is one of the six UC's that offers Transfer Admissions Guarantee. Please visit the TAG website for more information: <https://admissions.ucmerced.edu/transfer/tag>

**3) General Education (GE Requirements):** While general education is not required for admission, it can help speed up your time to graduation once you transfer to UC Merced. We highly recommend reviewing the [Transfer Students: Satisfying General Education](#) page in the catalog for a more extensive explanation of the requirements.

Transfer students are strongly encouraged to complete IGETC in order to prepare for work within the School of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (SSHA). IGETC courses may double count with the major courses listed below. Please visit your Community College Counselor to learn more.

**4. This agreement displays all lower-division (or Major Preparation) courses required in the major.** UC Merced courses on the left, approved (articulated) transfer courses to the right.

**5. Changes to this Agreements:** Major requirements are subject to change from one academic year to the next. Newly-articulated courses are added on a rolling basis, and articulated courses can be revised. Visit ASSIST every semester for the latest information and consult with an Academic Counselor at your institution on a regular basis.

For more questions about admissions, please email: [transfer@ucmerced.edu](mailto:transfer@ucmerced.edu).

### ABOUT THIS MAJOR

[Critical Race and Ethnic Studies \(CRES\)](#) is an interdisciplinary field of study that seeks to understand the ways society is culturally and institutionally constituted by ideas of race, ethnicity, gender, sexuality, class, and nation. The program provides an innovative, multidisciplinary paradigm that employs global (Western and non-Western), relational, and intersectional methods for producing knowledge about power and inequality, including

systems of knowledge that have emerged from racialized and indigenous communities. In using race, ethnicity, and indigeneity as ideological frameworks, CRES aims to scrutinize cultures of power and domination as well as highlight and imagine struggles for liberation and self-determination.

For more curriculum information, please visit the [22-23 catalog](#) and the [Four-Year Course Plan](#) (We encourage to visit your Community College Counselor to create an individualize educational plan for transfer).

## MAJOR PREPARATION COURSE REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER

Minimum grade required: C or better  
Required for admission

<b>CRES 001</b> - Introduction to Critical Race and Ethnic Studies (4.00)	←	<b>AFAM 10</b> - An Introduction to African American Studies (4.00) --- Or --- <b>CHLX 10</b> - Introduction to Chicanx and Latinx Studies (4.00) --- Or --- <b>ELIT 41</b> - Ethnic Literature of the United States (4.00) --- Or --- <b>CETH 10</b> - Race, Ethnicity, and Inequality (4.00) --- Or --- <b>CETH 11</b> - Race and Ethnicity: Belonging and Exclusion in the U.S. (4.00) --- Or --- <b>POLI 15</b> - Grassroots Democracy: Race, Politics and the American Promise (4.00) Same-As: ICS 25
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## NON-UNITED STATES REQUIREMENT

Select up to 2 Course(s) from the following

**\*\*REFER TO CATALOG\*\***

Only lower division courses listed

Minimum grade required: C or better

<b>CRES 027</b> - Local Harvest, Global Industry: History of the Production and Consumption of Food (4.00) Same-As: HIST 027	←	No Course Articulated
<b>ENG 063</b> - 20th Century Women Writers (4.00)	←	No Course Articulated
<b>GASP 065A</b> - Bollywood (4.00)	←	No Course Articulated

## ADDITIONAL ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT

Select up to 2 Course(s) from the following

**\*\*REFER TO CATALOG\*\***

Only lower division courses listed

Minimum grade required: C or better

<b>COGS 005</b> - Introduction to Language and Linguistics (4.00)	←	<b>LING 1</b> - Introduction to Linguistics (4.00)
<b>CRES 020</b> - Introduction to Asian American Studies (4.00)	←	No Course Articulated
<b>CRES 051</b> - The History of Things: A History of the Contemporary World (4.00) Same-As: HIST 051	←	No Course Articulated
<b>CRES 052</b> - Power in Film (4.00) Same-As: GASP 064B, HIST 052	←	No Course Articulated
<b>CRES 070</b> - Music of the Caribbean World (4.00) Same-As: GASP 070C	←	No Course Articulated
<b>CRES 072B</b> - Elements and Cultures of Hip Hop (4.00) Same-As: GASP 072B	←	No Course Articulated
<b>CRES 076A</b> - Social Dance, Social Bodies (4.00) Same-As: GASP 076A	←	No Course Articulated
<b>CRES 076B</b> - Movement for Dancers (4.00) Same-As: GASP 076B	←	No Course Articulated
<b>ENG 031</b> - Introduction to African-American Literature & Culture (4.00)	←	<b>ELIT 40</b> - African American Literature (4.00)
<b>ENG 064</b> - LGBT Fiction (4.00)	←	No Course Articulated
<b>GASP 003</b> - Introduction to Visual Culture (4.00)	←	No Course Articulated

**GASP 007** - Music in Society (4.00)



**MUSI 1A** - Music Appreciation: Music in Western Cultures (4.00)

**HIST 017** - Twentieth-Century America (4.00)



**HIST 17C** - History of the United States From 1900 to the Present (4.00)

**SOC 038** - Sociology of Race and Racism (4.00)



**CETH 10** - Race, Ethnicity, and Inequality (4.00)

- *Course(s) can only fulfill one requirement within the major*

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**SOC 29** - Sociology of Structural Racism in the United States (4.00)

### ACADEMIC WRITING - CHOOSE ONE COURSE FROM:

**\*\*REFER TO TOP OF AGREEMENT\*\***

Minimum grade required: C or better

**WRI 001** - Academic Writing (4.00)



**ESL 5** - Advanced Composition and Reading (5.00)

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**EWRT 1A** - Composition and Reading (5.00)

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**EWRT 1AH** - Composition and Reading - HONORS (5.00)

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**EWRT 1AS** - Intensive Composition and Reading Stretch: First Quarter (5.00)

- *UC credit limitation applies; refer to UC-transferability list*

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**EWRT 1AT** - Intensive Composition and Reading Stretch: Second Quarter (5.00)

- *UC credit limitation applies; refer to UC-transferability list*

### COLLEGE READING AND COMPOSITION - CHOOSE ONE COURSE FROM:

**\*\*REFER TO TOP OF AGREEMENT\*\***

Minimum grade required: C or better

**WRI 010** - College Reading and Composition (4.00)



**COMM 9** - Argumentation: Analysis of Oral and Written Communication (5.00)

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**COMM 9H** - Argumentation: Analysis of Oral and Written Communication - HONORS (5.00)

--- Or ---

**EWRT 1B** - Reading, Writing and Research (5.00)

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**EWRT 1C** - Literature and Composition (5.00)

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**EWRT 2** - Critical Reading, Writing and Thinking (5.00)

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**EWRT 2H** - Critical Reading, Writing and Thinking - HONORS (5.00)

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**PHIL 3** - Critical Thinking and Writing (5.00)

**END OF AGREEMENT**