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MARYMOUNT CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY CATALOG 2013-2014

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#### Catalog 2013-2014

This Catalog constitutes a statement of the University's policies, offerings and learning resources. It, along with the Student Handbook, is a definition of the agreement that exists between the individual student and the University community. The reader is directed to:

- Student Handbook issued by the Office of Student Development Services.
- Schedule of Classes and any official addenda for each term issued by the Office of the Registrar.
- Publications issued by the Admission Office.
- Publications issued by the Residential Life Office.
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At Marymount California University, all academic records of students who enroll are kept in accordance with the provisions of the Family Educational rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended. Copies of this Act are available to students in the Library and the Academic Affairs Office, Student Development Services Office, and the Registrar's Office during normal working hours.

#### **Campus Non-Discrimination Policy**

Marymount California University does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and/or ethnic origin, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, disability, religion, veteran's status, or age in admission, employment or in any of its policies, programs or activities.

Inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policy should be directed to the Sr. Vice President of Finance and Administration or to the Director of Human Resources. Names and contact information may be obtained from the University receptionist. The Sr. Vice President is the University's Title IX Coordinator.

#### **Drug-Free Campus and Workplace Policy**

The unlawful possession, manufacture, distribution, use, sale or gift of alcohol or other illicit drug is prohibited in and on any Marymount property, or as part of any University activity. This includes being under the influence of alcohol and/or any illicit drug. Illicit drugs include (but are not limited to) marijuana, cocaine, heroin, amphetamines, barbiturates, LSD, PCP and substances typically known as "designer drugs" or "club drugs." Illicit drugs also include prescription drugs, except for the use of medication in accordance with the instructions of a licensed physician. Possession of paraphernalia associated with the use, possession or manufacture of illicit drugs is also prohibited. Any employee or student who violates this policy is subject to disciplinary action up to and including termination of employment, expulsion from the University, referral for prosecution, and/or referral to an appropriate evaluation or rehabilitation program.

Information regarding the health risks associated with the use or abuse of drugs and/or alcohol, or assistance dealing with these issues is available from Counseling Services, the Human Resources Department or the Marymount Intranet. Additionally, educational programs are offered during the academic year by Student Development Services. The full text of the Drug-Free Campus and Workplace policy is available from the above sources.



#### Dear Students:

We look forward to your enrollment at Marymount California University, and we invite you to review this catalog as you consider the many curricular, co-curricular and extracurricular offerings that we provide for our students. We are proud of the educational opportunities we have provided to thousands of students, and we look forward to working with you to ensure that you fulfill your potential and attain your academic goals.

With our faculty, staff, alumni, and donors, I share the responsibility for sustaining an educational tradition that is inspired by the social justice mission of the Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary and a liberal arts experience that fosters consideration of what it means to be human.

Our faculty and staff are here to assist and mentor you throughout your Marymount journey, and I am certain they want to hear about your hopes and dreams. We need to be responsive to your individual goals and aspirations, so I encourage you to dialogue with your professors and advisors during your time at Marymount.

While this catalog contains very valuable information about Marymount, our website may provide additional up-to-date information of interest to you. Please consider these two resources as you proceed through your academic program, and know that our community is ready and able to support and challenge you as you fulfill our degree requirements. Please stop by my office if you have any questions or concerns about Marymount. We want to make sure we meet your needs and expectations.

Michael S. Brophy, Ph.D., M.F.A.

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President of Marymount California University



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# Marymount California University Mission Statement

#### Mission

Marymount California University is a Catholic institution that welcomes students of all faiths and backgrounds into a quality, values-based education. We foster a student-centered approach to learning that promotes the development of the whole person. Inspired by the Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary, we challenge our students to pursue lives of leadership and service.

#### Vision

Marymount California University empowers its students through an educational program that develops principled thinkers in the Catholic liberal arts tradition. We promote an open and welcoming campus that builds skills for lifelong learning. We assist students to reach their goals in higher education. We strive to graduate students who embody the virtues of integrity, respect for human dignity, and commitment to justice.

#### **Core Values**

#### **Tradition**

Rooted in the Catholic intellectual and faith tradition, we educate and challenge students to think critically and to grow spiritually.

#### **Openness**

We welcome freedom of inquiry and diversity of experience within a community of educators and learners who seek truth, moral wisdom and global understanding.

#### Integrity

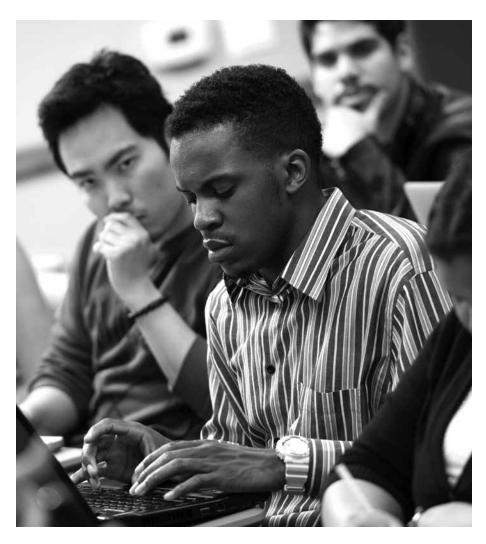
We strive for academic and professional excellence in an educational experience that builds character and values the whole person.

#### Service

We encourage our students to seek a more just world and to lead lives of compassionate service to others.

#### **Institutional Student Learning Outcomes (ISLOs)**

- I. Effective written, verbal, and digital presentation skills
- II. Analysis using relevant conceptual, quantitative, and technology tools
- III. Evaluation of competing options and reflection on values to support reasoned and ethical decision-making
- IV. Recognition of multiple perspectives and global awareness
- V. Experiential learning and collaborative skills for personal, social, civic, and global responsibility



### The University

### Catholic Heritage and History of Marymount California University

Marymount California University was established in 1968 as a two-year institution of higher education by the Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary (RSHM). In 1975 the RSHM transferred responsibility for the University to a lay Board of Trustees. The RSHM provides a legacy to the University, through which their charism and education tradition inspires the institution's mission.



### **Academic Calendar**

#### FALL SEMESTER 2013

## Aug. 2013 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

- 26 First day of fall semester classes
- 30 Last day to add or drop fall semester and first 8-week term classes

## SEPT. 2013 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30

- 2 Labor Day Holiday University is closed
- 25 Last day to withdraw from a first 8-week term class

## Oct. 2013 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

- 7-11 Midterm Exams
  - 11 Last day of first 8-week term classes
- 14-15 Fall Break no classes
  - 16 First day of second 8-week term classes
  - 18 Last day to add or drop second 8-week term classes
  - 28 Registration begins for spring and summer 2014

## Nov. 2013 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30

- 13 Last day to withdraw from a fall semester class
- 20 Last day to withdraw from a second 8-week term class
- 26 University closes at 4:15 p.m.
- 27-29 Thanksgiving Holiday University is closed

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- 6 Last day of fall semester and second 8-week term classes
- 9-13 Final Exams

#### SPRING SEMESTER 2014

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- 13 First day of spring semester classes
- 17 Last day to add or drop spring semester and first 8-week term classes
- 20 Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday University is closed

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- 12 Last day to withdraw from a first 8-week term class
- 17 President's Day holiday University is closed
- 18 Service Day no classes
- 24-28 Midterm Exams
  - 28 Last day of first 8-week term classes

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- 3 First day of second 8-week term classes
- 7 Last day to add or drop second 8-week term classes
- 17-21 Spring Break
  - 31 Registration begins for summer and fall 2014 and spring 2015

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- 9 Last day to withdraw from a spring semester class
- 16 Last day to withdraw from a second 8-week term class
- 17 Holy Thursday University closes at 4:15 p.m.
- 18 Good Friday University is closed
- 21 Easter Monday University is closed

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- 2 Last day of spring semester and second 8-week term classes
- 5-9 Final Exams
  - 9 Commencement Mass
  - 10 Commencement ceremony and reception

#### **SUMMER SESSION 1 (THREE WEEKS)**

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#### May

- 14 First day of summer session 1 classes
- 15 Last day to add or drop a summer session 1 class
- 26 Memorial Day observed
- 28 Last day to withdraw from a summer session 1 class

#### June

3 Last day of summer session 1

#### **SUMMER SESSION 2 (FIVE WEEKS)**

#### May

- 14 First day of summer session 2 classes
- 15 Last day to add or drop a summer session 2 class

#### .**June**

- 6 Last day to withdraw from a summer session 2 class
- 17 Last day of summer session 2

#### **SUMMER SESSION 3 (FIVE WEEKS)**

#### June

- 23 First day of summer session 3 classes
- 24 Last day to add or drop a summer session 3 class

#### July

- 4 Independence Day holiday University is closed
- 16 Last day to withdraw from a summer session 3 class
- 25 Last day of summer session 3

#### **SUMMER SESSION 4 (EIGHT WEEKS)**

#### **June**

- 9 First day of summer session 4 classes
- 10 Last day to add or drop a summer session 4 class

#### July

- 4 Independence Day holiday University is closed
- 18 Last day to withdraw fro a summer session 4 class

#### August

22 Last day of summer session 4

#### SUMMER SESSION 5 (FIFTEEN WEEKS - INTERNSHIPS)

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#### May

- 12 First day of summer session 5 (internships)
- 16 Last day to add or drop a summer session 5 class

#### July

- 4 Independence Day holiday University is closed
- 25 Last day to withdraw from a summer session 5 class

#### August

22 Last day of summer session 5

#### **GRADUATE SUMMER SESSION (TWELVE WEEKS)**

#### May

- 14 First day of graduate summer session
- 15 Last day to add or drop a graduate summer class

#### July

- 4 Independence Day holiday University is closed
- 9 Last day to withdraw from a graduate summer class

#### August

6 Last day of graduate summer session

### **Academic Calendar**

#### FALL SEMESTER 2014 (Subject to Change)

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- 25 First day of fall semester classes
- 29 Last day to add or drop fall semester and first 8-week term classes

## SEPT. 2014 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30

- 1 Labor Day Holiday University is closed
- 24 Last day to withdraw from a first 8-week term class

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- 6-10 Midterm Exams
  - 10 Last day of first 8-week term classes
- 13-14 Fall Break no classes
  - 15 First day of second 8-week term classes
  - 17 Last day to add or drop second 8-week term classes
  - 27 Registration begins for spring and summer 2015

## Nov. 2014 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 12 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30

- 12 Last day to withdraw from a fall semester class
- 19 Last day to withdraw from a second 8-week term class
- 25 University closes at 4:15 p.m.
- 26-28 Thanksgiving Holiday University is closed

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- 5 Last day of fall semester and second 8-week term classes
- 8-12 Final Exams

#### **SPRING SEMESTER 2015** (Subject to Change)

## JAN. 2015 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

- 12 First day of spring semester classes
- 16 Last day to add or drop spring semester and first 8-week term classes
- 19 Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday University is closed

#### S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

- 11 Last day to withdraw from a first 8-week term class
- 16 President's Day holiday University is closed
- 17 Service Day no classes
- 23-27 Midterm Exams
  - 27 Last day of first 8-week term classes

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- 2 First day of second 8-week term classes
- 6 Last day to add or drop second 8-week term classes
- 16-20 Spring Break
  - 30 Registration begins for summer and fall 2015 and spring 2016

## APR. 2015 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30

- 2 Holy Thursday University closes at 4:15 p.m.
- 3 Good Friday University is closed
- 6 Easter Monday University is closed
- 8 Last day to withdraw from a spring semester class
- 15 Last day to withdraw from a second 8-week term class

## May 2015 S M T W Th F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

- 1 Last day of spring semester and second 8-week term classes
- 4-8 Final Exams
  - 8 Commencement Mass
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#### May

- 13 First day of summer session 1 and 2 classes
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#### **June**

2 Last day of summer session 1

#### **SUMMER SESSION 2 (FIVE WEEKS)**

#### May

- 13 First day of summer session 2 classes
- 14 Last day to add or drop a summer session 2 class

#### June

- 5 Last day to withdraw from a summer session 2 class
- 16 Last day of summer session 2

#### **SUMMER SESSION 3 (FIVE WEEKS)**

#### June

- 22 First day of summer session 3 classes
- 23 Last day to add or drop a summer session 3 class

#### July

- 3 Independence Day holiday University is closed
- 15 Last day to withdraw from a summer session 3 class
- 24 Last day of summer session 3

#### **SUMMER SESSION 4 (EIGHT WEEKS)**

#### **June**

- 8 First day of summer session 4 classes
- 9 Last day to add or drop a summer session 4 class

#### July

- 3 Independence Day holiday University is closed
- 17 Last day to withdraw fro a summer session 4 class
- 31 Last day of summer session 4

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#### SUMMER SESSION 5 (FIFTEEN WEEKS - INTERNSHIPS)

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- 24 Last day to withdraw from a summer session 5 class

#### August

21 Last day of summer session 5

#### **GRADUATE SUMMER SESSION (TWELVE WEEKS)**

#### May

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#### August

5 Last day of graduate summer session





### **Academic Degree Programs**

Degree program learning outcomes represent embedded versions of the Institutional Student Learning Outcomes (ISLOs) at the level and in the disciplines appropriate to each degree. Each degree ensures achievement of learning outcomes via a coherent curriculum, robust assessment, and student reflection that forms a foundation for lifelong learning and the creation of meaning. (See ISLOs listed on page iii and degree specific learning outcomes and curriculum under Academic Degree Requirements)

Degree programs are enriched and supplemented by options that include study travel, service learning, internships, field practicum, independent study, and Honors.

#### UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

The academic programs are a product of the Marymount California University "mission, vision and values" statements and represent a belief in the value of the liberal arts and cross-disciplinary programs appropriate to our students and faculty. There are also programs and courses that emphasize learning through field work and through individual investigation and experience.

Marymount offers the following degree programs:

- Associate in Arts
- Associate in Science
- Bachelor of Arts in Business
- Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts
- Bachelor of Arts in Media Studies
- Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

Undergraduate degree programs are comprised of a common liberal education core plus degree-specific requirements. Each degree program also offers a choice of concentrations or emphases. (see Academic Degree Requirements)

All Bachelor degree programs culminate in a senior capstone project. (See Capstone descriptions under course numbers 497-498 in corresponding disciplines)

#### GRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

- Master of Science in Community Psychology
- Master of Science in Leadership and Global Development

### **Experiential Learning**

#### Global Studies 241 (1-2 units)

Students studying abroad in a partner or affiliate program take this course to supplement their overseas curriculum. The course involves engagement in culturally appropriate experiences shaped by experiential learning and competency theory. See course listing section for course description.

#### **Honors Programs**

#### **Honors Courses**

Honors courses are designed for highly motivated students with strong academic preparation who seek additional intellectual depth, challenge, and dialogue. Marymount offers a rotation of Honors classes in different disciplines. These courses are denoted by an 'H' in the schedule of classes and are open to students with a GPA of 3.3 or higher. Students in Honors courses can expect a stimulating blend of participation, discussion, reading, research, and presentation. Successful completion of three Honors courses is particularly noted at Commencement.

#### Phi Theta Kappa (PTK)

Marymount hosts the Alpha Omega Kappa chapter of the national Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) honors society, providing opportunities for service, leadership, and recognition. PTK membership requires a GPA of 3.3 or higher in college-level classes, is by application, and is coordinated by the office of Service Learning. PTK students are recognized at an Induction ceremony and at Commencement.

#### Delta Epsilon Sigma (DES)

Marymount also hosts a chapter of the national upper division honor society Delta Epsilon Sigma (DES). Delta Epsilon Sigma is a national scholastic honor society for students, faculty and alumni of colleges and universities with a Catholic tradition. It was founded in 1939 to recognize academic accomplishments, to foster scholarly activities, and to encourage a sense of intellectual community among its members. DES requires members to have completed at least fifty percent of the credit requirements for their baccalaureate degrees and rank not lower than the highest twenty percent of their class in scholarship. DES students are recognized at an Induction ceremony and at Commencement.

#### **Independent Study (1-12 units)**

INDEPENDENT STUDY (295, 395, 495 courses) An independent study answers the need for individual research and expression in special areas of interest that are NOT included in the regular course offerings. It provides training for lifelong learning by providing experience in selecting a study project, mastering the necessary library and research techniques for assembling data and devising suitable means of evaluation. In independent study the student has the responsibility for planning, implementing, and presenting the project, where applicable. The faculty

sponsor approves the project, meets with the student several times in the term, and evaluates the final results.

INDEPENDENT STUDY (595 graduate courses): Individual practice-based research under the direction of a faculty member. A written research report is required.

#### **Internships (1-12 units)**

INTERNSHIP (291, 391, 491 courses): Intended for students who want to participate in supervised, off-campus, practical experience. An internship is a partnership between the student, Marymount and a company/organization. The student will work closely with a faculty mentor and the Career Services Office to develop appropriate learning outcomes and to identify an organization/company offering a comprehensive experience focused on a specific area of interest in a structured work environment under the supervision of a faculty mentor.

INTERNSHIP (591 course): Intensive graduate practice-based research experience in a community or organizational setting. Requires a pre-approved, graduate research plan with Program Chair approval.

<u>Internship Participation Requirements:</u> Good academic standing; application through Career Services and consent from Faculty of Record.

#### **Internship/Practicum & Senior Capstone Combination**

INTERNSHIP/PRACTICUM & SENIOR CAPSTONE (491 or 496 and 497 or 498) Prerequisites: Senior standing; registration in 497 or 498; proposal of individual Capstone Project, with faculty mentor approval; Internship offer from a company/ organization or practicum on-campus experience.

Students with senior standing can combine their Capstone Project with an Internship component. This option is designed to allow seniors to connect with an organization/company to apply the Capstone Project as well as commit to working at the organization. The experience is closely guided by a faculty mentor and leading to the completion of a presentation, aligned with the institutional student learning outcomes. A satisfactory evaluation from an on-site supervisor will also be required. This combination includes research, analysis, and reflection on a topic chosen in partnership with the faculty advisor and Program Chair and completed under the guidance of a faculty mentor with regularly scheduled meetings with the on-site supervisor. Capstone students can choose a practicum or internship to combine with their capstone project.

#### **Practicum (1-6 units)**

PRACTICUM (296, 396, 496 courses): Provides the opportunity for students to participate in an on-campus experience with a Marymount University faculty member, department or office. The focus of the practicum is related to Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) developed between the student and the Faculty of Record.

PRACTICUM (596 course): Intensive graduate practice-based research experience in an on-campus setting. Requires a pre-approved, graduate research plan with Program Chair approval.

<u>Practicum Participation Requirements:</u> Available for all class levels; in good academic standing; application through Career Center and consent from Faculty of Record.

#### **Service Learning**

Service is a key component in the University's mission statement and Institutional Student Learning Outcomes. Anchored by the core principles of our founders, the Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary, our Marymount community makes a concerted effort to reflect the RSHM call to "respond to the needs of our time and to work with others in action for evangelical justice." Each year Marymount students, faculty and staff perform hours of service in the greater Los Angeles community in order to help others while applying what they learn to the classroom curriculum. This powerful form of education benefits all involved.

The Marymount Service Learning Program serves as a resource that assists faculty in integrating mission-related service projects into the classroom curriculum. This creates dynamic classroom communities focused on helping students apply the core educational concepts to the real world in a meaningful way. Marymount students make a world of difference as they learn and grow.

#### Study Abroad and Faculty-Led Study Travel Programs

Studying overseas provides a unique opportunity which can open up fresh perspectives on international political, economic and social issues, interpersonal and intercultural relationships, and career choices.

Marymount's study abroad and faculty-led study travel programs directly support our emphasis on encouraging students to recognize and develop multiple perspectives and global awareness.

Students are encouraged to participate in study abroad and faculty-led study travel programs in many academic fields in almost every part of the world. All regularly enrolled Marymount students who will be of sophomore, junior or senior standing during the time abroad with a minimum 2.8 GPA (3.0 GPA required for some programs) are eligible to apply. Some programs offered require no previous foreign language study. Students studying abroad through Marymount-approved programs are enrolled in a full course of study at the host institution, but receive Marymount credit. Financial Aid is applicable and additional scholarships are available. (Fall and spring terms only).

• Marymount California University Partner and Affiliate Programs are offered through links between the University and overseas institutions around the world. Study Abroad Programs offer students a unique opportunity for immersion in another culture and country. Students can take intensive language programs or classes in English taught by local professors alongside local students and fully integrate into the host-university and culture. Courses taken through these study abroad programs may fulfill

degree requirements or serve as electives. Courses taken on these programs will be reflected as Marymount courses on the Marymount transcript. All students participating in a partner or affiliate program complete an experiential learning course, GS 241, while abroad. Students interested in study abroad are encouraged to plan their course of study with their academic advisor and meet with the staff in the Office of International Study.

- The London Semester program at Marymount was established in 1988 as a fall semester-abroad program with Regent's College in London, England. The Regent's College Program is offered through Webster University, which is accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The primary aim is to provide opportunities for international education experience to students through study, research and cultural activities. Selected qualified students with a Marymount cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, engage in coursework for academic credit. A listing of approved courses that Marymount students may take while at Regent's College is published annually.
- Summer Session in London began in summer 2007 with Marymount faculty in residence at Regent's College in London, England. Marymount students earn five units while taking courses with Marymount and Regent's College faculty.
- Faculty-led Study Travel Courses are offered at various times throughout
  the year. Students study and travel with a team of faculty members on a
  predetermined itinerary. Tours and cultural excursions supplement faculty
  lectures and assignments throughout the course. Students can earn academic
  credit for the courses.





## Undergraduate Academic Degree Requirements

#### MARYMOUNT LIBERAL EDUCATION CORE (36-44 UNITS)

This core provides a common foundation for all AA, AS and BA Marymount degrees.

#### 1. Skills Core (12-13 units)

Development of the reading, writing, listening, speaking and analytical thinking skills necessary to communicate with confidence, clarity, sensitivity, efficiency and precision.

#### One course from each of the following:

Expository Writing: 3 units

English 112

Analytical Writing: 3 units

English 114

Speech: 3 units

Communication Arts 105, 125, 130, 145, 200, 250 or

Speech 105, 125, 130, 145, 200, 250

Logical Thinking: 3-4 units

Computer Science 183 or above, Math 060, 090 (not 090I) or above, Philosophy 130, Anthropology/Psychology/Sociology 235

or Business 220

#### 2. Humanities Core (13-15 units)

A focus on the world condition in which the primary purpose is to assist the student with discovering and developing his/her/humanity as a person, and thus with developing the knowledge, wisdom and values that emphasize why and how this humaneness ought to be critically applied to personal, social, vocational, environmental and spiritual life.

#### One course from each of the following:

*The Art of Being Human*: 1-3 units

Interdisciplinary Studies 117, 117H or ID217 by placement

Literature: 3 units

English 120 through 260

Philosophy: 3 units

Philosophy course

Religion: 3 units

Religion course

Fine Arts: 3 units

AM 101 through 271

Art 104 through 231

Communication Arts 110, Music 100 through 116, 185

Theater 100 through 121, 185

#### 3. Natural Sciences Core (3-5 units)

A focus on the world condition in which the primary purpose is to assist the student with appreciating quantitative empirical methodologies and developing skills for the systematic analysis of data, from which natural phenomena and the behavior of living organisms can be described and explained.

#### One course:

Natural Sciences:

3-5 units

Any Science course, Anthropology 110, Geography 108

#### 4. Behavioral and Social Sciences Core (6 units)

A focus on the world condition in which the primary purpose is to assist the student with appreciating the application of both quantitative and qualitative empirical methods to the description and explanation of human behavior.

#### One course from each of the following:

Behavioral/Social Sciences:

3 units

Anthropology (except 235), Economics, Education 110, 140, 220, Geography, Political Science, Psychology (except 235), Sociology (except 235)

History:

3 units

Any History course

#### 5. Physical Health Core (2-5 units)

An appreciation for the knowledge and good habits associated with the development of healthful lifestyles.

#### One course from each of the following:

Health Education:

1-3 units

Any Health course, Physical Education 104, or Psychology 230

Physical Education:

1-2 units

Any Physical Education course

#### 6. Cross-Cultural/Cross-Disciplinary

(This is a course requirement; not a unit requirement). Students must earn 2-3 units in a CC/CD course to meet graduation requirements, unless the graduation requirement was met by another course.

An appreciation for the value of understanding diverse cultures and diverse disciplinary methodologies.

One course from the designated list on page 12

### Requirements for the Associate in Arts and Associate in Science Degrees

Marymount California University, incorporated under the laws of the state of California and empowered by these laws to grant academic degrees, confers the Associate in Arts or Associate in Science degree upon candidates who fulfill the following conditions:

- 1. Earn a minimum of 60 units; no more than 3 units of developmental coursework may be applied to the 60 unit minimum.
- Complete the Marymount liberal education core requirements as outlined in preceding pages.
- 3. Meet all concentration requirements if applicable. AA students may opt for a concentration. AA concentrations are comprised of a minimum of 9 units of coursework. AS students must complete a concentration. AS concentrations are comprised of a minimum of 18 units. Concentration sheets are available in the Advising and Career Center and at www.MarymountCalifornia.edu
- 4. Achieve a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 in all work attempted.
- 5. Satisfy the residency requirements.
  - a. Earn a minimum of 30 units at Marymount; no more than 3 units of developmental coursework may be applied to the 30 unit minimum.
  - b. Once matriculated, a student may transfer in a maximum of 7 units from another institution.

