

# American Studies Major

| <b>Year and Campus:</b>                          | 2009  |                |                            |                |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |  |            |       |  |            |       |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |         |                            |                |                               |                        |       |                               |                  |       |                       |            |       |                       |                  |       |   |            |       |   |            |       |                                      |            |       |   |                  |       |   |                  |       |                                      |            |       |
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| <b>Overview:</b>                                 | <p>A major in American studies usually consists of eight 12.5 point subjects, totalling 100 points. It comprises:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># one first-year subject in any area of study (12.5 points); and</li> <li># a minimum of five second/third-year subjects (62.5 points) from the list of core subjects; and</li> <li># the remainder from the list of core or optional subjects.</li> </ul> <p>Students who commenced their degree before 2007 will need to complete 112.5 points toward this major in order to complete the major. For the specific major structure you must follow, refer to the handbook produced in the year you commenced your degree, available online at <a href="http://www.unimelb.edu.au/HB/">http://www.unimelb.edu.au/HB/</a>.</p> <p>If you have any questions about the major structure or subjects, please contact the Arts &amp; Music Student Centre.</p>  |                |                            |                |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |  |            |       |  |            |       |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |         |                            |                |                               |                        |       |                               |                  |       |                       |            |       |                       |                  |       |   |            |       |   |            |       |                                      |            |       |   |                  |       |   |                  |       |                                      |            |       |
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| 131-018 Searching for the American Dream         | Semester 2  | 25.00          |                            |                |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |  |            |       |  |            |       |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |         |                            |                |                               |                        |       |                               |                  |       |                       |            |       |                       |                  |       |   |            |       |   |            |       |                                      |            |       |   |                  |       |   |                  |       |                                      |            |       |
| 671-370 Searching for the American Dream         | Semester 2  | 25.00          |                            |                |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |  |            |       |  |            |       |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |         |                            |                |                               |                        |       |                               |                  |       |                       |            |       |                       |                  |       |   |            |       |   |            |       |                                      |            |       |   |                  |       |   |                  |       |                                      |            |       |
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| 106-022 City Cultures                            | Semester 2  | 12.50          |                            |                |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |  |            |       |  |            |       |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |         |                            |                |                               |                        |       |                               |                  |       |                       |            |       |                       |                  |       |   |            |       |   |            |       |                                      |            |       |   |                  |       |   |                  |       |                                      |            |       |
| 670-318 City Cultures                            | Not offered 2009  | 12.50          |                            |                |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |  |            |       |  |            |       |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |         |                            |                |                               |                        |       |                               |                  |       |                       |            |       |                       |                  |       |   |            |       |   |            |       |                                      |            |       |   |                  |       |   |                  |       |                                      |            |       |
| 106-033 Colonial and Postcolonial Writing        | Semester 1  | 12.50          |                            |                |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |  |            |       |  |            |       |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |         |                            |                |                               |                        |       |                               |                  |       |                       |            |       |                       |                  |       |   |            |       |   |            |       |                                      |            |       |   |                  |       |   |                  |       |                                      |            |       |
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| <b>Related Course(s):</b>                        | Bachelor of Arts<br>Bachelor of Arts & Bachelor Laws  |                |                            |                |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |  |            |       |  |            |       |  |                  |       |  |                  |       |         |                            |                |                               |                        |       |                               |                  |       |                       |            |       |                       |                  |       |   |            |       |   |            |       |                                      |            |       |   |                  |       |   |                  |       |                                      |            |       |

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Bachelor of Engineering (Electrical) and Bachelor of Arts  
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Bachelor of Engineering (Mechanical & Manufacturing) and Bachelor of Arts  
Bachelor of Engineering (Software) and Bachelor of Arts  
Bachelor of Geomatic Engineering and Bachelor of Arts