#### **Requirements for the Bachelor of Arts Degrees**

Marymount California University, incorporated under the laws of the state of California and empowered by these laws to grant academic degrees, confers the Bachelor of Arts degree upon candidates who fulfill the following conditions:

- 1. Earn a minimum of 120 units; no more than 3 units of developmental coursework may be applied to the 120 unit minimum.
- 2. Complete the Marymount liberal education core requirements as outlined in preceding pages.
- 3. Meet all program requirements including Senior Capstone.
- Achieve a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 in all work attempted.
- 5. Satisfy the residency requirements.
  - a. Minimum of 30 units completed at Marymount. No more than 3 units of developmental coursework may be applied to the 30 unit minimum.
  - b. Once matriculated, a student may transfer in a maximum of 7 units from another institution.
  - c. Capstone successfully completed through Marymount with a grade of C or higher (497 and 498, 6 units).

#### **Important Notes to the Student**

1. Students may participate in the Associate degree commencement ceremony if they have completed a minimum of 53 units and have no more than 2 non-sequential degree requirements left to fulfill.

Students may participate in the Bachelor's degree commencement ceremony if they have completed a minimum of 113 units and have no more than 2 non-sequential degree requirements left to fulfill.

- No course can fulfill more than one Liberal Education Core course requirement, except for the CC/CD "Themed Course" required for graduation. This course may be simultaneously used to fulfill a Liberal Education Core course requirement. (Please see the list of CC/CD "Themed Courses" on page 12.)
- 3. For any course that satisfies a specific degree requirement, the corresponding cross-listed course will also satisfy the same requirement.
- 4. Four or five unit courses with a compulsory, built-in lab may not be split between the general education core and concentration areas. However, a

three-unit course with a one-unit optional lab (3+1) may be split between the general education core and the concentration area.

5. Up to 15 units of Marymount coursework taken as a non-degree student may be considered and applied toward a Marymount BA degree.

#### **Continuous Enrollment**

Students who did not file an application for degree completion and who did not submit an approved leave-of-absence form and did not maintain continuous enrollment at the University are bound by the graduation requirements of the current year catalog. If a student is within seven units of degree completion, they do not need to re-apply with the Office of Admission. Students who do not meet the degree requirements and are missing more that seven units will be required to re-apply with the Office of Admission in order to return to Marymount.



#### COURSES THAT SATISFY THE CROSS-DISCIPLINARY (CD) AND CROSS-CULTURAL (CC) CORE THEME REQUIREMENT

Students must earn 2-3 units in a CC/CD course to meet the degree requirement. Cross-Disciplinary (CD): Courses study topics that are relevant to two or more academic disciplines (fields of study)

ART 185

AM 202

AS 200

**CAR 148** 

ECO 135

EDU 130, 140

ENG 117, 140, 170

GS 135

HIS 135

ID 107, 123, 123H, 126, 133, 142, 146, 147, 148, 149, 185

MUS 112, 185

PHI 150

PSY 123, 123H

REL 142, 144, 210

SCI 170

SOC 140

THE 110, 185

### Cross-Cultural (CC): Courses compare two or more distinct cultures either across nations (international) or within the United States (domestic)

AM 211 (formerly Art 107)

ANT 120, 140

**ART 108** 

**CAR 140** 

ECO 135

ENG 104, 250, 260

FRE 200, 201

GEO 100, 120

GS 135

HIS 135, 270

ID 180, 191

JPN 200, 201

**POL 220** 

**PSY 280** 

REL 130, 130H

SOC 100, 100H, 125, 175, 250

SPA 200, 201

**Note:** ID 117 does not fulfill the CC/CD requirement.

#### BACHELOR OF ARTS IN BUSINESS DEGREE PROGRAM

Business at Marymount: "Create Value for Self and Society"

#### **Program Mission**

The Marymount California University Business Program offers a flexible curriculum that emphasizes learning by doing, effective communication, decision-making through analysis, and the creation of value for self and society. True to our global perspective and our Catholic heritage, we seek to promote respectful collaboration and ethical relationships, and are committed to providing students a program that is relevant, individualized, and supportive.

#### **Program Learning Outcomes**

After completion of the Business Core courses, one concentration, and a capstone project, students will be able to:

- Read financial statements, interpret business news, use appropriate business and economic terminology, prepare effective management reports, and deliver convincing verbal and digital presentations.
- Use economic and business concepts, models, and quantitative data to interpret, analyze, and plan.
- 3. Evaluate competing options and reflect on ethical implications to support management decisions.
- 4. Recognize and articulate the perspectives of multiple constituencies in a global context with a focus on the creation of value.
- 5. Apply conceptual tools to management situations and collaborate to meet joint project goals.

#### **A Solid Business Core**

Core business and foundation courses in Accounting, Economics, Management, Marketing, Business Law and Finance are supplemented by distinctive Marymount classes that promote interdisciplinary approaches to Business. These include Perspectives on Global Development, Management for Sustainability, and Business Ethics.

#### A Choice of Concentrations and/or Emphasis

#### Entrepreneurship

The Entrepreneurship concentration allows students to learn through a case-study approach in a seminar setting, with guest speakers from both successful and struggling organizations. Students have the opportunity to critique one another's business plans, laying the foundation for the development of their own capstone project.

#### Global and Community Development

The Global and Community Development concentration was developed to provide its students with a broad-based education focused on the skills and abilities to successfully engage in bringing improvements to their community, which can be defined to include everything from one's own neighborhood to the world. This program will start by understanding how one identifies the needs within the defined community. It will include understanding the role of both NGO's and social entrepreneurs as community change agents. It is our expectation that each of our students in this concentration will be involved in some form of Community Development internship or practicum during their program.

#### Management

The Management concentration was developed to provide our students with a solid understanding of this field of business. There are three components within this concentration. The first is focused on the traditional components of planning, organizing, staffing, controlling, and directing. The second component introduces and familiarizes our students with the field of leadership. Finally, each of our students will be exposed to some of the newest cutting-edge theories that cross the spectrum of management.

#### Marketing

Modern marketers are required to demonstrate robust problem solving skills and have the ability to communicate cross-functionally—whether it be in a start-up entrepreneurial environment or a large, complex organization. The Marymount marketing concentration is designed to address the needs of the modern marketplace.

The curriculum begins with a study of business and marketing principles, builds on a set of related analytical methods, and develops the students' ability to work with diverse stakeholders to create value and build strong customer relationships.

#### **Operations & Systems Management**

This concentration has been developed to meet the needs of those students who recognize the importance of an organization's effective oversight of its "value-adding" activities (the creation and delivery of the things customers pay for and the services clients rely on) and have a desire to incorporate this understanding within their professional career path. This concentration starts by establishing a solid understanding behind the creation and evolution of the more traditional planning and control tools and practices that have been used since the 1940's. Once this solid foundation has been established, the students will be introduced to the latest evolution of the tools and practices within the broad field of Operations & Systems Management. These new sets of tools and practices are based upon what is commonly referred to as systems-thinking. Within the field of Operations these new tools and practices are called the Theory of Constraints, within Human Relations they are called Requisite Organization, and within Organizational Behavior they are referred to as a Learning Organization.

#### Accounting Emphasis

The Accounting emphasis has been designed to provide students with the requisite number and variety of accounting classes needed to meet the current academic requirements for the CPA examination. While a large portion of these courses will be classroom based, the Taxation and Auditing courses will involve some exposure to the 'real-world' issues facing today's accountants.

#### **A Capstone that Opens Doors**

Every BA student completes a senior capstone project through Marymount. Capstone students are enrolled in 497-498 level courses. Enrollment in any 497-498 capstone requires senior standing and approval of the corresponding Program Chair. Satisfactory completion of the capstone is based on successfully demonstrating attainment of all institutional student learning outcomes and program learning outcomes. Capstone students have multiple opportunities as detailed in the syllabus to receive guidance and feedback before final evaluation.



## **Business BA Required Courses**

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LIBERAL EDUCATION CORE	REQUIREMENT	S: GE (Lower Division 36 to 44 units)	
		developmental units may be applied to any degree.	
ANALYTICAL WRITING: ENG			
	ICE: ANT (NOT 2	235)/ECO*/EDU (NOT 125, 130)/GEO/POL/PSY	
(NOT 235)/SOC (NOT 235)			
<b>EXPOSITORY WRITING:</b> ENG	i 112		
FINE ARTS: AM 100-271; Art 1	04-231; CAR 110	0; MUS 100-116, 185; THE 100-121, 185	
<b>HEALTH EDUCATION:</b> HED 1			
HISTORY: ANY HIS*			
<b>LITERATURE</b> : ENG 120 THRO	OUGH 260		
<b>LOGICAL THINKING:</b> CS 183,	, 195, 196, 210, F	PHI 130, MTH 60 or higher, ANT/PSY/SOC 235	
OR BUS 220*			
NATURAL SCIENCES: ANT 1	10/GEO 108/ANY	'SCI	
PHILOSOPHY*			
PHYSICAL EDUCATION			
RELIGIOUS STUDIES			
SPEECH			
THE ART OF BEING HUMAN:	ID 117 OR ID 21	17 (by placement)	
CROSS-CULTURAL/CROSS [			
·		Y: May be double counted with one other	
Liberal Education Core Requ	uirement.		
*Course taken for Liberal Art	*Course taken for Liberal Arts Education may also be used to satisfy Business degree.		
BUSINESS PREPARATION REQUIREMENTS			
	ACCT 151 (formerly BUS 151): Financial Accounting I (4 units)		
ACCT 201 (formerly BUS 201):	: Managerial Acc	ounting (3 units)	
		students matriculating F11 or after	
BUS 220: Statistics for Busines	ss & Economics (	4) or MTH 270**	
		gree are encouraged to take MTH 120	
BUS/PHI 240: Business Ethics			
BUS 260: Business Law (3 uni			
ECO/GS/HIS 135: Perspective		elopment (3 units)	
ECONOMICS 220: Microecono			
ECONOMICS 221: Macroecon			
REQUIRED BUSINESS CORE	COURSES		
BUS 300		anagement (3 units)	
BUS 301		r Sustainability (3 units)	
BUS 350		arketing (3 units)	
BUS 360	Business Information Systems (3 units)		
BUS 380	Corporate Finance (4 units)		
BUS 497-498   Capstone 1 and 2 (3 each)			
	CCT 151, BUS 1 <sup>2</sup>	10, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135, and	
ECO 220 or 221			
least 1 from the 6 areas		SIS (6 classes): Students must choose at	
Concentration 1: Entrepreneurs	rship Concentration 4: Operations & Systems Management		
Concentration 2: Management		Concentration 5: Global and Community Development	
		Emphasis 1: Accounting	
Solid and Solid			
UNIT TOTALS			
TOTAL NUMBER OF UNITS TO	O GRADUATE M	UST EQUAL 120+	
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## **Business BA Required Courses**

Business students are encouraged to choose more than one concentration/emphasis or add business electives to their program. Two or more concentrations will be offered each year in a multi-year rotation. One concentration is required.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP	
BUS 315	Entrepreneurship I (3)
BUS 316	Entrepreneurship II (3)
BUS 415	Entrepreneurship for Social Change (3)
	ACCT 151, BUS 110, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135, and ECO 220 or 221
MANAGEMENT	
BUS 461	Management & Organizational Leadership (3)
BUS 462	Managerial Problem-solving (3)
Select your third course f	rom the electives listed below
BUS/PSY 325	Organizational Behavior (3)
BUS 425	Introduction to Requisite Organizations (3)
*Prerequisite = 5 courses:	ACCT 151, BUS 110, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135, and ECO 220 or 221
MARKETING	
BUS 452	Marketing Analysis and Forecasting (3)
BUS 454	New Product Development (3)
BUS 456	Integrated Marketing Communications (3)
*Prerequisite = 5 courses:	ACCT 151, BUS 110, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135, and ECO 220 or 221
GLOBAL AND COMMUNIT	Y DEVELOPMENT
ECO 302	California in the Global Economy (3)
Select two courses from t	he electives listed below
BUS 415	Entrepreneurship for Social Change (3)
ECO 300	Business, Government, and Society (3)
ECO/GS 400	People, Profit, Planet (3)
ECO 410	Economics of Population, Energy and Resources (3)
ECO 420	Economic Systems and Innovation (3)
*Prerequisite = 5 courses:	ACCT 151, BUS 110, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135, and ECO 220 or 221
OPERATIONS & SYSTEMS	S MANAGEMENT
Required:	
BUS 401	Operations Management (3)
BUS 402	Integrative Quality Management (3)
Select your third course f	rom the electives listed below
BUS 403	Theory of Constraints (3)
BUS 460	Project Management (3)
•	ACCT 151, BUS 110, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135, and ECO 220 or 221
ACCOUNTING EMPHASIS	(All 6 courses must be completed)
ACCT 351	Intermediate Accounting I (3)
ACCT 352	Intermediate Accounting II (3)
ACCT 353	Federal Income Taxation I (3)
ACCT 354	Federal Income Taxation II (3)
ACCT 453	Auditing (3)
ACCT 454	CPA Exam Preparation and Review (3)

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# BACHELOR OF ARTS IN LIBERAL ARTS DEGREE PROGRAM

#### **Program Mission**

The Marymount California University BA in Liberal Arts degree will enable students to design an interdisciplinary program in preparation for a variety of careers and graduate programs. Liberal Arts majors will work with their advisor to select courses and combine areas of emphasis from Accounting, American Studies, Arts & Media, Behavioral Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, Business, Criminal Justice, Global Studies, Music, Performing Arts and Psychology for a powerful learning experience. Research, reflection, and capstone experiences will provide students with the opportunity to earn a degree that provides a breadth of learning and the opportunity to apply critical thinking and research in different disciplines.

#### **Program Learning Outcomes**

After completion of the Liberal Arts core, two areas of emphasis, and an interdisciplinary capstone project, students will be able to:

- 1. Utilize the vocabulary and thought patterns of at least two different academic disciplines.
- 2. Apply the analytic methodology of at least two disciplines to an issue.
- Select the most appropriate disciplinary approaches to the understanding of an issue.
- 4. Recognize and analyze the ethical implications of a given issue, and, where appropriate, articulate a personal position.
- Engage in collaborative study of an issue with representatives of various disciplines.

Students combine two Areas of Emphasis out of the following options. The minimum upper division unit requirements are listed for each emphasis.

#### Accounting (25 units, 18 upper division)

The Accounting emphasis has been designed to provide students with the requisite number and variety of accounting classes needed to meet the current academic requirements for the CPA examination. While a large portion of these courses will be classroom based, the Taxation and Auditing will involve some exposure to the "real-world" issues facing today's accountants.

#### American Studies (24 units, at least 15 upper division)

Interdisciplinary focus on United States history and culture. Choice of courses includes US History; Race, Ethnicity and Gender; Religion in America; Music

in America; American Literature; Business, Government and Society; Aging in America: Food in America.

#### Arts & Media (24 units, 9 units of theory, 15 units of studio courses)

Flexible exposure to the arts, with a mix of lecture and studio classes ranging from Art History to Drawing, Design, and Digital Media.

#### Behavioral Sciences (15 units- 3 upper division)

This emphasis is only available for Biomedical Sciences students. This emphasis is the study of human behavior for preparation for the MCAT exam and preparation for graduate pre-professional programs in the medical field. The emphasis includes a variety of courses in Psychology, Psychobiology and Sociology.

#### **Biomedical Science** (64 units- 36 lower division, 28 upper division)

This pre-professional emphasis provides students with a strong background in life sciences and physical sciences. It is intended to serve as preparation for graduate study in medical programs and related health fields. Courses include General Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Physics, Calculus, General Biology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Cell Biology, Genetics, and Molecular Biology.

#### **Business** (25 units, including at least 9 units upper division)

Strong emphasis on fundamental concepts in Accounting and Economics, grounding in ethical and global perspectives, and a flexible choice of upper division Business courses. Choices include Marketing, Entrepreneurship, Management for Sustainability, Communication and Leadership, The Art of Negotiation, California in the Global Economy, Finance, among others.

#### Criminal Justice (24 units – 12 upper division)

Students study and research issues and problems related to Criminal Justice with a view to developing civic understanding and an ethical framework for a life of compassionate service to others and society within this wide-ranging field.

#### *Global Studies* (24 units, at least 15 upper division)

Interdisciplinary approach to develop awareness and understanding of global issues, with courses ranging across World Geography; Perspectives on Global Development, World Religions; Peace and Conflict Studies; Roots, Folk and World Music; California in the Global Economy; Topics in Global Health; Water; and Energy.

#### *Music* (24 units – at least 4 upper division)

The Music emphasis offers students a broad spectrum of academic opportunities in music. Courses are offered in performance, theory, composition, history, ethnomusicology, recording arts, and music business.

#### **Performing Arts** (24 units – at least 3 upper division)

The Performing Arts emphasis provides study in dance, music, and theater. Emphasis is on students' consideration and development of their own personal aesthetic values within an historical and eclectic framework.

**Psychology** (25 units, at least 9 units upper division, one unit of practicum)

Foundation in the study of human behavior, with courses in a variety of areas including General Psychology, Research Methods, Social Psychology, Psychobiology, Child and Adolescent Development, Organizational Behavior, and Intercultural Psychology.

Note: Students are encouraged to work with their academic advisor and refer to the schedule of classes for specific course selection.

#### **A Capstone that Opens Doors**

Every BA student completes a senior capstone project through Marymount. Capstone students are enrolled in 497-498 level courses. Enrollment in any 497-498 capstone requires senior standing and approval of the corresponding Program Chair. Satisfactory completion of the capstone is based on successfully demonstrating attainment of all institutional student learning outcomes and program learning outcomes. Capstone students have multiple opportunities as detailed in the syllabus to receive guidance and feedback before final evaluation.



LIBERAL EDUCATION CORE REQUIREMENTS: GE (Lower Division 36 to 44 units)

One course must be taken in each area. NOTE: Only 3 developmental units may be applied to any degree.

**ANALYTICAL WRITING: ENG 114** 

BEHAVIORAL/SOCIAL SCIENCE: ANT\* (NOT 235)/ ECO\*/ EDU\* (NOT 125, 130)/ GEO\*/

POL\*/ PSY\* (NOT 100, OR 235)/ SOC\* (NOT 235)

**EXPOSITORY WRITING: ENG 112** 

FINE ARTS\*: AM 100-271; Art 104-231; CAR 110; MUS 100-116, 185; THE 100-121, 185

HEALTH EDUCATION: HED 100, 130, 150, 170/ PED 104/ PSY 230

**HISTORY\*** 

LITERATURE: ENG 120 THRU 260

LOGICAL THINKING: BUS 220, CS 183, 195, 196, 210, PHI 130, MTH 60 or higher, ANT/

**PSY/SOC 235\*** 

NATURAL SCIENCES: ANT 110\*/GEO 108/ANY SCI\*

PHILOSOPHY\*

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

**RELIGIOUS STUDIES\*** 

**SPEECH** 

THE ART OF BEING HUMAN: ID 117 OR ID 217 (by placement)

CROSS-CULTURAL/CROSS DISCIPLINARY+

†CROSS-CULTURAL/CROSS-DISCIPLINARY: May be double counted with one other Liberal Education Core Requirement.

#### REQUIRED CORE COURSES FOR ALL LIBERAL ARTS BA MAJORS

**COLLEGE LEVEL MATH:** See box below (and individual emphasis sheets) for specific Math requirement.

INFORMATION LITERACY: ID 230 (formerly ID 130) (1 unit)

PHILOSOPHY: PHI 300 or 400\* LEVEL (3 units)
RELIGION: REL 300 or 400\* LEVEL (3 units)

ID 497: Capstone 1 (3 units)
ID 498: Capstone 2 (3 units)

(can only be combined with Biomedical Sciences)  5. BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES  64 Calculus   &	ARI	EA OF EMPHASIS: CHOOSE 2 OUT OF 11	Units	College Level Math
3. ARTS AND MEDIA       24       Any college level Math         4. BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (can only be combined with Biomedical Sciences)       15       See Biomedical Sciences         5. BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES       64       Calculus I & II         6. BUSINESS       25       Statistics recommended         7. CRIMINAL JUSTICE       24       Statistics required         8. GLOBAL STUDIES       24       Statistics required	1.	ACCOUNTING	25	Statistics recomm.
4. BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (can only be combined with Biomedical Sciences)       15       See Biomedical Sciences         5. BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES       64       Calculus I & II         6. BUSINESS       25       Statistics recommended         7. CRIMINAL JUSTICE       24       Statistics required         8. GLOBAL STUDIES       24       Statistics required	2.	AMERICAN STUDIES	24	Statistics required
(can only be combined with Biomedical Sciences)       5. BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES     64 Calculus I & II       6. BUSINESS     25 Statistics recommended       7. CRIMINAL JUSTICE     24 Statistics required       8. GLOBAL STUDIES     24 Statistics required	3.	ARTS AND MEDIA	24	Any college level Math
5. BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES       64       Calculus I & II         6. BUSINESS       25       Statistics recommended         7. CRIMINAL JUSTICE       24       Statistics required         8. GLOBAL STUDIES       24       Statistics required	4.		15	See Biomedical Sciences
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8. GLOBAL STUDIES 24 Statistics required	6.	BUSINESS	25	Statistics recommended
'	7.	CRIMINAL JUSTICE	24	Statistics required
9. MUSIC 24 Any college level Math	8.	GLOBAL STUDIES	24	Statistics required
	9.	MUSIC	24	Any college level Math
<b>10. PERFORMING ARTS</b> 24 Any college level Math	10.	PERFORMING ARTS	24	Any college level Math
11. PSYCHOLOGY25Statistics required	11.	PSYCHOLOGY	25	Statistics required

#### **UNIT TOTALS**

TOTAL NUMBER OF UNITS TO EARN BA: **120. Only 3 developmental units may be applied to degree.** Your transcript will calculate units and your degree audit will show credit placement.

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EMPHASIS 1: ACCOUNTING		
College Level Math	Statistics recommended (4)	
Required:		
ACCT 151	Financial Accounting (4)	
ACCT 201	Managerial Accounting (3)	
ACCT 351	Intermediate Accounting I (3)	
ACCT 352	Intermediate Accounting II (3)	
ACCT 353	Federal Income Taxation I (3)	
ACCT 354	Federal Income Taxation II (3)	
ACCT 453	Auditing (3)	
ACCT 454	CPA Exam Preparation and Review (3)	

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EMPHASIS 2: AMERICAN	STUDIES
Required:	···
AS 200	Introduction to American Studies (3)
ANT/PSY/SOC 235*,	One College-level Statistics course (4)
BUS 220* or Math 270*	( · /
Select a minimum of 6 uni	ts from the following:
EDU/SOC 140	The Home, the School, the Community (3)
ENG 260* or SOC 250*	Ethnic Lit. or Race, Ethnicity, Gender, & Class (3)
GIS 250 + 255	Intro. to GPS and Remote Sensing + Intro to GIS (4)
GS 220	Intro. to Sustainability (3)
HIS 120* or 121*	US History I or US History II (3)
HIS 270* or 275*	History of Women in the US or US Ethnic History (3)
ID 185	Backstage with the Arts (3)
MUS 101* or 112	Music in America or American Musical Theatre (3)
POL 100* or 110*	American Institutions or Intro. to Pol. Science (3)
REL 142* or 144* or 225*	Rel. in America I or II or Rel. & Society (3)
SOC 100*	Intro. to Sociology (3)
15 upper division units fro	om the following: Check the Catalog for course prerequisites.
ANT/GEO/SOC 320	Human Migration (3)
AS 333	Food in America (3)
BUS/CAR 332	Multicultural Communication (3)
CJ 355	Homeland Security, Terrorism & Criminal Justice (4)
CJ 361	Terrorism in the US: A Pre/Post 9-11 Review (4)
ECO 300	Business, Government, and Society (3)
ECO/GS 302	California in the Global Economy (3)
ECO/GS 410	Economics in Population, Energy and Resources (3)
ENG 304	The American Novel (3)
ENG 310	American Catholic Authors of the 20th Century (3)
GS 330	Climate Change (3)
GS 405A	Global City: Los Angeles (3)
HIS 330	Latin America & the Latino Experience (3)
MUS 310	Roots, Folk & World Music (3)
PHI 310	Philosophy of Film (3)
PHI 315	Ethics in America: the Pursuit of Happiness (3)
PHI 320	American Philosophy (3)
PHI 330	Postmodernism (3)
PHI 385	Philosophy of Science (3)
POL/SOC 310	Demography (3)
PSY 380	Applied Intercultural Psychology (3)
REL 342	Religion in American Popular Culture (3)
REL 345	Religion in Digital Media (3)
REL 350	American Catholics & Slavery: 1789-1866 (3)
SOC 315	Aging in America (3)
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EMPHASIS 3: ARTS & MEDIA		
Required:		
College Level Math	Any course: MTH 105 or higher (3-4)	
Theory Courses:		
<b>AM 105</b> (or AM 100 if	Intro to Arts & Media Methodology (3) or	
completed prior to F12)	Fundamentals of Arts and Media (3)	
AM 201	West. Civilization Art Since the Renaissance (3)	
1 from the following:		
AM 202	History of Film (3)	
AM 212	Television & Film Production (3)	
AM 221	History of Graphic Design (3)	
AM 301	Contemporary Art (3)	
AM 304	History of Multimedia (3)	
Studio Courses REQU	RED:	
AM 111	Drawing 1 (3)	
AM 120 or AM 121	Digital Foundations (3) or Digital Color (3)	
1 from the following:		
AM 122	Video Production Methods I (3)	
AM 132	Film Production Methods I (3)	
AM 141	Digital Page Layout (3)	
AM 151	Digital Photography (3)	
1 from the following:		
AM 204	Website Designs 1 (3)	
AM 213	Digital Video Motion Graphics (3)	
AM 222	Video Production Methods 2 (3)	
AM 232	Film Production Methods 2 (3)	
AM 241	Digital Photography & Imaging (3)	
AM 251	Digital Publication Design (3)	
AM 252	Digital Video Editing 1 (3)	
1 from the following:		
AM 242	Digital Audio Production & Editing (3)	
AM 261	Digital Typography (3)	
AM 271	Digital Illustration (3)	
AM 311	Digital Advertising Design (3)	
AM 312	Digital Video Editing 2 (3)	
AM 321	Digital Package Design (3)	
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EMPHASIS 4: BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES This emphasis can only be paired with Biomedical Sciences.			
Required Courses:			
PSY 150*	General Psychology (3)		
PSY 123*	Psychobiology (3)		
SOC 100*	Introduction to Sociology (3)		
One course from the foll	owing (PSY or SOC) must be upper division.		
Choose one course from:			
PSY 220	Human Lifespan Development (3)		
PSY 228	Abnormal Psychology (3)		
PSY 337	Cognitive Processes (3)		
PSY 345	Social Psychology (3)		
PSY 370	Psychology of Health & Wellness (3)		
Choose one course from:			
SOC 175*	Modern Social Problems (3)		
SOC 250*	Race, Ethnicity, Gender, Class in the US (3)		
SOC 310	Demography (3)		
SOC 315	Aging in America (3)		

The Behavioral Sciences emphasis was designed to accompany Biomedical Sciences. Beginning 2015, the MCAT will include questions in the Behavioral Sciences. If your goal is to apply to Medical School, this area of emphasis is recommended with Biomedical Sciences.

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EMPHASIS 5: BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES			
Lower Division Re	Lower Division Required:		
SCI 220*	General Chemistry I (5)		
SCI 221*	General Chemistry II (5)		
SCI 240*	General Biology I (4)		
SCI 241*	General Biology II (4)		
SCI 230	Physics I (5)		
SCI 231	Physics II (5)		
MTH 130*	Calculus I (4)		
MTH 131	Calculus II (4)		
Upper Division Re	Upper Division Required:		
SCI 315	Organic Chemistry I (5)		
SCI 316	Organic Chemistry II (5)		
SCI 320	Biochemistry (3)		
SCI 330	Biology of Microorganisms (4)		
SCI 340	Cell Biology (3)		
SCI 350	Genomics (3)		
SCI 380	Molecular Biology (5)		

These courses need to be taken in the following sequence: SCI 220/221, MTH 130/131 (preferably freshman year); SCI 240/241/315/316 (preferably sophomore year); SCI 320/330 (junior); SCI 340/350/380 (senior). SCI 230/231 can be taken either sophomore or junior year preferably. If starting in SCI 115 (Fundamentals of Chem.) SCI 220/221 (Gen. Chem.) should be taken in summer if the intent is to graduate in 4 years.

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EMPHASIS 6: BUSINESS				
Required:	Required:			
BUS 110 #	Introduction to Business (3 units) required for students			
	matriculating F11 and after			
ACCT 151 #	Financial Accounting (4) ##			
BUS/PHI 240 or BUS 260 #	Business Ethics (3) or Business Law (3)			
ECO 220* or 221 #	Micro or Macroeconomics (3)			
ECO/HIS/GS 135 #	Perspectives on Global Development (3)			
College Level Math	One College-level Statistics course recommended (4)			
	must be completed before taking most of the upper division course			
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3 Upper Division courses	from the following:			
BUS 300	Management (3)			
BUS 301	Management for Sustainability (3)			
BUS 315	Entrepreneurship I (3)			
BUS 316	Entrepreneurship II (3)			
BUS/PSY 325	Organizational Behavior (3)			
BUS/CAR 330	Business Communication and Leadership (3)			
BUS/CAR 331	The Art of Negotiation (3)			
BUS/CAR 332	Multicultural Communication (3)			
BUS 350	Principles of Marketing (3)			
BUS 360	Business Information Systems (3)			
BUS 380	Corporate Finance (4)			
BUS 401	Operations Management (3)			
BUS 402	Integrative Quality Management (3)			
BUS 403	Theory of Constraints (3)			
BUS 415	Entrepreneurship for Social Change (3)			
BUS 425	Introduction to Requisite Organizations (3)			
BUS 452	Marketing Analysis and Forecasting (3)			
BUS 454	New Product Development (3)			
BUS 456	Integrated Marketing Communications (3)			
BUS 460	Project Management (3)			
ECO 300	Business, Government and Society (3)			
ECO 302	California in the Global Economy (3)			
ECO/GS 400	People, Profity, Planet (3)			
ECO 410	Economics of Population, Energy and Resources (3)			
ECO 420	Economic Systems and Innovation (3)			
## or BUS 150 and 200/200AB				
	y fill both a Liberal Ed. Core and a lower division emphasis			
requirement. Up to 3 courses from the Liberal Ed. Core may apply to an emphasis. One course				
<i>may not</i> be applied to more than one emphasis. Upper division Philosophy & Religion core may be used in one area of emphasis.				
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EMPHASIS 7: CRIMINAL JUSTICE		
REQUIRED:		
CJ 101	Intro to Criminal Justice (3)	
CJ 121	Concepts of Criminal Law (3)	
CJ 141	Legal Aspects of Evidence (3)	
CJ 181	Criminal Investigations (3)	
CJ 311	Criminal Justice Administration (4)	
Required:		
College Level Math	One College-Level Statistics course (4)	
Choose 2 courses from the following:		
CJ 301	Strategic Communications: Literacy Skills for the Public Safety Professional (4)	
CJ/PHI 331	Ethics & Professional Responsibility in Criminal Justice (4)	
CJ 355	Homeland Security, Terrorism & Criminal Justice (4)	
CJ 361	Terrorism in the US: A Pre/Post 9-11 Review (4)	
CJ 362	Transnational Crimes & Comparative Criminal Justice Systems (4)	

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EMPHASIS 8: GLOBAL	STUDIES
Required:	
ECO/HIS/GS 135*	Perspectives on Global Development (3 units)
ANT/PSY/SOC 235 or BUS 220 or MTH 270	One College-level Statistics course (4)
Minimum 6 lower divis	ion units:
ANT 120* or GEO 100* ANT 200	Cultural Anthro. or Cultural Geography (3)
	Applied Anthropology (3)
GEO 120	World Regional Geography (3)
GIS 250 + 255	Intro. to GPS and Remote Sensing + Intro to GIS (4)
GS 220	Introduction to Sustainability (3)
ID 107	Introduction to Peace and Conflict Study (2-3)
ID 180 or ID 191	Comparative Culture or Western Culture (2-3)
POL 110* or POL 220* or POL 240*	Intro to Pol. Sci or Comparative Govt. or International Relations (3)
PSY 280*	Intercultural Psychology (3)
REL 130*	World Religions (3)
SCI 140* or SCI 160*	Plants & Civilization (4) or Marine Biology (4) or Ecology of Humans
or SCI 170*	(3)
Language 200 or above	(4 units)
15 upper division units	(5 classes):
ANT/GEO/SOC 320	Human Migration (3)
CAR 301	International Journalism (3)
BUS/CAR 332	Multicultural Communication (3)
CJ 362	Transnational Crimes & Comparative CJ Systems (4)
ECO/GS 302	California in the Global Economy (3)
ECO/GS 400	People, Profit, Planet (3)
ECO/GS 410	Economics of Population, Energy and Resources (3)
ECO 420	Economic Systems and Innovation - formerly ECO 301 (3)
ENG 340	Literature of Global Empire (3)
GS 330	Climate Change (3)
GS 405A	Global City: Los Angeles (3)
GS 405B	Global City: London (3)
HIS 330	Latin America & the Latino Experience (3)
MUS 310	Roots, Folk, and World Music (3)
PHI 330	Postmodernism (3)
PHI 385	Philosophy of Science (3)
POL/SOC 310	Demography (3)
PSY 380	Applied Intercultural Psych (3)
REL 310	Catholic Social Teaching (3)
REL 330	Religion, Peace, and War (3)
SCI 300	The Thirsty Planet: The Science and Politics of Water (3)
*Courses with asterisks r	may fill both a Liberal Ed. Core and a lower division emphasis

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Required:	
	course. If Math is required for your 2nd area of emphasis, an-
other course is not requi	red.
Required:	
MUS 105	Music Fundamentals (3)
MUS 115	Music Theory & Musicianship I (4)
MUS 116 N	Music Theory & Musicianship II (4)
MUS 210	Music Business (3)
2 units from the following	g:
MUS 155	Choral Ensemble (1) Repeatable unit
<b>MUS 164</b> J	azz Ensemble (1) Repeatable unit
A minimum of 8 units fro	m the following (at least 4 units upper division):
MUS 101	Music in America (3)
MUS 112 ⊢	History of the American Musical Theatre (3)
MUS 165 A	Applied Music I (1-2 each) (1st semester)
MUS 166 A	Applied Music II (1-2 each) (2nd semester)
MUS 215	Music Theory & Musicianship III: Form and Analysis (4)
AM 242	Digital Audio Production and Editing (3)
MUS 265 A	Applied Music III (1-2 each) (3rd semester)
MUS 266	Applied Music IV (1-2 each) (4th semester)
MUS 301 S	Social History of Popular Music (3)
MUS 310	Roots, Folk, and World Music (3)
MUS 365 A	Applied Music V (1-2 each) (5th semester)
MUS 366 A	Applied Music VI (1-2 each) (6th semester)
MUS 410	Music in Film, Television, and Multi-Media (3)
MUS 450 T	he Art of Music Performance & Pedagogy (3)
MUS 465 A	Applied Music VII (1-2 each) (7th semester)
MUS 466 A	Applied Music VIII (1-2 each) (8th semester)

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EMPHASIS 10: PERFORMING ARTS	
Required:	
One College-Level Mat emphasis, another is n	h course (4). If a Math course is required for your 2nd area of ot required here.
Required Theory Cours	ses:
THE 110	Introduction to Theatre (3)
THE 120	Introduction to Acting I (3)
THE 121	Introduction to Acting II (3)
THE 310	Theatre, History and Culture (3)
Studio Courses (a min	imum of 12 units selected from):
MUS 165	Applied Music I (1-2 each) (1st semester)
MUS 166	Applied Music II (1-2 each) (2nd semester)
MUS 265	Applied Music III (1-2 each) (3rd semester)
MUS 266	Applied Music IV (1-2 each) (4th semester)
MUS 365	Applied Music V (1-2 each) (5th semester)
MUS 366	Applied Music VI (1-2 each) (6th semester)
MUS 465	Applied Music VII (1-2 each) (7th semester)
MUS 466	Applied Music VIII (1-2 each) (8th semester)
PED 160 or PED 161	Intro to Dance Forms I (1) or Intro to Dance Forms II (1)
THE 170 or THE 174	Beginning Play Production I Tech (1-3) or Beginning Play Production I/ Acting/Directing (1-3) All students with Performance emphasis must take 3 units of Play Production I.
THE 271 or THE 275	Beginning Play Production II Tech (3) or Beginning Play Production II Acting/Directing (3)
THE 372 or THE 376	Advanced Play Production I Tech (3) or Advanced Play Production I Acting/Directing (3)
THE 473 or THE 477	Advanced Play Production II Tech (3) or Advanced Play Production II Acting/Directing (3)
AM 400	Directing for Film, TV and Theater (3)
MUS 155 or MUS 164	Choral Ensemble (1) or Jazz Ensemble (1)
	may fill both a Liberal Ed. Core and a lower division emphasis rses from the Liberal Ed. Core may apply to an emphasis. One course

may not be applied to more than one emphasis. Upper division Philosophy & Religion core may

be used in one area of emphasis.

EMPHASIS 11: PSYCHOLOGY	
Required:	
PSY 123	Psychobiology (3 units)
PSY 150	General Psychology (3)
ANT/PSY/SOC 235 or	One College-level Statistics course (4)
BUS 220 or MTH 270	
ANT/PSY/SOC 240	Research Methods (3)
A minimum of 12 units	from the following: (at least 9 units must be Upper Division)
PSY 200	Child Psychology (3)
PSY 205	Child and Adolescent Development (3)
PSY 210	Adult Development and Aging (3)
PSY 220	Human Life-Span Development (3)
PSY 222	Psychology of Gender (3)
PSY 228	Abnormal Psychology (3)
PSY 230	Drug Use and Abuse (3)
PSY 280	Intercultural Psychology (3)
PSY 310	Positive Psychology (3)
BUS/PSY 325	Organizational Behavior (3)
PSY 328	Personality Theory (3)
PSY 330	Forensic Psychology (3)
PSY 336	Learning Theory (4)
PSY 337	Cognitive Processes (3)
PSY 340	Foundations of Counseling (3)
PSY 345	Social Psychology (3)
PSY 370	Psychology of Health and Wellness (3)
PSY 380	Applied Intercultural Psychology (3)
PSY 385	Psychological Perspectives of the Arts (3)
PSY 400	Community Psychology (3)
PSY 410	Motivation and Emotion (3)
PSY 430	Psychology's Perspective of Film (3)
PSY 440	Psychology's Perspective of Literature (3)
PSY 450	Psychology of Place (3)
PSY 460	Psychology of Creativity (3)
PSY 470	Sports Psychology (3)
REL 370	Contemplative Practice and Mental Health (3)
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# BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MEDIA STUDIES DEGREE PROGRAM

#### **Program Mission**

The Bachelor of Arts (BA) major in Media Studies offers a sophisticated four-year educational experience to prepare the next generation of fine artists, graphic designers, filmmakers, video artists, graphic designers, filmmakers, video artists, animators, and interactive artists for rewarding careers in a myriad of visual arts industries. The major is designed to allow students to choose from one of several programs of study that share many common courses to create both a Multidisciplinary and Interdisciplinary educational experience. The major will provide students with a traditional theoretical education in Arts & Media studies while also providing hands on training in state-of-the-art digital studios including Apple Macintosh workstations, Adobe Creative Suite and Avid Media Composer software.

#### **Program Learning Outcomes**

After completion of the Media Studies program in one area of emphasis and senior capstone project, students will be able to:

- 1. Use critical thought to analyze and critique professional and academic forms of art and design.
- 2. Discuss and write about creative design and media elements in historical and contemporary context to visual culture.
- 3. Research and develop visual planning strategies for creative solutions related to adaptive design competence and will learn basic business practices and professional standards of various digital media industries.
- Demonstrate the ability to design and create professional level artwork
  using industry standard digital technologies including Apple Macintosh and
  Avid, Autodesk, Maya 3D, and Adobe Creative Suite software applications.
- 5. Exhibit leadership and self-promotion capacity skills related to visual art and media design.
- Demonstrate outcomes of their design and/or multimedia creative skills projects with a Senior Exhibition of the best work during their academic career.

#### A Choice of Concentrations

#### Animation & Motion Graphics (AM-AMG)

This program also focuses on the Television & Film industries but is specifically designed for the aspiring animator and special effects artist. Emphasis is placed on

traditional art & design theory coursework as well as digital studio courses with industry standard design and animation software.

#### Arts & Media Interdisciplinary (AM-AMI)

The Arts & Media Interdisciplinary concentration offers students the opportunity to develop individualized cross-disciplinary research within Arts & Media. The Arts & Media Division houses several departments Fine Arts (AA), Media Studies (BA), Music (AA), and Theater (AA). Core classes are Media Studies centered while allowing students to create specialized concentration coursework drawing from all Arts & Media Division courses, visual arts and performing. Students will apply key concepts, theoretical knowledge, and technical abilities from the entire division. Program Chair approval required.

#### Digital Art & Design (AM-DAD)

The Digital Art & Design program primarily focuses on fine art, photography, digital art and graphic design for printed media. This is a foundational program that provides students with a liberal education in Digital Arts & Media with a traditional theoretical background in art history and design.

#### Digital Video & Film Production (AM-DVFP)

The Digital Video & Film program is designed to prepare students for creative careers in the Television and Motion Picture industries. Traditional media studies theory course are coupled with digital production studio environments to provide students with a well-rounded education in industry standards as well as contemporary digital production skills.

#### Media Studies General (AM-MSG)

The General Media Studies concentration allows students to develop their own individual course of study within Media Studies. Students may select from a variety of Media Studies (AM) classes in history, theory and studio gaining a general disciplinary knowledge. Program Chair approval required.

#### Senior Year

Capstone Project

Media Studies seniors go through a yearlong capstone project, which includes creating a cohesive body of work, one-person art show, artist talk, and written thesis. Additionally, students will complete promotional material: business cards, resume, website, artists statement, artist biography, and demo reel.

LIBERAL EDUCATION CORE REQUIREMENTS: GE (Lower Division 36 to 44 units)

One course must be taken in each area. NOTE: Only 3 developmental units may be applied to any degree.

**ANALYTICAL WRITING: ENG 114** 

**BEHAVIORAL/SOCIAL SCIENCE:** ANT (NOT 235)/ECO/EDU (NOT 125, 130)/GEO/POL/PSY (NOT 100, 235, OR 285)/SOC (NOT 235)

**EXPOSITORY WRITING: ENG 112, THE 100-121, 185\*\*** 

FINE ARTS: AM 100-271; Art 104-231; CAR 110; MUS 100-116, 185; THE 100-121, 185\*\*

HEALTH EDUCATION: HED 100, 130, 150, 170/PED 104/PSY 230

**HISTORY** 

LITERATURE: ENG 120 THROUGH 260

LOGICAL THINKING: CS 183, 195, 196, 210/PHI 130/MTH 60 OR ABOVE (NOT 90I),

ANT/PSY/SOC 235; BUS 220

NATURAL SCIENCES: ANT 110/GEO 108/ANY SCI

**PHILOSOPHY** 

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

**RELIGIOUS STUDIES** 

**SPEECH** 

THE ART OF BEING HUMAN: ID 117 OR ID 217 (by placement)

#### CROSS-CULTURAL/CROSS DISCIPLINARY†

†CROSS-CULTURAL/CROSS-DISCIPLINARY: May be double counted with one other Liberal Education Core Requirement.

\*\* Note: AM and/or ART classes listed may double as 'Core Courses for all Media Studies' concentrations.

REQUIRED CORE CO	REQUIRED CORE COURSES FOR ALL MEDIA STUDIES BA MAJORS (27 units)	
AM 105	Introduction to Arts & Media Methodology (3 units)	
	(Replacing AM 100 - Fundamentals of Arts and Media F12)	
AM 120	Digital Foundations (3 units)	
AM 151	Digital Photography (3 units)	
AM 204	Website Design I (3 units)	
AM 241	Digital Photography & Imaging (3 units)	
AM 304	History of Multimedia (3 units)	
AM 350	Junior Research and Conceptual Development (3 units)	
AM 497	Arts & Media Senior Seminar (3 units)	
AM 498	Arts & Media Senior Project & Exhibition (3 units)	

Students Have A Choice Of One (1) of Six (6) Concentrations in Media Studies.

#### **CONCENTRATIONS: (36 units)**

- 1. Animation & Motion Graphics (AM-AMG)
- 2. Digital Art and Design (AM-DAD)
- 3. Digital Video & Film Production (AM-DVFP)
- 4. Media Studies General (AM-MSG)
- 5. Arts & Media Interdisciplinary (AM-AMI)
- 6. Web Design & Interactive Media (AM-WDIM)

### **ANIMATION & MOTION GRAPHICS (AM-AMG)**

	CONCENTRATION 1: ANIMATION & MOTION GRAPHICS (AM-AMG) (36 units)	
REQUIRED THEORY: Q	Choose 3 History/Theory (9 units)	
AM 101	Western Civilization Art to the Renaissance (3)	
AM 102	History of Broadcast Media (3) required	
AM 201	Western Civilization Art Since the Renaissance (3)	
AM 211	Asian Art and Architecture (3)	
AM 221	History of Graphic Design (3) required	
REQUIRED STUDIO: (	REQUIRED STUDIO: (27 units)	
AM 111	Drawing (3)	
AM 203	Digital 3d Modeling (3)	
AM 213	Digital Video Motion Graphics (3)	
AM 231	Three Dimensional Design (3)	
AM 252	Digital Video Editing 1 (3)	
AM 271	Digital Illustration (3)	
AM 303	Digital 3d Animation 1 (3)	
AM 314	Interactive Motion Graphics (3)	
AM 403	Digital 3d Animation 2 (3)	

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## **Media Studies BA Required Courses**

## **DIGITAL ART & DESIGN (DAD)**

<b>CONCENTRATION 2:</b>	DIGITAL ART & DESIGN (DAD) (36 units)
REQUIRED THEORY:	Choose 3 History/Theory (9 units)
AM 101	Western Civilization Art to the Renaissance (3)
AM 201	Western Civilization Art Since the Renaissance (3)
AM 211	Asian Art and Architecture (3)
AM 221	History of Graphic Design (3) required
AM 301	Contemporary Art (3)
REQUIRED STUDIO:	(27 units)
AM 111	Drawing (3)
AM 131	Painting (3)
AM 141	Digital Page Layout (3)
AM 231	Three Dimensional Design (3)
AM 251	Digital Publication Design (3)
AM 261	Digital Typography (3)
AM 271	Digital Illustration (3)
AM 311	Digital Advertising Design (3)
AM 321	Digital Package Design (3)
or AM 203	or Digital 3d Modeling (3)

### **DIGITAL VIDEO & FILM PRODUCTION (AM-DVFP)**

CONCENTRATION 3: DIGITAL VIDEO & FILM PRODUCTION (AM-DVFP) (36 units)		
REQUIRED THEORY: C	REQUIRED THEORY: Choose 3 History/Theory (9 units)	
AM 102	History of Broadcast Media (3)	
AM 112 (CAR/ENG 118)	Introduction to Journalism (3)	
AM 202	History of Film (3)	
AM 212	Television & Film Production Business Practices (3) required	
AM 302	Scriptwriting (3) required	
REQUIRED STUDIO: (2	REQUIRED STUDIO: (27 units)	
AM 122	Video Production Methods 1 (3)	
AM 132	Film Production Methods 1 (3)	
AM 213	Digital Video Motion Graphics (3)	
AM 222	Video Production Methods 2 (3)	
AM 232	Film Production Methods 2 (3)	
AM 242	Digital Audio Production & Editing (3)	
AM 252	Digital Video Editing 1 (3)	
AM 312 or AM 400	Digital Video Editing 2 (3) or Directing for Film, TV & Theatre (3)	
AM 314	Interactive Motion Graphics (3)	

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## **Media Studies BA Required Courses**

### MEDIA STUDIES GENERAL (AM-MSG) Note: Program Chair approval required

CONCENTRATION 4: N	IEDIA STUDIES GENERAL (AM-MSG) (36 units)
	Choose 3 History/Theory from Media Studies (AM)
1 course must be Uppe	er division = 9 units
AM	
AM	
AM	
	<u>hoose 9 Studio classes</u> from Media Studies (AM) only et be Upper Division = 27 units
AM	

#### ARTS AND MEDIA INTERDISCIPLINARY (AM-AMI)

Note: Program Chair approval required

<b>CONCENTRATION 5: A</b>	RTS AND MEDIA INTERDISCIPLINARY (AM-AMI) (36 units)
REQUIRED THEORY: C	Choose 3 History/Theory from AM, Art, MUS or THE
1 course must be Uppe	r Division = 9 units
Media Studies (AM)	
Music	
Theatre	
Art	
REQUIRED STUDIO: C	hoose 9 Studio classes from AM, Art, MUS or THE
At least 3 courses mus	t be Upper Division = 27 units
AM, ART, MUS, THE	

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## **Media Studies BA Required Courses**

### \*WEB DESIGN & INTERACTIVE MEDIA (AM-WDIM)

CONCENTRATION 6: \	CONCENTRATION 6: WEB DESIGN & INTERACTIVE MEDIA (AM-WDIM) (36 units)	
REQUIRED THEORY: 9	REQUIRED THEORY: Choose 3 History/Theory (9 units)	
AM 101	Western Civilization Art to the Renaissance (3)	
AM 104	Introductory HTML & PHP Programming (3) required	
AM 201	Western Civilization Art Since the Renaissance (3)	
AM 221	History of Graphic Design (3) required	
AM 301	Contemporary Art (3)	
REQUIRED STUDIO: (2	27 units)	
AM 111	Drawing (3)	
AM 141	Digital Page Layout (3)	
AM 213	Digital Video Motion Graphics (3)	
AM 214	Website Design 2 (3)	
AM 252	Digital Video Editing 1 (3)	
AM 261	Digital Typography (3)	
AM 271	Digital Illustration (3)	
AM 314	Interactive Motion Graphics (3)	
AM 324 or AM 334	Interactive Website Design (3) or Website Technologies (3)	
*Note: Web Design & Interactive Media is temporarily on hold.		



# BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PSYCHOLOGY DEGREE PROGRAM

#### **Program Mission**

The mission of the psychology program is to promote awareness and understanding of self and others through a rigorous, well-rounded curriculum. The program provides exposure to the major concepts and research findings in psychology and gives balanced consideration to explaining human behavior from multiple theoretical perspectives. Students will receive rigorous training in quantitative and qualitative research methodology that will teach them to ask and answer questions of the world around them according to the scientific method. The program takes a holistic approach to the field that embraces diverse dimensions of the self, including cognitive, social, emotional, physical, ethical, and spiritual elements, and it examines these personal dimensions across the different stages of life. The program aspires to forge interdisciplinary connections with other fields of study. Through a combination of coursework and experiential learning opportunities, psychology majors will leave Marymount with a solid foundation that is appropriate for graduate study or for working within a vast array of occupations, both in psychology and across other disciplines.

#### **Program Learning Outcomes**

The student who graduates with a BA in psychology will be able to:

- 1. Produce sound, integrated arguments (written and oral) based on scientific reasoning and empirical evidence.
- Utilize technology to locate information, manage and analyze data, and communicate.
- Apply basic research methods in psychology, including research design, data analysis, and interpretation.
- 4. Describe the major concepts, theoretical perspectives, and empirical findings represented in the general content domains of psychology, including learning, cognition, biological basis of behavior, development, and individual differences.
- 5. Explain human behavior using the major contemporary perspectives of psychology, including behavioral, biological, cognitive, psychodynamic, and sociocultural.
- 6. Evaluate the quality, objectivity, and credibility of evidence of research findings.
- Apply an ethical orientation to hypothetical dilemmas encountered in the classroom, as well as to real scenarios occurring within psychological contexts and when conducting research.

- 8. Identify the variety of the psychological experience (one's own and that of others) as related to socioeconomic class, race, ethnicity, cultural background, gender, and sexual orientation.
- 9. Identify and develop skills and experiences relevant to achieving selected career goals.
- 10. Identify one's personal, sociocultural, and professional values.
- 11. Demonstrate the ability to collaborate effectively.

#### **A Capstone that Opens Doors**

Every BA student completes a senior capstone project through Marymount. Capstone students are enrolled in 497-498 level courses. Enrollment in any 497-498 capstone requires senior standing and approval of the corresponding Program Chair. Satisfactory completion of the capstone is based on successfully demonstrating attainment of all five institutional student learning outcomes and program learning outcomes and requirements as outlined in the capstone syllabus. Capstone students have multiple opportunities as detailed in the syllabus to receive guidance and feedback before final evaluation.



## **Psychology BA Required Courses**

LIBERAL EDUCATION CORE REQUIREMENTS: GE (Lower Division 36 to 44 units)

One course must be taken in each area. NOTE: Only 3 developmental units may be applied to any degree.

**ANALYTICAL WRITING: ENG 114** 

**BEHAVIORAL/SOCIAL SCIENCE:** ANT (NOT 235)/ECO/EDU (NOT 125, 130)/GEO/POL/\*PSY (NOT 100 or 235)/SOC (NOT 235)

**EXPOSITORY WRITING:** ENG 112

FINE ARTS: AM 100-271; Art 104-231; CAR 110; MUS 100-116, 185; THE 100-121, 185

**HEALTH EDUCATION:** HED 100, 130, 150, 170/PED 104/\*PSY 230

**HISTORY: ANY HIS** 

LITERATURE: ENG 120 THROUGH 260

LOGICAL THINKING: CS 183, 195, 196, 210, PHI 130, MTH 60 or higher, \*ANT/PSY/SOC 235

or BUS 220

NATURAL SCIENCES: ANT 110/GEO 108/ANY SCI

**PHILOSOPHY** 

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

**SPEECH** 

THE ART OF BEING HUMAN: ID 117 OR ID 217 (by placement)

CROSS-CULTURAL/CROSS DISCIPLINARY†

†CROSS-CULTURAL/CROSS-DISCIPLINARY: May be double counted with one other Liberal Education Core Requirement.

#### REQUIRED

300 OR 400 level PHILOSOPHY OR RELIGIOUS STUDIES COURSE (3 units)

REQUIRED PSYCHOLO	OGY CORE COURSES (46 units)
PSY 150	General Psychology (3 units)
PSY 220	Human Lifespan Development (3 units)
PSY 228	Abnormal Psychology (3 units)
PSY 235	Intro to Statistics for the Study of Behavior or MTH 270 (4 units)
PSY 240	Research Methods for the Study of Behavior (3 units)
PSY 280	Intercultural Psychology (3 units)
PSY 328	Personality Theory (3 units)
PSY 335	Physiological Psychology (3 units)
PSY 336	Learning Theory (3 units)
PSY 337	Cognitive Processes (3 units)
PSY 345	Social Psychology (3 units)
PSY 348	Writing for the Social and Behavioral Sciences (3 units)
PSY 350	Junior Seminar in Psychology (3 units)
PSY 497	Psychology Capstone I (3 units)
PSY 498	Psychology Capstone II (3 units)

<sup>\*</sup>Courses with asterisks may fulfill both a Liberal Education core and Psychology requirement. Three courses of Liberal Education core/GE may apply to the Psychology Core or Elective areas.

## Psychology BA Required Courses

PSYCHOLOGY ELECTIVES: Choose 15 units, no more than 6 units from 200-level	
	han 3 units of 296/396/496.
PSY 200 or 205	Child Psychology or Child Adolescent Development (3)
PSY 210	Adult Development & Aging (3)
PSY 222	Psychology of Gender (3)
PSY 230	Drug Use & Abuse (3)
PSY 310	Positive Psychology (3)
PSY 330	Forensic Psychology (3)
PSY 340	Foundations of Counseling (3)
PSY 370	Psychology of Health & Wellness (3)
PSY 380	Applied Intercultural Psychology (3)
PSY 385	Psychology's Perspective on the Arts (3)
PSY 400	Community Psychology (3)
PSY 410	Motivation and Emotion (3)
PSY 415	Tests & Measurements (3)
PSY 430	Psychology's Perspective on Film (3)
PSY 440	Psychology's Perspective on Literature (3)
PSY 450	Psychology of Place (3)
PSY 460	Psychology of Creativity (3)
PSY 470	Sports Psychology (3)
PSY 296/396/496	Practicum in Psychology (1-6 units)
UNIT TOTALS	
TOTAL NUMBER OF UN	NITS TO GRADUATE MUST EQUAL 120+

# Marymount Graduate Programs

Every Marymount graduate program seeks to prepare students for professional and leadership roles by equipping them with:

- A rigorous array of quantitative, qualitative and participatory approaches to research and analysis to prepare for professional practice and doctoral study.
- Appreciation for the complexities of organizational and community dynamics.
- Principles for ethical and cross-cultural leadership.
- Skills applicable to both private and public organizational settings.
- A community of practice for case-based and collaborative learning.
- Direct practice-based research experience with faculty mentoring.

#### **Flexibility**

- Classes are offered evenings, weekends, and online.
- More than half of the program will be offered at a distance.
- A year is defined as three semesters: Fall + Spring + Summer.
- Each program offers an integrated BA-MS path for eligible students.
- Continuously enrolled full-time BA students may take up to 9 units of graduate courses in their senior year.
- Eligible students who start their graduate work in their Senior year may be able to complete the Master's degree requirements in three additional semesters of full-time study plus one research term after BA conferral.
- Academic Advising supports careful educational planning.



## MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGY DEGREE PROGRAM

The Community Psychology program at Marymount is an interdisciplinary program exposing students to theory, research, and practice to address complex social issues and promote social justice. Students interested in understanding, assessing, and influencing human behavior to increase quality of life are well-suited to pursue this applied field of inquiry. A social ecological framework is used to assess and address social issues (e.g., homelessness, obesity, drug abuse, school drop-out, and violence) to ensure comprehensive social action. Coursework in prevention science, community intervention and social change, participatory and action research methodologies, needs assessment, and organizational change and development will equip students to work in non-profit organizations, service organizations, research centers, academia, and various levels of government.

#### MS in Community Psychology Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs)

- Demonstrate rigorous social scientific analysis of subject matter using relevant qualitative, quantitative, and geospatial tools, concepts, and techniques.
- 2. Incorporate psychological, ecological, and systems level understanding into holistic, sustainable community development processes.
- Design effective organizational assessments, participate in program planning and development, and conduct empirical evaluation of programming.
- 4. Apply community psychology principles and techniques to improve well-being and effectiveness at individual, organizational, and community levels.
- Demonstrate professional ability to contribute in diverse social and cultural contexts, with diverse organizations, and with consideration of ethical implications of one's actions.
- 6. Facilitate group processes that empower and encourage civic engagement.

## MS in Community Psychology Curriculum (46 credit units) NOTE: All courses must be passed with a grade of B or higher

Common Gradua	te Leadership Core (16 units)
ID 530	Leadership (3)
CD 500	Professional Practice and Ethics (4)
PSY 540	Research Methods (4)*
ID 545	Leadership as Storytelling (4)
GIS 500	Geospatial Analytics Lab (1)
*Prerequisite: unde	ergraduate Statistics course
Community Psyc	chology Courses (18 units):
PSY 600	Community Intervention & Social Change (3)
PSY 610	Psychological Science & Public Policy (3)
PSY 630	Prevention (3)
PSY 640	Organizational Development & Consultation (3)
PSY 650	Human Diversity & Cultural Competence (3)
PSY 660	Program Evaluation (3)
Field Research (1	12 units) Fieldwork & Seminar courses are co-requisites
ID 647*	Fieldwork I (3)
ID 648	Research Seminar I: Project Management (1)
ID 657*	Fieldwork II (3)
ID 658	Research Seminar II: Writing & Presentation (1)
ID 667*	Fieldwork III (3)
ID 668	Research Seminar III: Mentoring (1)
*ID 647 & 648 are & 668	prerequisites for ID 657 & 658; ID 657 & 658 are prerequisites for ID 667

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# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN LEADERSHIP & GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT (LGD) DEGREE PROGRAM

Marymount's Leadership and Global Development (LGD) program prepares graduates for leadership and consulting roles in business, governmental and not-for profit settings. The unique character of the program derives from the conjoining of local and international concerns. The Leadership and Global Development (LGD) program provides students with:

- conceptual frameworks through which to understand community dynamics and theories of leadership
- social science research methods to apply to organizational problems and questions
- cultural and ethical competencies to support effective leadership in human communities
- · modern tools with which to interpret and present data
- direct experience with individual and collaborative practice-based action research
- opportunities to reflect on their roles as participants, observers, and leaders
- preparation for doctoral study

#### MS in LGD Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs)

- Conceptual Framework: Define, discuss, and accurately use concepts, terms and skills established in the program as necessary for understanding leadership and global development in global and local contexts.
- Analytical Rigor: Demonstrate clear, rigorous social scientific analysis
  of subject matter using relevant qualitative/quantitative/geospatial tools,
  concepts, and techniques.
- 3. Ethical Compass: Identify, evaluate, and discuss competing methods and approaches to understanding, researching, and carrying out community development. Reflect on the ethical implications and leadership outcomes of action research.
- Perspective: Identify and articulate diverse perspectives of/on leadership and global development posited by interested constituencies, and connect perspectives to motives, goals and cultural assumptions.
- Responsiveness: Locate through study, experience and reflection forms
  of LGD practice, and demonstrate professional ability to contribute in
  diverse social/cultural contexts, with diverse organizations, as a professional
  responsibility.

## MS in LGD Curriculum (46 credit units)

NOTE: All courses must be passed with a grade of B or higher

Common Graduate Leadership Core (16 units)

MCR 502

**PSY 640** 

Common Gradu	ate Leadership Core (10 dilits)
ID 530	Leadership (3)
CD 500	Professional Practice and Ethics (4)
PSY 540	Research Methods (4)*
ID 545	Leadership as Storytelling (4)
GIS 500	Geospatial Analytics Lab (1)
*Prerequisite: und	dergraduate Statistics course
Community Dev	relopment Foundations (9 units)
CD 535	Community Development Theory & Practice (3)
CD 575	Community Design and Land Use Planning (3)
CD 550	Community Ethnography (3)
Electives (9 unit	s from the following)
BUS 560	Organizational Systems - Theory & Practice (3)
ECO 520	Economics for Planning (3)
EDU 540	Comparative Education Systems (3)
ID 580	Cross-Cultural Leadership (3)
MCR 501	Conflict Analysis, Negotiation and Management (3)

Field Research (12 units) Fieldwork & Seminar courses are co-requisites		
ID 647*	Fieldwork I (3)	
ID 648	Research Seminar I: Project Management (1)	
ID 657*	Fieldwork II (3)	
ID 658	Research Seminar II: Writing & Presentation (1)	
ID 667*	Fieldwork III (3)	
ID 668	Research Seminar III: Mentoring (1)	

Organizational Development & Consultation (3)

Mediation Theory and Practice (3)

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<sup>\*</sup>ID 647 & 648 are prerequisites for ID 657 & 658; ID 657 & 658 are prerequisites for ID 667 & 668



# **Academic Policies**

The academic requirements and policies of Marymount California University are published in this official Catalog and in *The Anchor*, the student handbook. It is the student's responsibility to understand and act in accordance with these requirements and policies. The student's advisor and other campus personnel will make every effort to assist students in compliance with campus regulations, but the ultimate responsibility lies with the student.

## The Academic Calendar

The Academic Calendar at Marymount is comprised of two 16-week semesters, fall and spring, and varying length Summer Sessions. Fall semester begins in late August and ends before the Christmas break. Spring semester starts in early January and extends until early-May. Some semester classes are offered in accelerated or expanded term lengths. Academic Advisors and the Registrar's Office can help students interpret the class schedule.

Summer Sessions are an excellent opportunity for regularly enrolled university students, high school graduates, high school students who have completed their sophomore year, students from other colleges and universities, and community residents to gain university credit in a nurturing atmosphere that is unique among institutions of higher learning.

**Graduate** programs are year-round. The graduate year is comprised of three terms: fall and spring terms are 16-weeks each; summer terms are 12 weeks. Graduate students may enter the program in fall, spring, or summer.

## **Academic Integrity**

We take it as self-evident that the University is a moral community with ethical convictions. Academic integrity is essential to collegial pursuit of truth and knowledge and gives the University community credibility. The principles of academic integrity demand the commitment of all persons of the University. Academic dishonesty is viewed at the University as a serious offense and will not be tolerated.

The University expects the highest standards of integrity from its students in the performance of academic assignments. Moreover, the University requires the cooperation of its students in creating a university-wide environment that is conducive to everyone's learning. Creating this conducive environment includes but is not limited to:

- arriving and departing class on time;
- attending class regularly;
- being prepared for class work and class discussion;
- participating in discussions in a way that does not discriminate against or harass peers or professors, and that respects the free inquiry of others;
- refraining from disruptive behavior (e.g., talking, noises from electronic devices, coming and going during class, sleeping during class);

- refraining from attending class under the influence of alcohol or illegal substances; and
- adhering to specific classroom standards set forth by the professor.

Academic dishonesty usually refers to forms of cheating that result in students giving or receiving unauthorized assistance in an academic exercise or receiving credit for work that is not their own.

Dishonesty in work, whether it is in quizzes, laboratory work, term papers, examinations, etc., is regarded as a serious offense and may result in failure in the course and dismissal from the University. Anyone who willfully assists another in the breach of integrity is held equally responsible and subject to the same penalty.

Academic dishonesty is any act of cheating, fabrication, plagiarism, abuse of resources, forgery of academic documents, dissimulation, or sabotage, and any act of aiding and abetting academic dishonesty. The University assumes the academic integrity of its students. In cases where academic integrity is in question, the following definitions and policies will apply:

- Cheating is using or attempting to use unauthorized materials, information
  or study aids in any academic exercise. Examples of cheating are: copying
  homework, copying someone else's test, using an unauthorized "cheat
  sheet," etc.
- 2. Fabrication is the falsification or invention of any information or citation in any academic exercise such as: making up a source, giving an incorrect citation, misquoting a source, etc.
- 3. Plagiarism is the representation of the words and ideas of another as one's own in any academic exercise. Plagiarism includes failing to give a citation for using work from another person or source. Modifications and rephrasing do not reduce the requirement for giving a citation. This also applies to information obtained electronically, such as from the Internet.
- 4. Dissimulation is the disguising or altering of one's own actions so as to deceive another about the real nature of one's actions concerning an academic exercise. Examples include: fabricating excuses for such things as missing classes, postponing tests, handing in late papers, turning in a paper for one class that was originally written for another class (when original work is requested), etc.
- 5. Abuse of resources is the damaging of any resource material or inappropriately limiting access to resource material that is necessary for academic work. Abuse includes: hiding library materials, removing non-circulating material from the library, hiding or stealing another person's textbook, notes or software, failure to return library materials when requested by the library, defacing library materials, etc.
- 6. Forgery of academic documents is the unauthorized changing or construction of any academic document such as: changing transcripts, changing grade books, changing grades on papers which have been returned, forging signatures, etc. Other examples include: completion of an

application for any academic program that omits or falsifies any requested information. Such violations can result in the revocation of the application, even if approval was previously granted on the basis of fabricated information.

- 7. Sabotage is the damaging or impeding of the academic work of another student. Sabotage includes: ruining another student's lab work, moving pointers or microscope slides during a laboratory practical exam, destroying another student's term paper, etc.
- 8. Aiding and abetting academic dishonesty are knowingly facilitating any act defined above.

Refer to the student handbook, The Anchor, for details of violation procedures.

**Graduate** programs at Marymount prepare students to take positions of responsibility and leadership within their communities and professions. Certain programs require supervised, off-campus experience in which students are expected to conduct themselves as professionals-in-training. Students are expected to abide by the standards and codes that govern their professions, as well as to demonstrate the meaning and value of ethical conduct personal honesty, and professional integrity. Behavior in violation of ethical or professional standards of the field and/or Marymount constitutes grounds for dismissal from the program.

## **Academic Probation**

Academic Probation carries a serious warning to the student that his/her academic record is unsatisfactory and continued failure to improve this record may result in dismissal from the institution. A student will be placed on probation for the following reasons:

- Any undergraduate student whose term or cumulative GPA at Marymount drops below 2.00 and/or any graduate student whose term or cumulative GPA at Marymount falls below 3.0
- Any student who does not make satisfactory progress toward completion of the degree

Students on Academic Probation may be limited to 12 to 13 semester credits each term they are on probation. If a student falls below in the subsequent semester, they will be placed in an Extended Probation status.

Additionally, students will be expected to consult with Academic Affairs for guidance and assistance regarding methods of improving their academic status. Terms of probation are explicitly stated in the probation letter sent to the student.

## **Academic Renewal**

Inasmuch as past performance does not always accurately reflect a student's ability, Marymount has established a policy of academic renewal without course repetition. Academic renewal shall apply to Marymount graduation eligibility only.

Under the following circumstances, Marymount may disregard previously recorded coursework taken at any college in computation of the GPA:

- 1. The student has demonstrated academic ability by earning a GPA of 2.00 or higher in the last 30 units, or a GPA of 3.00 or higher in the last 15 units of graded work at Marymount.
- At least two years have elapsed since the most recent substandard work was completed.

Marymount will act upon only one petition to disregard substandard semesters. Course work disregarded may not be used to meet degree requirements. The permanent record (transcript) shall be annotated in such a manner that all grades assigned remain legible, ensuring a true and complete academic history.

## **Acceptance of Transfer Credit**

Marymount accepts college-level academic work completed at **regionally accredited** institutions. Coursework that is technical or vocational in nature is not accepted. Courses used for certification programs may be petitioned for review for possible credit. To earn a degree, students must satisfy all Marymount requirements for that degree.

For **undergraduate** degrees, Marymount accepts a maximum of 90 units of courses passed with a C or better from regionally accredited institutions. A limit of 3 developmental units may be applied if the course is comparable to a Marymount course. Developmental coursework may be used for placement. Marymount will accept college coursework completed in high school if taken after the 10th grade.

For **graduate** degrees, up to 9 units of graduate coursework may be transferred in from another regionally accredited institution.

All official transcripts for undergraduate and graduate course work must be submitted to the Office of Admission at the time of application or as soon as coursework is completed. Course placement is determined on the basis of transcripts received by the end of the Add/Drop period. The decision on which courses will receive credit is made by the Registrar in consultation with the appropriate Program Chair. In some cases a syllabus may also be needed in order to evaluate transferability.

Marymount accepts online courses from regionally accredited institutions if the course is accepted toward a degree at that institution. Courses that primarily require classroom participation such as science labs, physical education and public speaking courses may not be taken online.

Up to 9 units of Marymount graduate coursework taken as a non-degree student may be considered and applied toward a Marymount graduate degree. Up to 15 units of Marymount coursework taken as a non-degree student may be considered and applied toward a Marymount BA degree.

Once matriculated, a student may transfer in a maximum of 7 units of coursework completed at another regionally accredited institution. Students must complete a transfer course permission form prior to enrollment. Students must adhere to Marymount's course sequencing and prerequisites. Official transcripts must be sent to the Registrar's Office upon completion of coursework.

Courses taken through an Office of International Study approved study abroad program are considered Marymount courses.

For students who transfer into the Bachelor of Arts degree programs, IGETC or CSU certification will be accepted in lieu of the Marymount lower division Liberal Education Core Requirements. Students who are partially certified (maximum of two courses remaining) may complete the remaining two courses at Marymount to meet the lower division Liberal Education Core Requirements. Certification must be received before the end of the first term of attendance; otherwise, students are required to complete the Marymount Liberal Education Core.

Coursework completed at non-U.S. institutions of higher education that are recognized by the appropriate agency (Ministry or Department of Education) in that country may be submitted for evaluation of credit. All documents must be certified by the appropriate educational authorities and be accompanied by certified English translations. It should be noted that differences in national systems of higher education often make it difficult to establish equivalencies and grant credit. Evaluation of college, university and/or post-secondary transcripts will be completed by the Registrar following matriculation at the University.

The official Marymount transcript reflects all Marymount and transfer coursework. Marymount term and Marymount cumulative GPAs reflect grades earned while enrolled at Marymount.

## **Accommodations for Students with Disabilities**

Students with documented disabilities who believe that their disability prohibits them from meeting specific university requirements may petition for a *Course Waiver* or *Substitution Based on Disability*. (This process is outlined in *A Handbook for Students with Disabilities*.) It is highly recommended that students meet with the Coordinator of Disability Resources prior to requesting a petition. Petitions are available through the Registrar and should be filed with the Coordinator of Disability Resources. Documentation of disability must be available. Such petitions will be considered on the basis of the student's disability and fundamental curricular requirements.

## **Adding/Dropping Courses**

After students have registered for classes, there is a short period when they may change their schedules (generally during the first week of the semester and by designated dates for accelerated terms) without penalty. Classes that have been dropped do not appear on transcripts. The exact deadline for adding and dropping classes is published in the Academic Calendar. Students may not enroll for a term after the Add/Drop deadline has passed.

**Graduate** students are responsible for initiating and completing add/drop adjustments within the timeline specified each semester. These adjustments may be made only with the approval of the Registrar. Enrollment adjustments may affect academic progress toward degree completion and/or financial aid status. It is the student's responsibility to investigate the impact of registration adjustments on his/her academic progress and available funding.

## **Audit**

Auditing allows a student to attend a class to absorb the course information without turning in assignments, taking exams, receiving a grade and earning unit credit. Laboratory, physical education, studio arts, performing arts and courses taken during a study abroad semester are not available for audit because they require and are graded on participation. Students may request permission to audit a class by filing an Academic Petition to Audit in the Registrar's Office and paying the fees prior to registration. Priority in class enrollment is given to students taking the course for credit. No academic credit is given for an audit, but it will be recorded on the student's permanent record. Once the semester has begun, a student will not be permitted to change enrollment to receive credit for the course.

A student enrolled for credit may elect to change to Audit if the audit petition is filed prior to the end of the third week of the semester; however, no refund will be given for the change. The petition to change to an Audit will only be granted if the instructor, advisor and Academic Affairs believe there is a compelling reason to grant the change. Students who audit a course are subject to regular attendance requirements. Failure to do so rescinds the Audit and permits the instructor to assign a "W." A student may not apply for Credit by Examination after auditing a course.

## **Capstone**

Every BA student completes a senior capstone project through Marymount. Capstone projects, experiences, and deliverables will vary across programs and students, allowing for a very individualized culminating experience in each BA program.

- The Marymount Capstone is a student project. It is meant to be a year-long senior project that demonstrates mastery of the Program Learning Outcomes through an original project, a tangible deliverable, and a presentation. The deliverable must include a written project description, context, and reflection.
- 2. All Marymount BA students complete a Capstone project. While conducting their project, students are enrolled in 497, then 498 in their program (AM 497-498, BUS 497-498, ID 497-498, or PSY 497-498). Each program is responsible for structuring and administering its 497-498 experience, as long as it ensures meaningful opportunities for capstone students to collaborate and reflect on their work together, either within or across fields. Frequency and forms of collaboration may vary. Each 497-498 sequence is coordinated by an instructor of record.
- 3. A grade of C- or lower in the Capstone courses (497 & 498) will be recorded as No Credit (NC).

## **Class Attendance**

To ensure enrollment in a class, students are expected to attend the first class meeting, and attend subsequent class sessions through final exam week regularly and punctually. Attendance and other course requirements are set by the instructor. Students will be informed of these requirements at the beginning of each course. Accumulation of an inordinate number of absences generally results in a grade of "F" for that class. Refer to individual course outline or syllabus for attendance requirements.

## **Class Standing**

Freshman: 0-29 units\*

Sophomore: Completion of 30-59 units\* Junior: Completion of 60-89 units\* Senior: Completion of 90 or more units\*

(\* up to 3 developmental units can be included)

Graduate: Completion of a Bachelor's degree

#### Commencement

Participation in Commencement is open to all students who will earn an Associate degree, Bachelor's degree or Master's degree in that academic year (defined as fall through summer). Students who have satisfactorily completed all degree requirements since the previous ceremony are invited to participate in the current year's Commencement ceremony.

Participation in Commencement does not confer a degree or release a student from his or her obligation to satisfactorily complete curricular or other academic program requirements. Please refer to the Marymount website for additional information regarding financial obligation, ability to walk short requirements and so forth.

## **Continuous Enrollment**

Students who are continuously enrolled at Marymount may elect to follow the degree requirements in the catalog for their semester of matriculation, or in subsequent catalogs by petition. However, students may not mix requirements from different catalogs.

A student who is unable to complete coursework and must withdraw during a term is required to submit a withdrawal form and will receive grades of "W" for that term's courses.

**Graduate** students are expected to enroll continuously until program requirements are complete, defined as a minimum of 3 units per academic term, including summer term.

#### Course Load

The normal course load for undergraduate students for fall and spring semesters is 12 to 17 units. To enroll in more than 17 units in one semester, prior approval must be obtained via academic petition under the following guidelines:

- 1. If no prior college credit has been earned, students must have the Academic Dean's approval.
- 2. Students who have a GPA of less than 3.0 must have the Academic Dean's approval.
- 3. Students wishing to enroll in 19-21 units, regardless of GPA, must have the Academic Dean's approval.
- 4. Students who have a minimum GPA of 3.0 may enroll in a maximum of 18 units with the signature of a Registrar provided they have no history of academic probation.

Students will be charged extra tuition for each unit over 17. Students accepted on academic qualification, or who are on probation may be limited in units during the probationary term.

Full time status for **undergraduates** is defined as enrollment in 12 or more units per semester and 24 or more units per academic year. Students carrying fewer than 12 units are classified as part-time students.

Full time status for **graduate** students is defined as:

- a) enrolled in 9 or more units of coursework; or
- b) enrolled in a research semester; or
- c) enrolled in remaining coursework to complete the Master's degree requirements.

International students are expected to be enrolled in a full-time course of study.

## **Course Numbering System**

- 100: Lower Division
- 200: Lower Division
- 300: Upper Division
- 400: Upper Division
- 500: Graduate
- 600: Graduate

## **Course Repetition**

**Undergraduate** course work in which a student receives a grade of C- or lower may be repeated for credit. A course in which a student receives a grade of C or higher may not be repeated for credit, with the exception of PED courses and others as noted in the Catalog. The most recent grade for the course repeated will be used in calculating the GPA. The permanent record (transcript) shall be annotated in such a

manner that original grades remain legible. Policies on repeated course work at other institutions may differ from Marymount policy.

**Graduate** students must earn a grade of B or higher in every graduate course. A graduate course in which a student earned less than a grade of B may be repeated.

## **Course Substitution**

Students who believe that a course may be appropriate to their program and that this course could substitute for a specified course requirement may request consideration of substitution by petition.

## **Courses Taught at High Schools**

- 1. High School students may be eligible to take college-level courses through Marymount.
- 2. A university transcript will be issued to the student upon completion. Units may be applied toward a Marymount degree.
- 3. College level courses offered on high school campuses must be taught by faculty approved by the Office of Academic Affairs and the respective Chair according to the standards for adjunct faculty at Marymount. High school faculty will be mentored by a Marymount faculty member in the corresponding division.
- Each course offered must use the Marymount California University syllabus for that course.
- 5. Changes in texts and/or readings for courses must be approved by the respective Marymount Program Chair.
- 6. All course prerequisites must be clearly stated and adhered to on the course outline/syllabus.
- 7. The faculty must provide evidence of evaluation and assessment of the student learning outcomes as stated on the course syllabus.
- 8. When necessary, testing of the students to assess a placement level must be offered.
- 9. Taking college coursework in high school may impact both athletic and financial aid eligibility.

## **Course Waiver**

Students who believe that previous training (i.e. previous course work, career or life experience) has sufficiently prepared them in a certain area may request a waiver by petition of a specific course requirement for subject credit only, not unit count.

The student will be required to justify the request to the faculty member with final approval by the Program Chair. A waiver of a specific course requirement does not reduce the total number of units required for the major or the degree.

## **Credit by Examination**

- A student wishing to receive credit by examination must complete an academic petition requesting the exam and explain a rationale for the request. A student must complete an academic petition requesting the exam and explain a rationale for the request.
- 2. The petition is approved or denied by the Chair of the division for the course or courses in question and approval rests with Academic Affairs. The individual department will decide whether or not to grant a student's request to create credit by examination tests.
- 3. The exam must be completed prior to the add/drop deadline if the course for which credit is being earned is needed as a prerequisite course for that semester.
- 4. Laboratory, physical education, studio arts and performing arts courses are not available for credit by examination because these courses require and are graded on performance and participation.
- 5. There is a \$400 charge per exam regardless of course unit credit. These fees must be paid before the test is administered and they are non-refundable.
- 6. A maximum of 15 units of coursework may be taken for credit by examination. Units earned will count toward graduation requirements.
- 7. No letter grade is assigned. Acknowledgment for credit by examination is noted by a CR (credit) grade. If a student does not successfully pass the examination, a notation of NC (no credit) will be made on the transcript.
- 8. Students may not challenge a course that is a prerequisite to or which sequentially precedes a course or courses already completed. (For example, a student who takes MTH 110 could not request credit by examination for MTH 105).
- 9. A student cannot take credit by examination for any course for which he/she has received a W, I, C- or below, or AU grade on a college-level transcript at Marymount or elsewhere. (All official transcripts must be received by the Associate Registrar and Transfer Evaluator before the academic petition can be issued and the examination is taken).

## **Credit for Prior Learning**

Credit for prior learning may be granted by:

- Evaluation of transfer credit
- AP or IB exams
- CLEP
- · Credit by examination
- Portfolio review
- Course substitution
- Course waiver (no units granted)
- Prerequisite waiver (no units granted)

## **Credit Hour**

Students earn academic credit measured in semester units. An academic hour is defined as 50 minutes.

## **Undergraduate courses:**

- 1 semester unit = a minimum of 15 hours of "class time or direct faculty instruction" plus a minimum of 30 hours of out-of-class student work per academic term, for a total of 45 hours of student time on task per semester unit.
- Non-classroom credit-bearing academic activities, such as laboratory work, studio work, internships and field practica, require an amount of work at least equivalent to that required for classroom-based units as identified in the syllabus. For example: science laboratories = 45 hours per academic term per unit of credit; studio art classes = 30 hours per academic term per unit of credit; internships and practica = 60 hours per academic term per unit
- As courses that make use of new or mixed modalities, quality and content
  will be ensured through reasonable equivalencies, clear learning outcomes,
  and evidence of student achievement.

#### **Graduate courses:**

- 1 semester unit = a minimum of 15 hours of "class time or direct faculty instruction" plus a minimum of 45 hours of out-of-class student work per academic term, for a total of 60 hours of student time on task per semester unit.
- Non-classroom credit-bearing academic activities, such as laboratory work and field projects, require an amount of work at least equivalent to that required for classroom-based units as identified in the syllabus.
- As courses make use of new modalities, quality and content will be ensured through reasonable equivalencies, clear learning outcomes, and evidence of student achievement.

## Credit/No Credit

Certain courses may be taken on a CR/NC (Credit/No Credit) basis. The student selecting this option must file a petition signed by the instructor and the appropriate Program Chair before the end of the third week of the semester. Courses taken through an Office of International Study approved study abroad program are not eligible for CR/NC (Credit/No Credit). All Internship (291, 391, 491, 591) and Practicum (296, 396, 496, 596) courses will be graded as CR/NC.

A student earning a CR grade will receive unit credit, but these units will not be calculated into the GPA. No more than 12 lower division units may be taken for CR/NC (Credit/No Credit), with a maximum of 4 units in any one semester/term, with the exception of Internship or Practicum courses. A CR grade in an undergraduate course denotes a grade of C (72%) or higher. A CR grade in a graduate course denotes a grade of B (80%) or higher. All upper division coursework must be taken for a grade with the exception of Internships or Practica, or as specified in a syllabus.

**Note:** English 106 and 108 are offered for a grade of A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C or No Credit (NC). All other courses in the English Division must be taken for a letter grade. Math 50 and 60 are offered for a grade of A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C or No Credit (NC). Capstone courses (497, 498) are offered for a grade of A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C or No Credit (NC).

#### **Dean's List**

To qualify for the Dean's List, undergraduate students must, in any one semester, complete a full-time class load of 12 or more units of college-level course work with a GPA of 3.50 or higher. No course can be graded C- or lower, and students who receive an incomplete for any course are not eligible for the Dean's List.

Students are also acknowledged at graduation for scholarly achievement. They will be listed in the commencement program based on their overall GPA. The categories are: highest distinction–3.9 to 4.0 GPA, high distinction–3.7 to 3.89 GPA, and distinction–3.5 to 3.69 GPA.

## **Degree Conferral and Conferral Dates**

Although a student may have completed all degree program requirements, graduation is not automatic. Students who are ready to graduate must apply for Degree Conferral in order to identify the semester in which they expect to complete their degree requirements by filing the application for Degree Completion with the Office of the Registrar.

The Office of the Registrar will begin assessing the candidates' eligibility for degree conferral in conjunction with Academic Advising and the Academic Department once all student grades have been submitted by the faculty. The official conferral dates each year are as follows: the final day in which all degree requirements have been met for the fall semester, spring semester, or varied summer semesters with the last summer semester conferral date falling on the final weekday in August.

Candidates for degree conferral must submit their application to the Office of the Registrar for their conferral date by deadline. Please refer to the Marymount website

for updated conferral deadline dates. Once a degree is conferred, you cannot add, edit or alter the degree with emphases, majors, minors and/or concentrations.

## **Diploma**

No diplomas are released to any student who has not completed all academic program requirements, who has an unpaid balance to Marymount, or who has not completed the required Financial Aid exit interview. Diplomas are mailed out approximately 12 weeks after the date of conferral of the degree. This allows time for confirmation from the Office of the Registrar that all degree requirements have been met. Under no circumstances will a diploma be released prior to the conferral date.

#### **Dismissal**

Dismissal from Marymount may occur for academic or disciplinary reasons. Academic Dismissal terminates a student's relationship with the institution.

#### Undergraduate

Undergraduate students will be dismissed for the following reasons:

- Any student whose term or cumulative GPA at Marymount has not reached at least 2.00 for two consecutive semesters is subject to Academic Dismissal from the institution and/or
- Any student who does not make satisfactory progress toward completion of the degree

Students who wish to appeal an academic dismissal must demonstrate both extraordinary circumstances explaining the unsatisfactory academic performance and likelihood of success if allowed to continue at Marymount. If a student's appeal is approved, the student will return from the dismissal on an extended probation status. Terms of extended probation are explicitly stated in the letter sent to the student.

Students who have been awarded financial aid or Veteran's Administration benefits for the coming semester are advised that academic dismissal carries with it the cancellation of any financial aid or benefits. Students who are reinstated in an extended probation status may be reconsidered for financial aid at that time. However, reinstatement does not necessarily mean that financial aid will be available for that semester or any future semester. Please consult with the Financial Aid department for further explanation.

#### Graduate

**Graduate** students are expected to abide by the regulations set forth by Marymount and the written policies and procedures of their respective programs. The University reserves the right to dismiss a student at any time for unsatisfactory academic performance or for conduct detrimental to the University or to the welfare of other members of the Marymount community. Program Chairs also reserve the right to dismiss a student if it is determined that the student's conduct is unprofessional or is not consistent with the Code of Ethics of his or her intended profession (see *Academic Integrity*).

## **External Exams**

#### **Advanced Placement**

Marymount recognizes the high level of achievement of those students who have successfully completed Advanced Placement Examinations (AP) with a score of 3, 4 or 5. Students must submit official AP scores from Educational Testing Service (ETS) to the Registrar's Office prior to registration to receive appropriate course credit. Students with scores of 3 and higher in English and/or 3 or higher in Calculus AB or BC are exempt from placement testing in the respective subject area. Students with a score of 4 or higher in statistics are exempt from Math placement testing. In some majors students may be advised to take the course at Marymount in preparation for advanced work within the major.

#### Advanced Placement Credit (with a score of 3, 4 or 5)

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	AM 101/201 (formerly Art 105/106) - 6 units
Biology	Science 240/241 - 8 units
Calculus-AB	Math 130 - 4 units
Calculus-BC	
Chemistry	
Computer Science	
Economics (Microeconomics)	
(Macroeconomics)	
English Composition and Literature	Score 3 - elective units
	Score 4 - English 112 - 3 units
	Score 5 - English 112 - 3 units and
	3 elective units - 6 units
English Language and Composition	Score 3 - elective units
	Score 4 or 5 - English 112 - 3 units
Environmental Science	.Science 170 - 4 units
French	Score 3 - 100 level - 4 units
	Score 4 - 100/101 level - 8 units
	Score 5 - 100/101/200 level - 12 units
Geography, Human	Geography 100 - 3 units
Government and Politics, Comparative	e : •
Government and Politics, U.S	Political Science 100 - 3 units
History, European	History 100/101 - 6 units
History, United States	
	Score 3 - 6 elective units, which may be
<b>3</b> /	applied to history to meet
	MC graduation requirements.
Music Theory	
	.Physics B - Science G.E. credit - 3 units
•	Physics B + C (Mechanics) Sci 230 - 5 units
	.Physics B + C (Magnetism) Sci 231 - 5 units
Psychology	•
Spanish	
оранизи	Score 4 - 100/101 level - 8 units
	Score 5 - 100/101/200 level - 12 units
	Score 5 - 100/101/200 level - 12 units

Statistics	.Score 3 - 3 elective units
	Does not satisfy quantitative reasoning
	requirement and math placement exam required.
	Score 4 Math 270 - 4 units
	Score 5 Math 270 - 4 units
	May enroll in Math 105, Math 107,
	Math 109 or Math 115 or take placement
	exam to determine next higher level.
Studio Art-Drawing	.AM 111 (formerly Art 110) - 3 units
Studio Art-2D	.AM 120 (formerly Art 115) - 3 units
Studio Art-3D	.AM 231 (formerly Art 125) - 3 units

#### **CLEP (College Level Examination Program)**

Elective credit will be given for CLEP exams with a score of 50 or higher. For subject credit, a petition must be approved by a faculty member in the appropriate discipline and the corresponding Chair.

#### **International Baccalaureate**

The University will award six semester units of elective credit for International Baccalaureate (IB) work to students who have successfully passed individual higher level examinations with scores of 4 or higher. An official IB diploma is required before enrollment in the University. The decision to grant credit will be made by the Registrar's Office in consultation with the appropriate Program Chair. Students are required to take Marymount placement exams.

The University's awarding of credit for AP, IB, or CLEP does not guarantee transfer of these courses to other institutions.

## **Final Examinations**

Final examinations in all courses may be required at the discretion of each instructor. Final examinations may not be taken at other than scheduled times. During the last five class days of the fall and spring semesters, no field trips or student activities other than study sessions may be scheduled. Students are expected to take their exams at the pre-assigned time and date. Students should not plan to travel until after the posted exam periods.

## **Grade Disputes**

The burden of proof, in cases of disputed grades, rests with the student. The procedure for students to challenge a grade is as follows: The student requests a review by the instructor. Every effort should be made to resolve the matter at this level.

In response to an instructor's academic evaluation that the student disagrees with, the student is entitled to four levels of appeal after review by the instructor:

- An appeal to the instructor's Program Chair. If the student is not satisfied with the instructor's response, the student may appeal in writing to the Program Chair responsible for the course in question. Such an appeal must be received by the Program Chair by the end of the following semester (excluding summer) after the student has received the disputed grade or evaluation. The Program Chair will review the matter and then provide a written decision to the student.
- An appeal to the Program Dean. If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved after meeting with the Program Chair, the next level of appeal is to the Program Dean.
- 3. An appeal to the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs. If the student is not satisfied with the Program Chair's response, the student may appeal in writing to the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs regarding the course in question and including all materials submitted to and received by the instructor and Program Chair. Such an appeal must be received by the Associate Dean by the end of the following semester (excluding summer) after the student has received the disputed grade or evaluation. The Associate Dean will review the matter and then provide a written decision to the student.
- An appeal to the Provost. The final level of appeal rests with the Provost. If the student is not satisfied with the Associate Dean's decision, the student may submit all of the above materials, along with an explanation of the reason for the student's dissatisfaction with the decision, to the Provost. The Provost will review the action and render a decision.

## **Grading System**

Grade	Interpretation of Grade	Quality Points Earned
A	Excellent	4.00
A-		3.70
B+		3.30
В	Superior/Good	3.00
B-		2.70
C+		2.30
C	Average	2.00
C-		1.70
D+		1.30
D	Substandard	1.00
D-		.70
F	Failure	0.00
IN	Incomplete	0.00
W	Official Withdrawal	0.00
CR	Credit	0.00
	(Undergraduate C or higher,	Graduate B or higher)

(Undergraduate C or higher, Graduate B or higher)

NC	No Credit	0.00
NG	Not Graded	0.00
AU	Audit	0.00

## **Incomplete Grades**

An incomplete grade may be given when a student is at a grade level of C or higher and has completed 80% of the course for the semester up to the time of an extended absence due to circumstances entirely beyond the control of the student. Appropriate documentation to verify the reason for the absence must be presented by the student. The student must petition his or her faculty member for the incomplete grade and also must complete the appropriate forms in the Registrar's Office.

If a student meets the above criteria, the instructor will assign an incomplete to the student and identify the default grade. An "IN" is recorded on the student's transcript and will be changed upon the completion of the work, which must be submitted by a specified date or time, normally before the midterm of the following semester. If the work is not completed the incomplete will revert to the default grade.

It is the student's responsibility to apply for an incomplete and to make arrangements with the instructor to complete the assigned coursework.

Students receiving an incomplete grade in a sequential class must complete all coursework before enrolling in the next level of the class.

Students who receive an incomplete grade are not eligible for the Dean's List.

## **Institutional Review Board (IRB)**

All Marymount California University faculty, staff and students conducting research involving human subjects must submit their research protocol to the Marymount Institutional Review Board (IRB) for review and approval prior to commencing the project.

In order to assist investigators in deciding whether a planned activity constitutes research involving human subjects, the following federal definitions of research and human subject are provided:

- Research means a systematic investigation, including research development, testing and evaluation, designed to develop or contribute to generalizable knowledge.
- Human subject means a living individual about whom an investigator (whether professional or student) conducting research obtains:
  - 1. data through intervention or interaction with the individual, or
  - 2. identifiable private information.

## Leave of Absence

A student who wishes to take a leave of absence from Marymount California University must submit a Leave of Absence request before separating from the University. Students forfeit the opportunity to petition for a leave of absence if one has not been submitted to the Registrar prior to the start date of the next academic term following their departure. Students on leave will maintain their academic standing in place at the time of the start of the leave of absence. Students dismissed

from Marymount are not eligible for a leave of absence. Any leave of absence paperwork filed before the dismissal will be void.

Submitting a leave of absence request will enable the student to maintain continuous enrollment and academic status for up to two semesters. A leave of absence will be granted for a maximum of one academic year. Special circumstances (beyond the student's control) may occasionally call for a longer leave, which may be granted through an academic petition to Academic Affairs. A maximum of two leaves of absence may be requested during a student's enrollment.

Students on a leave of absence must contact Academic Affairs to initiate the process of return to the curriculum. Any outstanding health requirements, transcripts and/or account balances must be cleared prior to registering for classes.

Official transcripts of all coursework taken while away from Marymount must be submitted to the Registrar's Office upon completion of coursework. Course placement is determined on the basis of transcripts received by the end of the Add/ Drop period.

Students who break their continuous enrollment without filing a leave of absence request or whose leave of absence has expired must reapply for admission to Marymount and will be subject to the degree requirements as stated in the catalog for their term of readmission. Return to Marymount after a break in status is not guaranteed.

## **Minors**

Any area of emphasis defined in the Liberal Arts BA program (except Behavioral Sciences) may be added to another Bachelor degree as a minor. A minor added to the Liberal Arts BA means completion of a third emphasis, since the Liberal Arts BA itself requires two emphases. Courses may not be applied to more than one area of emphasis. A minor consists of a minimum of 24 units.

## **Placement**

Placement in English and Math is determined on the basis of incoming college transcripts, AP scores, and PSAT/SAT/ACT scores. PSAT/SAT/ACT scores are considered valid for 2 years. In the absence of recent PSAT/SAT/ACT or AP scores or previous college-level courses in English and Math, students will be placed in the lowest course in the sequence.

	ENG 112	ENG 108		
PSAT Writing Score	52 or higher	Below 52 or no recent score		
SAT Writing Score	520 or higher	Below 520 or no recent score		
ACT English Score	23 or higher	Below 23 or no recent score		
	No Reading course	ENG 106		
PSAT Reading Score	44 or higher	Below 44 or no recent score		
SAT Critical Reading Score	440 or higher	Below 440 or no recent score		
ACT Reading Score	18 or higher	Below 18 or no recent score		
	Math 110 or 120	College-level Math 105, 107, 109, 115, 270, BUS 220, ANT/PSY/SOC	Math 60	Math 50
PSAT Math Score	Above 68	53 through 68	43 to 52	Below 43 or no recent score
SAT Math Score	Above 680	530 through 680	430 to 529	Below 430 or no recent score
ACT Math Score	31 or better	23 to 30	17 to 22	Below 17 or no recent score

#### Notes:

- 1. ACT English without writing component
- 2. Existing Accuplacer cutoffs remain in effect.

#### Change of Level

Students placed according to the chart above who have not passed the appropriate AP exam or completed a college-level mathematics or English class may request to take the *Accuplacer* placement test as a method to change placement level. *Accuplacer* scores are valid for up to two semesters. Requests to change placement level must be made prior to the start of the semester. Any change of level must be completed by the end of the Add/Drop period for that semester.

#### **Placement Policies**

- In cases where multiple test scores are reported, the highest score is chosen in each section.
- 2. In the case of incoming transfer students for whom complete transcripts have not been received prior to the start of the semester, placement will be

- according to the chart above. Transcripts received subsequently will override the above placements up to the end of the Add/Drop period for that semester.
- 3. Scores from recent *Accuplacer* testing from another institution are interpreted in the context of Marymount courses by Academic Affairs. Additional testing may be required.
- 4. Accuplacer scores will be released to any prospective student who requests them. Once a student has matriculated to Marymount, the Accuplacer scores will be considered part of the student's academic record and policies regarding release of records will be applied.

## **Prerequisites**

Many courses have prerequisites. These are intended to ensure that students enrolling in a class have the appropriate content and skill preparation to be successful in the class. For many lower division courses, the prerequisites also ensure comparability with articulated courses at transfer institutions. Prerequisites must have been completed prior to the start of class, and with a C or better unless otherwise specified. Any exception or waivers of prerequisites need to occur by formal petition, with approval from both the instructor and the corresponding Program Chair. Final grades for prerequisite courses taken at another college must be received prior to registration.

## Registration

All tuition and housing fees must be paid and Health Center clearance secured before students may attend classes. The dates of registration are listed in the Academic Calendar. Students must follow registration procedures as established by the Registrar. Students not officially registered by the add/drop date will not be allowed to remain in classes.

Students with outstanding health requirements, transcripts and/or account balances will not be allowed to register for a subsequent term at Marymount.

Any course that does not have a sufficient number of students may be cancelled.

## **Residency Requirement**

To earn a Marymount degree, students must complete a minimum of 30 units toward their degree while enrolled at Marymount. No more than 3 units of developmental course work may be applied to the 30-unit minimum. Once matriculated, a student may transfer in a maximum of 7 units. BA students must also complete their capstone while enrolled at Marymount.

## **Satisfactory Degree Progress**

Undergraduate students must maintain a GPA of 2.0 or higher and make reasonable progress toward their degree.

Graduate students must maintain a GPA of 3.0 or higher and earn a grade of B or higher in every graduate course. A graduate course in which a student earned less than a B may be repeated, in which case the higher of the grades will be computed in the Marymount GPA.

Academic standing will be reviewed by Academic Affairs after each grading period. Students whose grade point average falls below 2.0 for undergraduates and 3.0 for graduates will be placed on academic probation. Students who continue on probation after two successive semesters will be dismissed from the program.

Graduate students placed on academic probation must meet the Program Chair to develop an academic plan. Failure to develop such a plan will jeopardize continuance in the program.

## Second Bachelor's Degree

A student who has earned a Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution may earn a second Bachelor's degree by completing the degree-specific requirements of the second BA. Such a student is granted senior class standing. The residency requirement applies.

## **Sequential Courses**

Certain elements of the curriculum require courses to be taken in sequence. Courses taken out of sequence may be accepted as elective credit by Marymount but may not fulfill the Liberal Education core requirements. Final grades for prerequisite courses taken at other colleges must be received prior to registration via an official transcript for the next course in a sequence.

## **Student Transcripts**

A student may request transcripts by completing a written application. Official copies are \$5.00 (unofficial copies are \$1.00 each). The fee for same-day service is \$10.00. The fee should accompany the written request. Transcripts cannot be released without the student's signature and until all fees to the University have been paid and holds are cleared. Please consult the Marymount website for instructions on how to order transcripts.

## Time to Degree

Graduate students must complete the program of study within 4 calendar years from the date of acceptance.

Students who fail to complete the program within the prescribed period must file a petition for extension with the Program Chair. Recommendations concerning program extensions will be made by the Program Chair to the Provost, who communicates the final decision to the student. In all cases, it will be necessary to repeat coursework that falls outside the four-year limit for degree completion. Students who fail to enroll in courses for a period of two years or more will be required to apply for readmission to the graduate program. Students readmitted in this way will be bound by program requirements in effect at the time of readmission.

## **Total Unit Limitation**

Marymount places no limit on the total number of units a student may accumulate while enrolled. However, most four-year colleges/universities limit the number of units a student may transfer in. Therefore, each student is responsible to work closely with his/her academic advisor to establish and complete a program of

study at Marymount that will enable the student to accumulate an optimal number of units relative to degree and/or transfer goals.

## **Transcript Holds**

Transcripts will be placed on hold when there is an outstanding obligation to the University. These obligations include but are not limited to: an outstanding balance due the University; outstanding library or other loaned instructional materials; outstanding parking violations; missing transcripts; and incomplete sanctions imposed as a result of violations of the University's Student Code of Conduct and Academic Integrity Policies. This hold will remain until the account balance is paid in full and/or until the obligation has been satisfied.

## Wait-listing a Course

Classes at Marymount have limited enrollment. The University does not maintain wait lists. Students who try to preregister for a class that has reached its limit will need to register for another section of the same course or for a comparable course. Students are encouraged to work closely with their academic advisor for help in selecting courses that meet their degree objectives.

## Withdrawing from a Course

After the add/drop deadline, a student may withdraw from a course until the established deadline to withdraw, published by the Registrar. Students are responsible for initiating and completing withdrawal requests through the Registrar's office. Appeals to this policy are made in writing and submitted with supporting documentation to the Registrar. Appeals are reviewed by the Registrar and forwarded to Academic Affairs for final resolution. A course from which a student has withdrawn will remain on the transcript with a grade of "W." A grade of "W" does not affect the student's GPA.

For undergraduate students, if the unit load drops below 12, athletic eligibility, health insurance, financial aid, F1 Visa and residential status may be jeopardized. Students considering withdrawing below 12 units must consult with their advisor.

## Withdrawal from the University

A student who wishes to completely withdraw from the University must secure a withdrawal form from the Registrar and obtain the specified signatures. The completed form must be returned to the Registrar by the last day of the semester prior to finals week. Only then does the withdrawal become official. Failure to follow the prescribed procedure will result in an "F" for all courses in progress. Please refer to page 218 for the schedule of refunds. A student who withdraws from the University during a term will receive grades of "W" for that term's courses. In keeping with the refund schedule on page 218, a student who leaves the University during the add/drop period will receive a grade of "W" for all coursework registered. However, grades already recorded (e.g. for half-semester classes) will remain on the transcript. Withdrawal from the University does not relieve the student from any account balance that remains. Please reference the Schedule of Refunds for refund policy and amounts.

## Admission

Marymount California University welcomes applicants who are committed to learning and holistic development, and who can benefit from the University's educational programs. Admission to Marymount is a highly personalized process that weighs past academic performance with current academic potential.

Careful consideration is given to the selection of applicants with greatest emphasis placed upon the applicant's grades and the quality of academic preparation (curriculum). Although not required for admission consideration, Marymount strongly recommends the completion of the following college preparatory curriculum pattern: 4 years of English, 3 years of Mathematics (Algebra 1, Geometry and Intermediate Algebra), 2 years of History/Social Sciences, 2 years of Natural Science, 2 years of Foreign Language and 1-2 years of Academic Elective courses.

In addition, the following credentials, although not required, can influence the Admission Committee's decision: standardized testing (SAT I, ACT and/or TOEFL); letters of recommendations; personal statement/essay and/or interview with an Admission Counselor.

Marymount invites applications from the following:

- Students who have graduated from a U.S. high school or foreign secondary school.
- Students who wish to transfer from another college or university.
- Students who have successfully completed the General Equivalency Diploma (GED).
- Returning or adult students who are interested in completing their Bachelor of Arts degree.

We receive many qualified applications, so we urge you to apply as early as possible. Admission is offered on a rolling basis. Please note the following dates:

#### Freshman Candidates:

Applications for the Fall Semester (beginning in August)

March 1	Priority consideration deadline
*May 1	Regular consideration deadline
July 1	Late consideration deadline

<sup>\*</sup>Applications received after this date will be considered only as space is available

Applications for the Spring Semester (beginning in January)

November 1	Priority consideration	deadline
*December 1	Regular consideration	deadline
January 1	Late consideration	deadline

<sup>\*</sup>Applications received after this date will be considered only as space is available

#### **Transfer Candidates:**

Applications for the Fall Semester (beginning in August)

April 1 ......Priority consideration deadline
May 1 ......Regular consideration deadline

Applications for the Spring Semester (beginning in January)

October 1 ......Priority consideration deadline
November 1 .....Regular consideration deadline



## Admission and Application Procedures

## Freshman Admission

The following documents are required in order to apply for admission as a freshman:

- 1. A completed admission application accompanied by a non-refundable application fee of \$50.00 or an official College Board Fee Waiver form. Official fee waiver forms are distributed by high school counselors.
- 2. An official high school transcript.
- 3. Official college and/or university transcripts, if applicable.

The following documents are recommended, but not required, for admission consideration:

- An academic letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor or advisor.
   Applicants not currently enrolled in studies may submit an employer or personal reference.
- 5. Personal statement, essay or writing samples.
- 6. Standardized testing results from any of the following: SAT I (Scholastic Assessment Test), SAT II Subject Tests, ACT (American College Test), and/ or TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language).
- 7. Interviews may be requested of some candidates.

#### International Admission

The following documents are required in order to apply for admission as an international student (applicants who have completed high school/secondary education outside of the United States or applicants who are not United States citizens):

- 1. A completed admission application accompanied by a non-refundable application fee of US \$50.00 or an official College Board Fee Waiver form. Official fee waiver forms are distributed by high school counselors.
- Official high school (secondary school) records, including transcripts and/ or mark sheets and official reports of scores from national school-leaving examinations. These records, if not officially issued in English, must be accompanied by professionally certified English translations.
- 3. Official transcripts from all colleges, universities or other post-secondary institutions attended, if applicable. These records, if not officially issued

in English, must be accompanied by professionally certified English translations. Coursework completed at non-U.S. institutions of higher education that are recognized by the appropriate agency (Ministry or Department of Education) in that country may be submitted for evaluation of credit. All documents must be certified by the appropriate educational authorities and be accompanied by certified English translations. It should be noted that differences in national systems of higher education often make it difficult to establish equivalencies and grant credit. Evaluation of college, university and/or post-secondary transcripts will be completed by the Registrar following matriculation at the University.

The following documents are recommended, but not required, for admission consideration:

- 4. An academic letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, career advisor or headmaster. Applicants not currently enrolled in studies may submit an employer or personal reference.
- 5. Personal statement, essay or writing samples.
- 6. Standardized testing results from any of the following: SAT (Scholastic Assessment Test), SAT II Subject Tests, ACT (American College Test), IB Program (International Baccalaureate), TOEFL\* (Test of English as a Foreign Language), and/or IELTS\* (International English Language Testing System.)
- 7. Interviews may be requested of some candidates.

\*While the TOEFL and/or IELTS are not required for admission to the Associate or Bachelor's degree programs, English language proficiency must be demonstrated prior to enrollment at the University. Proof of English language proficiency may be established in one or more of the following ways:

- 1. A minimum TOEFL score of 61 (internet-based test); or
- 2. A minimum IELTS score of 6; or
- 3. SAT Critical Reading score of 440 or higher and SAT Writing score of 390 or higher; or
- ACT English score of 15 or higher and ACT Reading score of 18 or higher;
   or
- 5. Advanced Placement score of 3 or higher in English Composition and Literature or English Language and Composition; or

- 6. College preparatory English language curriculum (non-ESL) where English is the language of instruction for a minimum of 3 years; or
- 7. Successful completion of an Intensive English Program designed to prepare students for academic college-level instruction; or
- 8. Placement into English curriculum offered at Marymount through prior college or university coursework or placement exams.

If English language proficiency is not verified prior to enrollment at the University, the student's application may be deferred to a future term until English language proficiency can be demonstrated.

## **Transfer Admission**

The following documents are required in order to apply for admission as a transfer student (applicant who has attended another college, university or other post-secondary institution):

- 1. A completed admission application accompanied by a non-refundable application fee of \$50.00 or an official College Board Fee Waiver form.
- 2. An official high school transcript.
- 3. Official transcripts from all colleges, universities or other post-secondary institutions attended. These records, if not officially issued in English, must be accompanied by professionally certified English translations. Coursework completed at non-U.S. institutions of higher education that are recognized by the appropriate agency (Ministry or Department of Education) in that country may be submitted for evaluation of credit. All documents must be certified by the appropriate educational authorities and be accompanied by certified English translations. It should be noted that differences in national systems of higher education often make it difficult to establish equivalencies and grant credit. Evaluation of college, university and/or post-secondary transcripts will be completed by the Registrar following matriculation to the University.

The following documents are recommended, but not required, for admission consideration:

- An academic letter of recommendation from an instructor, counselor or advisor. Applicants not currently enrolled in studies may submit an employer or personal reference.
- 5. Personal statement, essay or writing samples.
- 6. Interviews may be requested of some candidates.

The Office of Admissions expects all transfer applicants to have completed or have in progress at least one English composition course and one college level mathematics course. Applicants that have not completed or are currently enrolled in English composition and college level mathematics may still apply for admission. The lack of English composition and college level mathematics will be taken into consideration for admission.

## Major Preparation Suggestions:

Transfer applicants interested in Business should try to complete the following courses:

- Microeconomics
- Macroeconomics
- Financial Accounting
- Managerial Accounting
- Statistics

Transfer applicants interested in Psychology should try to complete the following courses:

- General Psychology
- Statistics

Transfer applicants interested in Biomedical Science should try to complete the following courses:

- One year of General Biology
- One year of General Chemistry
- One semester of Calculus

#### **Marymount Transfer Admission Guarantee**

Marymount provides a guarantee transfer admission option to students from California Community Colleges. This guarantee sets a minimum standard of admission for all Bachelor's degree programs and allows for automatic awarding of transfer scholarships. In addition, this option is open to all transfer applicants except returning Marymount students who have not obtained an Associate Degree at least two years prior to application for admission or those who are in poor academic standing.

- Completion of college-level composition, or equivalent, with a grade of C or better
- Completion of college-level mathematics with a grade of C or better
- Cumulative 2.75 GPA in transferable courses
- Completion of 24 transferable units

For the most current information on admission processes and deadlines, please visit our website at: http://www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/admission

## SPECIAL ADMISSION PROGRAMS

## **Part-time Admission**

Part-time students seeking enrollment in Rancho Palos Verdes day classes may be admitted on a space available basis.

## **Graduate Admission**

Applicants for admission to graduate study must apply for acceptance into a specific graduate program and work towards a specific advanced degree. A general requirement for admission is that an applicant should hold the degree of Bachelor of Arts, Letters, Philosophy, or Science (or an acceptable equivalent) from an accredited academic institution with degree standards equivalent to those of Marymount.

Each applicant's file is comprehensively evaluated by the Office of Graduate Admission based on academic subject preparation, scholarship, letters of recommendation, test scores, and examples of previous work. A critical evaluative question is whether the applicant's academic objectives can reasonably be satisfied by a particular graduate program on this campus.

## APPLICATION PROCEDURES

#### **How To Apply**

Prospective students should apply online using the application for Graduate Admission available at http://MarymountCalifornia.edu/graduate-program-application-form. Detailed instructions are included in the electronic application. For additional information, e-mail graduateadmission@MarymountCalifornia.edu or call (310) 303-7212.

The mandatory application fee is \$50.00 (\$60.00 for international students) and is not refundable. Payment instructions are provided in the electronic application as well as on the graduate program website.

#### When to Apply

For all graduate programs, applications should be completed and submitted by the stated deadline. Program deadlines are published on the graduate program website. www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/graduate-programs. In order to process applications in time for the applicant to receive full consideration, letters of recommendation, official transcripts, and official test scores must be received before the published deadlines. Applicants should consult the Office Graduate Admission for more detailed information.

#### REOUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

#### **Letters of Recommendation**

Applicants should arrange to have two letters of recommendation sent to the Office of Graduate Admission. Recommendation letters can be sent electronically to graduateadmission@MarymountCalifornia.edu. It is important that letters of

recommendation be completed primarily by professors or instructors in disciplines related to the proposed course of study who are in a position to analyze an applicant's abilities and academic promise.

#### **Domestic Academic Records**

Domestic applicants should request that official transcripts be sent to the Office of Graduate Admission. One complete set of official records covering all postsecondary academic work attempted, regardless of length of attendance, is required. One official set of transcripts must also be submitted by applicants who attended or graduated from Marymount. Applicants with academic work in progress must complete their undergraduate degree programs before the intended date of enrollment at Marymount and must submit evidence of degree conferral before officially enrolling.

#### **International Academic Records**

Official records from international institutions should be sent directly to the Office of Graduate Admission. Records of academic study from international institutions must be official, bearing the original signature of the Registrar and the seal of the issuing institution. Applicants should not send the original of an academic record which cannot be replaced; they should obtain instead properly certified copies. Unless academic records and diplomas are issued in English by the institution, the official records in their original language must be submitted with an authorized, complete, and exact English translation. International academic records must be in duplicate and include all subjects or courses taken on a yearly basis, together with the units of credit or time allotted to each subject each term or year and the marks or ratings in each subject or examination passed. In all cases the institutional grading scale or other standard of evaluation, including maximal passing and failing marks and definition of grades between them, should appear on official records or as an official attachment. Official evidence of degree conferral must also be supplied, together with evidence of rank in class if available.

#### **Demonstration of English Language Proficiency for Admission**

Applicants whose primary language is not English are required to demonstrate proficiency in English for admission consideration. A student may receive a waiver to the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL or TOEFL iBT) requirement for purposes of admission to a Marymount graduate program if the student completed all of the requirements for their high school diploma, bachelor's degree, or an advanced degree in a country where the primary and/or dominant language is English, and where English was the language of instruction of the school where the requirements were completed. The TOEFL/TOEFL iBT requirement may be waived for admission purposes only.

Proficiency in English may be demonstrated by passing one of two standardized, internationally administered tests: TOEFL (the Test of English as a Foreign Language), or IELTS (International English Language Testing System). The applicant should take one of these tests at the earliest available date to ensure that the scores are reported in time to meet application deadlines. Applicants will not be

admitted provisionally if they lack an acceptable proficiency score or have not yet taken an acceptable proficiency examination.

The TOEFL is administered by Educational Testing Service (ETS), http://www.ets.org. The minimum score required for admission consideration is 550 for the paper-based test; for the TOEFL iBT, the minimum required overall score for admission consideration is 79. TOEFL and TOEFL iBT scores that are two years old or older are not acceptable. Results of institutional (non-ETS) administrations of the TOEFL or TOEFL iBT are not acceptable.

English language proficiency may also be demonstrated by passing the Academic Modules of the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) examination (http://www.ielts.org). The minimum requirements for admission consideration are an overall score of 6.0, with a score of no less than 6.0 on any individual module. IELTS test scores that are two years old or older are not acceptable.

#### SPECIAL NOTE TO INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

If admitted, international applicants will be required to certify that they possess sufficient funds to cover all tuition, fees, transportation, and living expenses for the first year of their studies at Marymount. A Confidential International Applicant Questionnaire for the purpose of verifying the amount and source of funds available for graduate study will be forwarded to international applicants upon admission to graduate study. The required financial verification must be provided before a visa can be issued.

International students are expected to be enrolled in a full-time course of study.

## Admission and Registration

A formal notice of the admission decision is sent to each applicant as soon as possible after the application and complete records are received, and after the graduate admission committee has made a recommendation. The official notification will be mailed well in advance of the beginning of the semester for which application has been made.

Admission to graduate standing does not constitute registration for classes. A student is not officially registered for classes until the entire registration procedure is completed each semester, including payment of tuition, Student Services fees, and other university fees, and enrollment in courses. Information on registration dates and procedures will be mailed to newly admitted students prior to the registration cycle. Extensive information for newly admitted students is available online at http://www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/graduate-programs.

Applicants that wish to defer admission to a later academic semester (up to a maximum of two semesters after the original semester of admission), must notify the Office of Graduate Admission in writing. All requests for admission deferral must also be approved by the Office of Admission, in addition to the academic program to which the applicant was admitted.

#### MS Graduate Program Admission Requirements

- 1. Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution
- 2. Met program-specific course requirements:
  - a. MS in Community Psychology: completion of 3 or more units of an undergraduate Statistics course\* from a regionally accredited institution with a grade of C or better; Completion of 6 units in Psychology or other social or behavioral science.
  - b. MS in Leadership and Global Development: completion of 3 or more units of an undergraduate Statistics course\* from a regionally accredited institution with a grade of C or better.
- 3. Submit complete application by posted due date
- \* Offered every semester at Marymount.

#### **BA-MS Admission Pathway Requirements**

The BA-MS Pathway programs in Community Psychology and Leadership & Global Development considers only Marymount students who are classified at Junior level class standing by the February 1st application deadline. Undergraduates enrolled in any Marymount BA program are eligible to apply for a BA-MS Pathway program if they have earned a cumulative Marymount GPA of 3.0 or higher and meet the program requirements. Only BA-MS Pathway applicants that received at least a grade of C in all required courses will be reviewed for admission.

- 1. Admission requirements for the BA-MS Pathway: Community Psychology
  - a. Completion of General Psychology.
  - b. Completion of college-level Statistics.
  - c. Completion of Psychology Research Methods.
- 2. Admission requirements for the BA-MS Pathway: Leadership & Global Development
  - a. Completion of Perspectives on Global Development.
  - b. Completion of college-level Statistics.
- 3. BA-MS Pathway application must be accompanied by a proposed Educational Plan showing courses remaining to complete both the BA and the MS degrees. Please work with a Program Advisor.



# **Academic Advising** and Career Services

#### **Mission Statement**

The mission of the Marymount Advising and Career Services office is to provide a high quality, caring, student centered advising experience that promotes the educational, career, and personal development of each student.

#### **Vision Statement**

The vision of the Advising and Career Services office at Marymount is to develop men and women with maturity, intellectual curiosity, and the skills to succeed. We strive to help students learn to take a proactive role in the academic and career advising process, through hands-on experience, actively participate in experiential education opportunities and thereby empowering themselves to become capable of making informed decisions regarding their future.

#### **Values**

Academic and career advising at Marymount reflects the university's commitment to student learning, experiential learning, persistence, and success by:

- Promoting an ethical, intentional, and respectful partnership between students and their academic and career advisors.
- Striving to provide vital information and connections that lead to successful achievement of degree and career goals.
- Promoting an intentional teaching-learning and experiential education
  process; one that assists the student to learn critical thinking skills, problem
  solving skills, and decision making skills.
- Developing intentional partnerships where academic and career advisors and potential employers are accessible, knowledgeable, and take a personal interest in the student.

#### Goals

Resources and programs offered through the Office of Advising and Career Services enhance students' ability to explore educational goals. The advising program, through respectful partnership between students, academic advisor, and the Office of Advising and Career Services, strives to:

- **Assist** students to develop critical thinking, problem solving, and reflective decision making skills.
- Teach students to use these critical thinking skills to evaluate potential short and long-term outcomes of their choices, including selection of an academic major.

- **Educate** students about Marymount academic polices, procedures, programs, and support services.
- Advise students in the development of a realistic education plan.
- Develop relationships with external educational and professional communities to achieve successful transitions between Marymount and other institutions and organizations.

## Student Learning Outcomes of Advising and Career Services

#### **Cognitive Elements**

- Students will know where to access the general education requirements for Marymount.
- 2. Students will know where to access the preparation for major (concentrations) requirements and major degree requirements for Marymount.
- Students will know where to access university educational policies and procedures.
- 4. Students will know where to access university support services and activities.
- 5. Students will know how and where to access information about internships/ practicum and career planning resources.

#### Skills Elements (Behavioral)

- 1. Students will be able to research and create a realistic education plan, selecting appropriate courses required for degree attainment.
- 2. Students will know how to register for appropriate classes meeting their degree requirements and education plans.
- Students will be able to develop the technical skills to access their
   Marymount student portals and websites for information regarding policies,
   procedures, deadline dates, degree requirements, activities & programs, and
   contact with advisors.
- 4. Students will be able to run an electronic degree audit and complete a Graduation Application.
- 5. Students will be able to identify and participate in appropriate internships and career planning activities.

#### **Affective Elements**

- 1. Students will appreciate the development of personal goals based on their skills, abilities, aptitudes, interests, and practical experiences in partnership with their academic and career advisors.
- 2. Students will feel empowered by learning to make decisions based on research and critical thinking.
- 3. Students will appreciate being able to access information about graduation requirements, major requirements, internships/practicum, careers, and graduate education.
- Students will value their decisions and accept the consequences of their choices.
- Students will understand that, ultimately, they are responsible for their academic and career success.

# **Career and Internship Services**

#### **Career Advising**

The primary mission of the Career Services and Internship office at Marymount California University is to provide opportunities for career exploration in order to assist students in developing their career plans. To fulfill this mission, career services will provide career counseling, resources, strategies, programs, workshops/webinars, job search and interview preparation, self-assessment tools, graduate school information, and recruiting activities.

#### **Internship/Practicum Coordination**

Internships and practica are structured learning experiences in a work setting that involve a partnership between a student, Marymount California University, and a particular company/organization. In an internship/practicum, a student will bridge and strengthen the connection between education and career. Through the involvement in an internship/practicum experience, the student will develop career development skills and strategies in the *four major career management areas*:

- **Self-Assessment** access to tools and resources to connect student interests and traits to majors, occupations, industries and companies.
- **Professional Credentials** access to workshops/webinars to develop professional resumes, cover letters and interview skills.
- Networking introducing a comprehensive approach to one of the most important ingredients in establishing a successful career. Students will connect with alumni, social networks and partnered employers to create a lasting career network.
- The Job Marketplace introduce leading edge strategies and resources
  to navigate the complex terrain of companies and organizations to identify
  appropriate employers and culture to achieve a thriving career.

# **Academic Advising Services**

Academic Advising is supported through three primary channels:

#### 1. Freshman Seminar

All freshmen enroll in ID 117, a seminar focused on foundations for university success, including educational planning. Freshman academic advising is supported through the freshman seminar course, with year-long follow-up with the Instructor and the Advising and Career Center. The focus is developmental in nature and helps students identify tools and approaches to self-assessment, academic planning, course selection, portfolio development, university engagement, and experiential learning.

#### 2. Faculty Advisors

All continuing full-time students are assigned a faculty advisor in their area of degree intent after freshman year. The faculty advising relationship helps students explore and further refine their educational and career objectives, and offers opportunities for guidance and mentoring. Faculty advisors hold weekly office hours.

#### 3. The Advising and Career Center (ACC)

The ACC serves all Marymount students by providing resources, workshops, appointments, and walk-in help in the areas of educational planning, transfer credit, study abroad, internship placement, and career development services.

#### **Transfer Advising**

For acceptance of incoming transfer credit, see page 55. Students considering transfer to another four-year institution are advised to access the catalogs and web sites of the colleges and universities for which they plan to apply. Developmental courses in English (106, 108) and Mathematics (50, 60, 90) do not generally transfer. Marymount maintains articulation agreements with many institutions. Please refer to our website for updated information.

# **Articulation Agreements**

#### **Independent Colleges and Universities**

Marymount has articulation agreements, general education transfer worksheets and transfer partnerships with many independent colleges and universities. Some of these colleges and universities include:

California Lutheran University
Chapman University
Loyola Marymount University
Mount St. Mary's College
Notre Dame de Namur University
Occidental College
Pacific Oaks College
Pepperdine University (Seaver College)

St. Mary's College of California University of the Pacific University of Redlands University of San Diego University of San Francisco University of Southern California (articulation history) Whittier College Marymount's policy is to develop and maintain articulation agreements with regionally accredited not-for-profit colleges and universities. Students should obtain a copy of the school catalog and consult with their advisor and the Advising and Career Services staff in preparation for transfer to one of these colleges and universities.

#### **Out-of-State Colleges and Universities**

Students interested in transfer to colleges and universities outside of California should obtain copies of catalogs for schools of interest and consult with their advisor and the Advising and Career Services staff as soon as possible after entrance into Marymount. Some public and independent colleges and universities accept CSU certification and/or IGETC in lieu of their lower division general education requirements, including the University of Arizona, Hawaii Pacific University, Oregon State University, and the Colorado State University system.

#### University of California and California State University System Transfer

Marymount California University enjoys a rich tradition of articulation (transfer) agreements with four-year colleges and universities. Our students have successfully transferred to and completed BA programs at University of California campuses, California State Universities, USC and many other private institutions, both in and out of state. Students who enroll at MCU with personal goals to transfer are able to access Advising Services for specialized assistance with the transfer process.

Many lower division general education courses fulfill UC/CSU requirements. Students are eligible for transfer to CSU and UC after the completion of 60 transferable units.

Certification means that Marymount has verified a student has completed lowerdivision general education requirements for the California State University system. Marymount certifies for CSU transfer. Certification does not guarantee acceptance. Acceptance is on a campus by campus basis.

Marymount does not certify IGETC. IGETC certification is not a condition of UC acceptance. The UC competitive student will complete 60 transferable units, lower division general education coursework, preparation for major coursework, and maintain a 3.50, or higher, grade point average.

We recommend that students work closely with the Advising staff to access resources and formulate their educational plans.

# MARYMOUNT CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITIES & COLLEGES CERTIFICATION FORM

# EFFECTIVE FALL 2013

Last	First	Middle	Birthdate
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complete additional units in General Education  NOTE: Courses may not be used in more to	at the upper division level.	warymount as acceptable toward the bach	ciol degree. The student will have to
AREA A — ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMMI 3 courses required, one each from		INKING (9 units minimum) le of "C" or better required in Area	A. Complete
Group A1: Oral Communication, 1 con Communication Arts 105, 125, 130, 145, 2		ech 110), 125, 130, 145, 250	
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	ement
Group A2: Written Communication, 1 English 112	course, 3 semester units		
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	ement
Group A3: Critical Thinking – 1 course, English 114, Philosophy 130, and Speech			
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	ement
AREA B — SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY & QUAN 1 course from each group is requi	TITATIVE REASONING (10 red. Grade of "C" or bette	units minimum) er required in Area B4.	
Group B1: Physical Universe, 1 course, Science 100, 102, 110, 115, 116, 120, 220	3 semester units		
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	ement
Group B2: Life Forms, 1 course, 3 seme Science 130, 132, 133, 135, 140, 145, 145		1; Anthropology 110; Psychology 123, 123h	1
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	ement
Group B3: Laboratory Activities Science 100, 110, 115, 116, 120L, 130, 13	2, 133, 135, 140, 145L, 150, 1	60, 170L, 220, 221, 230, 231, 240, 241, 250	0, 251; Geography 108L
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	ement
Group B4: Mathematical Concepts, 1 Mathematics 105, 107, 109, 110, 115, 120,		logy 235: Psychology 235; Sociology 235; B	Jusiness 220
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	ement
AREA C — ARTS AND HUMANITIES (9 ur At least 3 courses, with at least one		urse from the Humanities. (9 semester units m	ninimum)
Group C1: Arts, Dance, Music, Theatre, Arts & Media 100, 101, 201, 202, 211, 221 110, 148; Interdisciplinary 148; Music 100,	Art 104, 105, 106, 107, 108,		nication Arts 100, 101,
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	ement
Group C2: Humanities, 3 units minimun American Studies 200; English 116, 120, 1 Philosophy 100, 110, 120, 121, 145, 150, 2 Interdisciplinary 140, 142, 146, 147, 149; f	25, 130, 130H, 140, 150, 160, 20H; Religious Studies 102, 1	03, 125, 130, 130H, 142, 144, 200, 210, 22	5;
Course from other college		Advanced Plac	

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Directions: Circle courses taken at your college, list courses taken at other colleges, indicate t	name of test if requirement was met v	vith AP.
Area D — SOCIAL SCIENCES (9 units minimum) 3 courses to be in at least two disciplines, <u>9 semester units</u> .		Completed
Group D1: Anthropology Anthropology 110, 120		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D2: Economics Economics 135, 220, 221, 221H		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D3: Ethnic Studies History 270; Sociology 250		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D4: Gender Studies History 275, PSY 222		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D5: Geography Geography 100, 108, 108H, 120		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D6: History History 100, 101, 120, 121, 135, 200, 201, 210H, 220, 220H, 270, 275		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D7: Interdisciplinary Social, or Behavioral Science Global Studies 220; Interdisciplinary 123, 123H, 135, 180 (2 units), 191 (2 units), PSY 210		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D8: Political Science Political Science 100, 110, 220, 240		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D9: Psychology Education 220; Psychology 123, 123H, 150, 150H, 200, 205, 220, 222, 225, 228, 280		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Group D10: Sociology Education 140; Sociology 100, 100H, 125, 140, 175, 220, 250		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
Area E — Lifelong Understanding and Self Development (3 semester units minimum) Maximum of 1 unit from Physical Ed.		
Interdisciplinary 117, 117H; Health Education 130, 150, 170; Psychology 220, 230; Physical Education 100, 101, 104, 121, 122, 124, 125, 126, 128, 141, 142, 143, 144, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 160, 161, 162, 163, 170, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 188, 189, 295		
Course from other college	Advanced Placement	
CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENT IN U.S. HISTORY, CONSTITUTION & AMERICAN IDEALS (May be completed prior to transfer) 6 semester units, one course from Group 1 and one course from Group 2: (1) History 120, 121 (2) Political Science 100.  Certified		
CHECK ALL THAT APPLY: FULL CERTIFICATION   PARTIAL CERTIFICATION   AREAS CO (Maximum, 2 courses remaining)	OMPLETED A B C	_ D _ E

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# MARYMOUNT CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY INTERSEGMENTAL GENERAL EDUCATION TRANSFER CURRICULUM (IGETC FOR UC) RECOMMENDED COURSE PREPARATION

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	ENGLISH COMMUNICATION UC – 2 courses required, one e	N	, ,	Completed
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Cour	se from other college		Advanced F	Placement
	ıp B: Critical Thinking – English Co ish 114	omposition, 1 course, 3 semest	er units	
Cour	se from other college		Advanced F	Placement
Math	MATHEMATICAL CONCEPT: 1 course, 3 semester units 105, 107#, 110, 115, 120, 130, 13 ss not clear high school deficiency	31, 220, 270; Anthropology 235	SONING ; Psychology 235; Sociology 235; B	usiness 220
Cour	se from other college		Advanced F	Placement
Arts	& Media: AM 100, 101, 201, 211,	221; Arts: Art 104, 105, 106, 1	one course from the Humanities. 9 07, 108, 109; Music 100, 101, 115,	116; Theater 110
Cour	se(s) from other college(s)		Advanced F	Placement
Hum 120,	anities: English 116, 120, 125, 220 220H, 121, 150; Religious Studies	H, 130, 130H, 140, 150, 160, 1 102, 103, 125, 130, 130H, 142	70, 175, 208, 210, 230, 231, 240, 2 1, 144, 225	50, 260; Philosophy 100, 110,
Cour	se(s) from other college(s)		Advanced F	Placement
Anthi 201,	ropology 120; Economics 135, 220	2 disciplines or an interdisciplir , 221, 221H; Geography 100, 1 isciplinary 135; Political Science	nary sequence. 9 semester units 20; Global Studies 220; History 100 e 100, 110, 220, 240; Psychology 1 0	
Cour	se(s) from other college(s)		Advanced F	Placement
AREA 5 —	PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICA At least 2 courses, one Physica laboratory (underlined courses	Science course and one Biolo	gical Science course; at least one semester units	must include a
Phys	ical Sciences: Geography 108, 1	—	<u>110, 115, 116,</u> 120, 120L, <u>220, 221</u>	
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	ogical Sciences: Anthropology 1 hology 123, 123H	10; Science <u>130, 132, 133, 135</u>	5, <u>140</u> , 145, <u>145H</u> , 145L, <u>150</u> , 155,	160, 170, 170L, <u>240, 241;</u>
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Area(s) Remaining:  $\square$  Area 1  $\square$  Area 2  $\square$  Area 3  $\square$  Area 4  $\square$  Area 5  $\square$  L.O.T.E.

# **Learning Resources**

**Learning Resources** include Information Technology, the Library, and the Learning Center, all of which support the curriculum, aid independent study and enrich the university experience.

# **Information Technology** Got Tech?

The Marymount Got Tech website is where the Information Technology department provides all of the documentation and support services you'll need. Here you will find information about campus computers, my.MarymountCalifornia.edu, printing, e-mail, Wi-Fi, accounts and technical support. Here you can also download the Marymount app for iPhone and Android devices.

You can access the Got Tech page by visiting: www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/gottech

#### **Technical Support**

The Information Technology provides many different ways to contact the staff for technical support. We are available by e-mail, phone, live chat and offer a Help Desk system in which you can track and monitor your submitted tickets. All of this information can be found on the GotTech page at www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/gottech

Contacting Support: (Please include your contact information)

Email: support@MarymountCalifornia.edu

Phone: (M-F: 8 am-5 pm) 310-303-7268 (x7268 from Campus)

Website: http://support.MarymountCalifornia.edu

### **Student Account Logins**

You will be emailed an account activation email and login information when you have been admitted to the college. Be sure to remember this. It is your key to accessing all services offered by Marymount California University.

Should you forget your password, please visit our Gottech site at www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/gottech

#### **Student E-Mail**

Once admitted, students are required to use their Marymount assigned email account for all campus communication. This email account is a tool for you to communicate with faculty and staff and for Marymount to communicate with you. You can access your email via web browser by visiting:

http://webmail.MarymountCalifornia.edu

For information about using Marymount's Email with your iPhone, iPad or Android device, please visit the GotTech site at www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/gottech

#### **Printing**

Marymount offers a wireless and campus wide printing solution that we call PrintSpot. You have the ability to print wirelessly from anywhere and pick up your jobs at any marked PrintSpot machine.

A valid Marymount ID Card is required for campus printing.

Additional information about this service can be found at the Got Tech website at www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/gottech

#### **Marymount Anywhere**

Marymount AnyWARE is a service the university provides to access software that Marymount owns, without having to install it on your computer. No more purchasing software for your class, or figuring out how to install it. You can run it from any internet connected computer – from anywhere in the world.

You can learn more about this service by visiting: https://remote.MarymountCalifornia.edu

#### my.MarymountCalifornia.edu

*my.MarymountCalifornia.edu* is your access to Marymount's LMS (Learning Management System). Students are expected to use my.MarymountCalifornia.edu (https://my.MarymountCalifornia.edu) to access their courses, syllabi, course content, assignments, calendars, student activities, gradebooks, ePortfolio, and more. You'll also be able to e-mail your instructors and advisors from your MyMarymount classlists.

Through MyMarymount, students are also able to link out to the Student Portal (https://estudents.MarymountCalifornia.edu) for registration, schedules, tuition payments, financial aid, finalized grades, course evaluations, etc.). Students can also link out to the Shuttle Bus schedule, and to Marymount's online digital library.

my.MarymountCalifornia.edu can be accessed from any device with an internet connection and a web browser (including laptops, iPads and tablets). Certain features of the LMS can also be accessed via the MyMarymount App, available for free download from the Apple Store (iPhone/iPad/iTouch), or for Droid devices from Google Marketplace.

For help logging-in please see our tutorials at: www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/gottech or you can request help by email: support@MarymountCalifornia

Reminder – to login to my.MarymountCalifornia.edu, you must be a current or admitted Marymount student with a valid username and password.

#### **Technology Assistance**

Marymount IT professionals are available to provide help with connecting to services provided by Marymount (Marymount AnyWARE, Marymount email, etc.).

Support is a higher level of assistance which pertains to but is not limited to, virus removal, computer malfunctions, technical issues with software or services not provided by Marymount. The Marymount IT Department does not support any devices not owned by the university.

Instructional labs provide a state-of-the-art environment with Pentium-based Intel computers. The media labs offer iMacs and MacPro to support the digital arts programs.

Wireless Internet Connectivity is provided across the campus including the Student Center, the Cafe and in every classroom. Students use their network login to gain access to the wireless network.

#### **LAPTOP REQUIREMENT**

#### **Student Laptop Program**

In an effort to prepare our students for a mobile technology workforce and to enhance the student's experience within the campus community, Marymount California University has adopted a laptop requirement. Owning your own laptop will open endless possibilities for connecting to the Internet, your Marymount e-mail account, Marymount's Learning Management System (LMS), instant messaging, not to mention the ability to take on-line courses, take notes in class, participate in in-class note-taking, on-line discussion groups, conduct research, and have access to course registration, class schedules, course syllabi and more.

#### **Laptop Purchasing**

Software:

Microsoft and Abobe software available http://www.uscollegebuy.com/s.htm

#### **Dell Laptop Discounts**

Up to \$650 savings!
Up to \$1000 savings when comparing to a similar MacBook http://dell.com/marymount

#### **Apple Discounts**

Pricelist attached http://www.apple.com/education/pricelists/

#### LAPTOP SPECIFICATIONS

### General Recommendations for students all students (Not BA specific)

Recommended Laptop Configuration [Use as a Guide]

Features	Windows 7	Windows 8	Apple
Operating System	Windows 7 Professional or Home	Windows 8	Mac OS X 10.7 or later
Processor	Core-i3 o	or Higher	Core-i3 or Higher
(computer clock speed)	2 G	Hz+	2 GHz+
Memory (RAM)	4 GB 6 GB		6 GB
Hard Drive (storage space)	Minimum 120 GB		
Removable Storage	USB Flash drive <sup>1</sup>		
Wireless (internal)	IEEE 802.11a/b/g/n, IEEE 802.11a/b/g or IEEE 802.11b/g <sup>2</sup>		
Optical Drive	CD/DVD-RW Combo		
Software	Microsoft Office 2007 or 2010		Office 2011 for Mac
	Microsoft Security Essentials		Sophos
Virus Protection	http://windows.micr windows/security-es		(download free from U-M)
Warranty	3-yr labor & parts (complete care)		
Printer	Laserjet or Inkjet		

- 1 A 16GB flash drive is recommended for backing up your important data.
- 2 Most newer laptop computers are equipped with a built-in IEEE 802.11a/b/g/n, IEEE 802.11a/g/b, or IEEE 802.11b/g wireless network card.

#### **Apple Related Recommendations**

Operating system: 10.6 or later. Processor: Core i3 or higher

RAM: 4 GB or higher Warranty: AppleCare

#### Media Studies recommended hardware and software

Hardware

MacBook Pro, 15 inch

2.7GHz quad core Intel i7 with Retina Display

16 GB 1600 MHz Memory

768 GB Flash Storage

Apple USB Superdrive (for burning DVDs)

USB 3.0 or Thunderbolt External Hard Drive min 1TB

#### Software

Adobe Creative Suite 6 Design Premium – Academic Avid Media Composer 6.5 Microsoft Office Suite 2011 Maya 2014 (for Animation students)

#### <u>Support</u>

AppleCare Protection Plan for MacBook Pro

#### Web Design recommended hardware and software

Hardware

MacBook Pro, 15 inch

2.4 GHz quad core Intel i7 with Retina Display

8 GB 1600 MHz Memory

512 GB Flash Storage

USB 3.0 or Thunderbolt External Hard Drive min 500 GB

#### **Software**

Adobe Creative Suite 6 Design Premium Microsoft Office Suite 2007

#### **Support**

AppleCare Protection Plan for MacBook Pro

#### **Business Studies Recommended Hardware**

Operating System: Windows 7 x64 or Windows 7 x86

Processor: Core iX - Series (i3, i5, i7) Storage: 250Gb HDD or larger

Display: 15 inch or larger

Optical Drive: DVD+RW/CD-RW Drive Wireless: 802.11b/g/n Wifi Receiver

# **Laptop Support Policy**

Marymount supports problematic connections between laptop computers and the Marymount network. Within this framework, the Institutional Technology helpdesk staff support a core set of hardware and software relating to network connectivity for computers meeting **ALL** of our requirements.

Please note: Marymount helpdesk staff support connectivity only. We do not provide support for applications, operating systems, hardware or other issues. Our helpdesk support technicians will make every effort to support connectivity for any English version of Windows 7, Windows Vista/XP Professional and Mac OSX. For further technical assistance, contact your notebook vendor.

- Supported Laptop Computer
  - Any Windows compatible PC such as IBM, Dell, Compaq, Toshiba or Sony Mac laptops.
- Supported Laptop Adapters

Any make or model such as Linksys, D-Link or Cisco or Mac Airport.

- Supported Wireless Adapters
  - Any make or model that supports 802.11b, 802.11g or 802.11n wireless networking standard. Manufacturers include Linksys, D-Link, Cisco, IBM, Intel.
- Supported Operating Systems (English Versions Only)
   Windows XP Professional (strongly recommended), Windows Vista or Mac OSX.
- Unsupported Operating Systems (Including any non-English OS Version) Windows XP Home edition, Windows 95/98/ME, Linux, Windows NT, Windows 3.1, DOS, or any Windows Server Edition.

Marymount Technology staff will NOT provide the following service:

- Data backup and retrieval (we can recommend data retrieval companies).
- Hardware repair and depot (shipping and receiving) service.
- Connectivity with home or work wired and wireless networks.
- Support for third party peripherals (e.g. PDAs, cell phones, digital cameras, MP3 players, etc.). We will give our best effort to assist with connecting to Marymount webmail using cell phones and PDAs.

Students with a laptop meeting the Minimum Configuration will receive Basic Support. Basic Support provides "best-effort" assistance to access basic Marymount resources including webmail, wireless network, web applications and printing to Marymount networked printers. The quality of the wireless access depends on the quality and condition of the wireless card. ITS will not provide hardware assistance, including assistance to repair broken, disabled or faulty computers or computer components.

## **Learning Center**

**The Learning Center** is a campus-wide support service that enhances the educational experience of our students through supportive and individualized learning assistance. The Learning Center serves students of all levels, developmental through honors, including those with disabilities. The goals of the Learning Center are to

improve students' learning efficiency, to enhance accessibility to the curriculum, to increase students' confidence, to foster independent learning, to improve retention, and support the University's Mission.

As part of student tuition, the Learning Center supports all students by providing peer tutoring in a wide variety of disciplines and a limited amount of faculty tutoring in English and math. Students may also access materials to improve study skills and time management, and faculty and peer tutors are available to assist students individually in these areas. The Peer Partner Program is designed to help students stay on track by meeting with a peer mentor on a weekly basis throughout the semester. Students are welcome to use the Learning Center and The Commons for both collaborative and independent study.

Students with disabilities (attention, learning, physical, and sensory) access support services in the Learning Center through the Coordinator of Disability Resources. The Coordinator receives and evaluates documentation, and determines eligibility for services. Students request reasonable accommodations (e.g., extended-time for testing, note takers, and alternate text format) through the Coordinator, who serves as a liaison between students and faculty by request.

The Mariner Academic Strategies & Techniques (MAST) Program is a value-added program designed for highly motivated students who will benefit from an intensive mentoring model of support. MAST students will meet with a learning specialist on a weekly basis to concentrate on cognitive learning skills, guided study, goal setting, assistive technology, and self-advocacy. This fee-based program extends over two sixteen-week semesters.

The Learning Center's Mariner Academic Assistance Program (MAAP) is a fee-based program which provides consistent tutorial support in a particular subject area (math, English, or reading). Students select the level of support they need (two, three, or four appointments per week) with faculty tutors. These standing appointments are exclusively reserved, and student-tutor interaction covers course content, discipline concepts, discipline-specific vocabulary, and study strategies appropriate for mastery of the coursework. Students enroll in MAAP for one semester to address a particular course/area of study.

The Learning Center is staffed by the Director, the Coordinator of Disability Resources, the Coordinator of Learning Enhancement, and MAST Learning Specialists. Adjunct faculty tutors are available in math, reading, and English. The professional staff is augmented by well-qualified and trained peer tutors and mentors.

## Library

The Marymount Library provides resources and services to support the curricular needs of the University community. Professional librarians strive to foster an appreciation for inquiry through the library's Information Literacy instructional program and personalized one-on-one research assistance. Students acquire lifelong skills for academic and personal information seeking by learning to find, evaluate, select and use information efficiently and effectively.

The Library provides an easily accessible print and electronic collection that supports the research needs of the university community and represents the diversity of the human experience. The physical collection includes more than 26,000 books and 120 print periodical subscriptions. Digital access to over 75,000 e-books, 32,000 scholarly journals, newspapers and magazines, along with streaming media, is available through the library's 54 research databases. The online library is available 24/7 from any computer with an Internet connection through the library's website. The Library also offers a free interlibrary loan service to facilitate access to materials not owned by Marymount.

In addition, the Library provides students with a dedicated campus study space that includes computing, printing and copying services.



# **Marymount Courses**

Discipline	Abbreviation
ACCOUNTING	ACCT
AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE	ASL
AMERICAN STUDIES	AS
ANTHROPOLOGY	ANT
ART	ART
ARTS & MEDIA	AM
BUSINESS	
COMMUNICATION ARTS	CAR
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	CD
COMMUNITY SPECIAL PROGRAMS	CSP
COMPUTER SCIENCE	CS
CRIMINAL JUSTICE	СЈ
ECONOMICS	ECO
EDUCATION	EDU
ENGLISH	ENG
ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	ESL
FRENCH	FRE
FORENSIC SCIENCE INVESTIGATIONS	FSI
GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS	
GEOGRAPHY	GEO
GLOBAL STUDIES	GS
HEALTH EDUCATION	HED
HISTORY	HIS
INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES	ID
JAPANESE	JPN
MATHEMATICS	MTH
MEDIATION & CONFLICT RESOLUTION	MCR
MUSIC	MUS
PHILOSOPHY	PHI
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	PED
POLITICAL SCIENCE	POL
PSYCHOLOGY	PSY
RELIGIOUS STUDIES	REL
SCIENCE	SCI
SOCIOLOGY	SOC
SPANISH	SPA
SPEECH	SPE
STUDY ABROAD	SA
THEATRE ARTS	THE

#### Legend:

#### \*\* Directed Study (catalog course unit value)

A directed study is a course that appears in the Marymount catalog but is NOT being offered in the semester or session the student wishes to take it. The student may register and receive credit for such a course by working independently under the supervision of a faculty sponsor and with approval of Academic Affairs. In a directed study the faculty member shares the responsibility with the student, generally planning readings and/or projects and meeting with the student regularly to ensure that minimum contact hours and content requirements are met. Information, applications and hour requirements are available in the Registrar's Office and Academic Advising Services.

#### \*\* Independent Study 295, 395, 495 (1-12)

Individual research under the direction of a faculty member in areas not an integral part of any regular course. Written report is required.

200 level = UC/IND/CSU

#### \*\* Independent Study 595 (1-12)

Individual practice-based research under the direction of a faculty member. A written research report is required. Program Chair approval required.

#### \*\* Internships 291, 391, 491 (1-12)

Prerequisite: Consent of Faculty of Record and completion of Internship Application.

A supervised off-campus practical experience in a community, company or institutional setting. Application of core concepts in an academic field with a Faculty of Record.

200 level = IND/CSU

#### \*\* Internships 591 (1-12)

Intensive post-baccalaureate practice-based research experience in a community or organizational setting. Requires a pre-approved, post-baccalaureate research plan with Program Chair approval.

#### \*\* Practicum 296, 396, 496 (1-6)

Prerequisite: Consent of Faculty of Record and completion of Practicum Application.

Student participates in an on-campus experience with a Marymount faculty member, department or office. Focus of the practicum is related to Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) developed between the student and the Faculty of Record.

200 level = IND/CSU

#### \*\* Practicum 596 (1-6)

Intensive post-baccalaureate practice-based research experience in an oncampus setting. Requires a pre-approved, post-baccalaureate research plan with Program Chair approval.

#### \*\* Selected Topics 290, 390, 490 (1-3)

Topics of special interest selected for intensive study. Topics to be announced. 200 level = UC/IND/CSU

\*\* Selected Topics – ID 590 (1-3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Instructor consent; graduate standing. Topics of special interest selected for intensive study. Topics to be announced in schedule of courses.

#### \*\* Service Learning - ID 192, 292, 392, 492, 592 (1-8)

Service Learning provides the opportunity for students to apply core academic concepts to real world applications through participation in a related service project conjoined with a focused reflection process directed by an instructor of record. The reflection process can be completed in a variety of mediums, but must address pre-determined student learning outcomes. The parameters of each project must be determined before students register through completion of an application. The number of units granted must conform to the university's credit hour policy. The project must be approved by the instructor of record and the corresponding Program Chair and by the Director of Service Learning.

#### \*\* Transferability may vary. Unit limitations may apply.

#### \*\* Study Abroad – SA 100, 200, 300, 400

Courses that appear as SA on a transcript are courses taken while abroad that are not comparable to any other course in the Catalog. Some have been predetermined to satisfy degree requirements. Others may satisfy degree requirements by petition. Others will be elective units. Unit value varies and will be designated on the transcript.

#### **Key for Transferability of Lower Division Courses:**

UC = transfers to University of California System.CSU = transfers to California State University System.

IND = transfers to most private/independent colleges/universities.

IGETC = Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum

Please consult with your advisor and/or the Advising and Career Services office for more specific information on transferability to specific campuses and for general education or elective credit.

# **Accounting (ACCT)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

ACCT 151 – Financial Accounting (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: English 106 Introduction to financial accounting of the corporate entity including recording, analyzing, and summarizing transactions, adjusting entries, closing process, inventory flow assumptions, depreciation, stocks, bonds, installment notes, intangibles, and uncollectible accounts. (Formerly BUS 151) UC/IND/CSU

ACCT 201 – Managerial Accounting (3) Prerequisite: ACCT 151 with a grade of C or higher. Introduction to managerial accounting. Managerial accounting topics and concepts, cost-volume-profit analysis, contribution margin, capital budgeting, flexible budgets and profit planning, standard costs and variance analysis, decision making, responsibility accounting, job order costing and process costing. (Formerly BUS 201) UC/IND/CSU

ACCT 351 - Intermediate Accounting I (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ACCT 201 Professional level accounting. A comprehensive examination of financial accounting and reporting. Topics include conceptual framework, preparation and presentation of financial statements, revenue recognition, cash, receivables, inventory, plant assets, intangible assets and current liabilities.

ACCT 352 – Intermediate Accounting II (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ACCT 351 Professional level accounting. Part two of the intermediate accounting sequence. Topics include bonds, long-term liabilities, construction contracts, leases, pensions, deferred income taxes, stockholders' equity, earnings per share, investments, and statement of cash flows.

ACCT 353 - Federal Income Taxation I (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ACCT 201 Introduction to federal income taxation as applied to individuals and sole proprietorships. Topics include but are not limited to: filing status, gross income, deductions, exemptions, depreciation, employee expenses, non-taxable exchanges, property transactions.

**ACCT 354 - Federal Income Taxation II (3)** ★★★★ Prerequisite: ACCT 353 Federal income taxation as applied to partnerships, corporations, estates and trusts. Topics include corporate tax returns, gift and estate taxes, trusts, and S-corporations.

**ACCT 453 – Auditing (3)** ★★★★★ Prerequisite: ACCT 352 and ACCT 354 This course examines financial statement auditing theory and practice. Topics include

auditing standards, audit evidence, internal control, auditors' reports, professional ethics, sampling, accountants' liability, and audit programs.

ACCT 454 - CPA Exam Preparation and Review (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: All upper division ACCT courses or approval of Program Chair. This course is intended to prepare students to take the CPA (Certified Public Accountant) exam. The content of all four parts of the exam (FAR, REG, AUD and BEC) is covered along with test taking strategies and actual test questions from previous exams.

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** ACCT 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).
** ACCT 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).
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# **American Sign Language (ASL)**

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher

★★★
 Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★
 Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★★

ASL 100 – Elementary Sign Language I (3) ★ Basic course to develop receptive, expressive and conversational skills in finger-spelling and ASL symbols for use in functional settings. Course includes basic information about the deaf community and culture. UC/IND/CSU

**ASL 101 – Elementary Sign Language II** (3) Prerequisite: ASL 100 with a grade of C or better, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Continues the development of ASL vocabulary and more complex linguistic features. Emphasis is on receptive skills and secondarily expressive and conversational skills. Student will continue to learn about the deaf community as well as learn about the physiology of hearing. UC/IND/CSU; IGETC area 6

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** ASL 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).

** ASL 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).
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# **American Studies (AS)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

AS 200 – Introduction to American Studies (3)  $\star\star\star\star\star$  This course provides students with an introduction to interdisciplinary considerations of the depth,

pluralism, and complexity of American culture. Through the study of literature, historical writing, music, art, film, architecture, and political economy in the United States, American Studies 200 will reflect on various themes in American culture. IND/CSU area C2.

AS 333 – Food in America (3) ★★★★ This course will examine various ethnic influences and history on food in America as well as food and gender; the politics of food; food preferences and beliefs by culture, geographical region, and religion; effects of globalization on food choices; environmental threats to foods and food production; and nutrition and the American diet. Research, discussion and student participation will be emphasized.

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** AS 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).

** AS 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).
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# **Anthropology (ANT)**

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
*****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

ANT 110 – Biological Anthropology and Archaeology (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: English 106. Introduction to methods and theories of physical anthropology and archaeology; human origins, adaptations and evolution, and contemporary variations within and between human populations; a survey of the development of prehistoric cultures in major regions around the world. UC/IND/CSU area B2, D1; IGETC area 5

**ANT 120 – Cultural Anthropology** (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: English 106. The concept of culture and the evolution of cultural systems. The relevance of the concept of culture to modern life with a framework for understanding the theories, methods and applications of anthropology as a discipline. UC/IND/CSU area D1; IGETC area 4

ANT 140 – Intercultural Communication (3) ★★★ A course which examines the role of communication in a multicultural context. Through lectures and problem solving exercises, students explore ways in which cultural differences impact the communication event. It will enhance intercultural awareness and communication competency to facilitate the student's ability to function more effectively in a pluralistic society. (Same as Communication Arts 140) UC/IND/CSU

ANT 200 - Applied Anthropology (3) ★★★★ Recommended preparation: Ant, Soc, Econ or His. Introduction to application, including international development, law, health and medicine, cultural resource management, environment, industry, business, NGOs, advocacy and public policy. Prepares students to become effective, skilled professionals. IND/CSU

ANT 235 – Introduction to Statistics for the Study of Behavior (4) ★★★
Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90. Application of descriptive and inferential statistical techniques for summarizing research data in the behavioral sciences including levels of measurement, frequency distributions, central tendency, variability, normal distributions, Central Limit Theorem and applications of a variety of statistical tests. (Same as Psychology 235 and Sociology 235). Comparable to BUS 220 and MTH 270. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

ANT 240 – Research Methods for the Study of Behavior (3) ★★★P rerequisite: C or higher in ANT 235 or MTH 270. An introduction to scientific inquiry and research in the social sciences, including experimental and non-experimental designs. Includes data collection strategies, hypothesis testing, analyzing tests of measurement and use of computer aids. (Same as Sociology 240 and Psychology 240) UC/IND/CSU

For students planning to major in the behavioral/social sciences, Statistics is the first component of a recommended two-course sequence and should be followed by ANT 240/PSY 240/SOC 240

ANT 310 – Roots, Folk and World Music (3) \*\*\*\*\* Prerequisite: One behavioral/social science course. A cross-cultural survey of indigenous, traditional, and "world" music genres. The course emphasizes the varying socio-cultural contexts of music—who performs, for whom, at what times and places, with what message or purpose. The course will also discuss essential features of music, such as rhythm, melody, harmony, and instrumentation. Same as MUS 310

ANT 320 – Human Migration (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: At least one prior course in behavioral/social science, and in history. An overview of past, present, and projected future patterns of human migration from local to national and global levels, and their social, cultural, economic, political, and environmental impacts. (Same as GEO/SOC 320)

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** ANT 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> ANT 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).

#### Arts & Media

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
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AM 100 – Fundamentals of Arts & Media (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. This art appreciation course improves the human ability to understand the language and cultural functions of art and media. It presents methods for analyzing, criticizing and evaluating various art forms and their content. The vocabulary of art and media criticism is emphasized. (Formerly Art 104) UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area3

AM 101 – Western Civilization Art to the Renaissance (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. This history course surveys the painting, sculpture and architecture of Western civilization from prehistoric times to the Renaissance. Analysis, evaluation and the interpretation of major themes in the development of the visual arts in Western Culture are explored. (Formerly Art 105) UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area 3

AM 102 – History of Broadcast Media (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. This course examines the history of Radio and Television in the 20th Century. The course explores the development of broadcast media technologies as well as the evolution of the content of these medium including the news, entertainment genres, sports and advertising. (Replaced CAR 100) UC/IND/CSU area C1

AM 104 – Introductory HTML & PHP (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. Students learn the basics of reading and writing HTML. Basic hand coding skills are acquired using Adobe Dreamweaver. Students will also learn introductory PHP scripting skills. Website administration methods and server technologies are also explored. IND/CSU.

AM 105 - Introduction to Arts & Media Methodology (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. This class explores theories of Arts and Media. Topics will include film, animation, interactive media, and graphic design. Students research and analyze these art forms through diverse verbal and written projects. UC/IND/CSU

AM 111 – Drawing 1 (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture; 4 laboratory. An introductory drawing class for Arts & Media and Non Art Majors emphasizing the principles of visual forms using a variety of traditional and nontraditional drawing tools and media. Emphasis is placed on visual literacy and vocabulary of the elements and principles of design. (Formerly Art 110) UC/IND/CSU area C1

AM 112 – Introduction to Journalism (3)  $\star\star\star\star\star$  This course introduces the student to the art of journalism. Students explore the different writing styles of radio,

television and newspaper reporting. Students examine the social and political forces that shape the news and that have defined journalism during the 20th century. Students will also examine the legal and ethical issues related to the profession. Internet journalism and blogging are also discussed. (Same as CAR/ENG 118) CSU/IND/UC

- AM 120 Digital Foundations (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory
  A digital design class, which explores elements and principles of Art and Design using media disciplines: video, animation, graphic design, website design. \$150 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU
- AM 122 Video Production Methods 1 (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. ENG (Electronic News Gathering) style digital video production methods using portable cameras, basic field lighting techniques and audio recording. Students learn the pre-production and post-production process of creating videos including the development of production outlines, scripts and editing to create an original short video. Emphasis is placed on technical proficiency with basic portable video equipment. \$150.00 lab fee required. (Same as ART/CAR 175) IND/CSU
- AM 131 Painting (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. An introductory course in painting for Arts & Media and Non Art Majors using a variety of painting techniques emphasizing color theory and image composition using opaque media. Approaches to painting different subject matter are explored. \$50.00 lab fee required. (Formerly ART 130) UC/IND/CSU area C1
- AM 132 Film Production Methods 1 (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. This course introduces the student to film making production methods using high-definition digital video cameras, basic field lighting and audio recording techniques. Students will learn the standard pre-production, production and post-production process of creating short films including the development of film scripts and storyboards to create individual short films. Emphasis is placed on creative expression in visual storytelling. \$150.00 lab fee required. (Same as ART/CAR 173) UC/IND/CSU
- AM 141 Digital Page Layout (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Print design course in the preparation of digital mechanicals for common layout designs. Students learn to prepare digital mechanicals for designs with Adobe Creative Suite. Traditional commercial printing and digital printing industry standards and vocabulary are emphasized. \$150.00 lab fee required. (Formerly Art 120) UC/IND/CSU area C1
- AM 151 Digital Photography I (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory Beginning photography course introduces students to creative use of DSLR & HDSLR cameras. Basic photographic vocabulary, history and styles are covered. Course emphasizes creative photography using manual camera settings, exposure, various lenses and accessories. Effective use of lighting is covered for studio, interior, exterior and natural settings. Students explore photographic genre and styles

including: portrait, landscape, still life, commercial and fine art photography. Use of various photographic methods, use of digital printers and printing papers will be incorporated. \$150 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU

- AM 201 Western Civilization Art Since the Renaissance (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. This history course surveys the painting, sculpture and architecture of Western civilization from the Renaissance through the 19th Century. The course explores the religious, philosophical, social and political ideas that have influenced artists and art movements throughout this period. (Formerly Art 106) UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area 3
- AM 202 History of Film (2-3)  $\star\star\star$  This course surveys the evolution of filmmaking in the 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> centuries. The course exposes students to a wide range of film genres and explores how the cultural, political and ideological values have influenced filmmakers and the art of filmmaking. Critical analysis of film scriptwriting, cinematography, direction, acting and style are emphasized. (Same as CAR/ID 148) UC/IND/CSU area C1
- AM 203 Digital 3d Modeling (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Students will gain a basic proficiency in Autodesk Maya 3D. Emphasis will be placed on principles of 3d design techniques for illustration and animation. The Autodesk Maya relationship to peripheral software such as Adobe Photoshop and After Effects will also be explored. \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU
- AM 204 Website Design 1 (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 120 or 121; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Introduces students to Adobe Dreamweaver to create basic Web page layouts. Students learn the basics of HTML, CSS and Adobe Photoshop to prepare photography and create graphics for Websites. Emphasis is placed on technical proficiency, content development and design style. Basic Internet vocabulary and industry standards are covered. \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU
- AM 211 Asian Art & Architecture (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. This history course surveys the painting, sculpture and architecture of Non-Western cultures including China, Japan, India and Southeast Asia. The course explores how the ideals, values and religious beliefs of Non-Western cultures have influenced the art and artists of Asia. (Formerly Art 107) UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area 3
- AM 212 Television & Film Production Business Practices (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. Students learn to develop production treatments and budgets for commercials, music videos, animations, series pilots, documentaries, and independent and feature films. Students will explore the different roles and responsibilities of executives and professionals in the television and film industries and develop promotional materials and distribution plans. IND/CSU
- AM 213 Digital Video Motion Graphics (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 120 or 121; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory; Students learn to create motion graphics using

Adobe After Effects and its peripheral support applications, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator and Apple Sound Edit Pro. Students will learn how to integrate 2d and 3d graphics, video, text and sound to create engaging animations. Emphasis placed on the original design solutions and technical proficiency. \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU

AM 214 – Website Design 2 (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 204; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Studio course covers intermediate through advanced design and production methods for developing and publishing CSS Websites with Adobe Dreamweaver software. Students generate custom CSS code for Website and incorporate dynamic media into Web pages. Students learn how to generate dynamic content for Web pages with XML and acquire basic PHP scripting skills. Website promotion and SEO will also be explored. \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU

AM 221 – History of Graphic Design (3) ★★★ Class hours: 3 lecture. This history of typography, graphic design and illustration. Students will acquire foundational knowledge of the history of design beginning with the early forms of writing and graphic designs such as cuneiform and illuminated manuscripts. Examines how these early forms of design evolved over time into the various disciplines that have become the foundations for visual communications in contemporary times. UC/IND/CSU area C1: IGETC area 3A

AM 222 – Video Production Methods 2 (3) ★ Prerequisite AM 122 or CAR 175; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Advanced video production methods including studio cameras, studio lighting techniques and studio audio recording. Students learn professional studio procedures for the pre-production, production and post-production process to create a full-length video or studio television pilot by working in teams that share roles and responsibilities. Emphasis on teamwork and developing technical proficiency with studio video production equipment. \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU

AM 231 – Three Dimensional Design (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. A studio course in the elements and principles of visual order as they relate to three-dimensional forms for Arts & Media and Non-Art students using a variety of media and construction techniques. Explores the relationship between form and meaning in the visual arts. (Formerly ART 125) UC/IND/CSU area C1

AM 232 – Film Production Methods 2 (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 132 or CAR 173; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. This course provides the student the opportunity to create a more ambitious short film from concept to creation by working in teams. Student teams choose a subject of mutual interest and develop a production treatment and script for the film. Students share different production responsibilities and learn how to direct and coordinate a film crew, talent and equipment. Students then edit their film into a finished short feature for critique. \$150.00 lab fee required. (Formerly ART/CAR 174) IND/CSU

- AM 241 Digital Photography & Imaging (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Intermediate course explores how to use Adobe Photoshop for the retouching, manipulation and composition of digital photographs. Students prepare photography for print, web and video applications. Students explore photographic image editing and manipulation methods including selection and masking techniques. Emphasis on technical proficiency and creative expression. Resolution standards and digital color models are also covered. \$150.00 lab fee required. (Formerly ART 117) UC/IND/CSU
- AM 242 Digital Audio Production & Editing (3) ★★★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. This studio course provides an overview of various methods of audio recording for video, film and multimedia projects. Students learn the basics of digital recording and monitoring methods using field and studio audio equipment. Students learn how to record voice over talent, announcers and performers in the field and sound booth settings. Students also learn how to record sound effects and create basic music theme soundtracks with Apple Garage Band software. \$150.00 lab fee required. (Formerly ART 176, same as CAR 176) IND/CSU
- AM 251 Digital Publication Design (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 141 or ART 120; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Print design to prepare digital mechanicals for editorial and publication designs intended for commercial printing applications. Students prepare special printing effects with Adobe Creative Suite software including die cutting, embossing and spot varnishing for different types of designs. Traditional commercial printing and digital printing industry standards and vocabulary are emphasized. \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU
- AM 252 Digital Video Editing 1 (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Students acquire basic digital video production skills. Students and will learn how to log and capture, and edit digital video. Students learn the basics of Avid Media Composer, to create narratives and commercial video content. Students learn how to compose titles and motion graphics and develop multiple audio tracks. \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU
- AM 261 Digital Typography (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. This intermediate studio course provides the student with in-depth knowledge of the history, design and application of Typography in communication arts. Students will learn how to effectively use Type for a variety of graphic design applications with Adobe Creative Suite Software. Vocabulary of Typography is emphasized. \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU
- AM 271 Digital Illustration (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 111 or ART 110; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. This intermediate course explores Adobe Illustrator software for creating illustration and graphic designs. Students create spot illustration, technical illustration, logos and info-graphics. Technical standards for the print industry are examined. Emphasis is placed on the principles of two-dimensional design and illustration style. (Formerly Art 121) \$150.00 lab fee required. IND/CSU

- AM 301 Contemporary Art (3)  $\star\star\star$  Class hours: 3 lecture. This history course surveys the painting, sculpture and architecture of contemporary art from the 20th and 21st Centuries. Analysis, evaluation and the interpretation of major themes in the development of the visual arts in Western Culture are explored. The course explores the philosophical, social and political ideas that have influenced contemporary artists and art. (Formerly Art 109).
- AM 302 Scriptwriting (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: AM 122 or AM 132 or AM 303 Class hours: 3 lecture. This course introduces the student to the craft of scriptwriting as a tool for communication and the expression of creative ideas in film and broadcast media. Students acquire the basic knowledge of the vocabulary, methods and styles of scriptwriting for different genres of media. (Formerly CAR/ENG 119).
- AM 303 Digital 3d Animation 1 (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 203. Introduction to 3d computer generated animation for fields in cinema, games, graphic design, and interactive media. This course explores the 12 principles of animation, camera set-up and operation, lighting, animating using key-frame, set driven keys, graph editor, nonlinear, and path techniques. Students learn the basics of modeling, UV texture mapping, animation, staging, and editing using Autodesk Maya 3D, Adobe Photoshop and Adobe After Effects. \$150.00 lab fee required.
- AM 304 History of Multimedia (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: AM 102 or AM 112 or AM 202 or AM 221; Class hours: 3 lecture. Explores how traditional forms of media including radio; film, photography and television evolved and have begun to converge into new digital forms of media in contemporary times. Students learn the history of the personal computer and the World Wide Web to understand the evolution of digital technologies as a catalyst for new and emerging media.
- AM 311 Digital Advertising Design (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 261; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Advanced digital design studio course provides the student experience in creating creative advertising designs for a variety of printed applications. Students will learn how to effectively combine typography, illustrations and photography to create compelling advertisements with Adobe Creative Suite software. \$150.00 lab fee required.
- AM 312 Digital Video Editing 2 (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 252; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. This course provides the student with advanced digital video production techniques. Students will learn to use Avid Media Composer to create sophisticated animations, promotional and documentary video content. Emphasis will be placed on developing individual editing style and creative expression. \$150.00 lab fee required.
- AM 314 Interactive Motion Graphics (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 120 or 121; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Advanced digital studio course provides students with the ability to create interactive motion graphics for Websites and Multimedia projects using Adobe Flash. Students learn how to make sophisticated vector graphic

animations with basic action scripting and a variety of interactive graphic elements. Emphasis is placed on technical proficiency. \$150.00 lab fee required.

AM 321 – Digital Package Design (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 251; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Advanced studio course in prototype package designs for original brands and consumer goods. Students will design a brand and it's related packaging for three types of products: hard goods, soft goods and luxury goods. Students will research competitive brands and packaging solutions for a target market. Students will explore various materials and methods for creating their original package designs. \$150.00 lab fee required.

AM 324 – Interactive Website Design (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 214; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Advanced digital studio course provides the student with technical and creative skills in the creation of interactive Websites using Adobe Flash & Adobe Dreamweaver. Students will learn how to plan, and develop an interactive graphic Website using original graphic designs and custom action scripting. Emphasis is placed on technical proficiency. \$150.00 lab fee required.

AM 334 – Website Technologies (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 214; Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Advanced course covers various technologies for Website development. Students learn how to add sophisticated functionality to Websites with various coding and server technologies including PHP, Javascript, MySQL, Content Management Systems (CMS). Server administration and management is also covered. Emphasis is placed on technical proficiency. \$150.00 lab fee required.

**AM 350 – Junior Research and Conceptual Development** (3) \*\*\*\* Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory Students create a series or body of work. Students learn research methods and conceptual development skills unique to media studies. \$150 lab fee required.

AM 400 Directing for Film, TV and Theater (3) ★★★ Prerequisites: AM 122 or AM 132 or AM 303 or THE 174 Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Advanced course building directing skills for performance, script, character development, and camera direction. Emphasis is placed on lecture/studio lab course work and project presentations. Assignments give the student director skills and techniques to employ in directing actors, auditioning, and acting for the camera, directing camera and production crew in-studio and on location. Basic vocabulary, techniques, procedures, and techniques for directing are covered. \$150 lab fee required.

AM 403 – Digital 3d Animation 2 (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 303 Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Advanced techniques in digital 3d modeling and animation as it applies to cinema, games and interactive media. Students learn Autodesk Maya 3D and peripheral applications to design and create sophisticated environments, particle systems and animated characters for animation. Students will be versed in composite techniques with Adobe After Effects. \$150.00 lab fee required.

AM 497 – Arts & Media Senior Seminar (3) \*\*\*\*\* Prerequisite: Senior class standing, and approval of AM Program Chair. This Senior Seminar provides students with an overview of the business practices and standards of industries related to Digital Arts & Media, including television, film, photography, graphic design, animation and the Internet. The course also provides students with fundamental knowledge in self-promotion, including resume and cover letter writing, portfolio development and interviewing skills. Students will learn various methods for promoting themselves to potential employers including electronic resumes, online career tools, promotional reels, and portfolio development.

#### AM 498 – Arts & Media Senior Project & Exhibition (3) ★★★★★

Prerequisite: Successful completion of AM 497, Senior class standing, and approval of AM Program Chair. This capstone studio course provides students with the unique opportunity to develop their own coursework in the form of a senior project that reflects the culmination of their education experience as an art, design or media production project. From concept to creation, students' work with faculty in their respective area of focus to produce an original professional art, design or media project for public exhibition.

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** AM 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> AM 291, 391, 491, 591 - Internship (12).

<sup>\*\*</sup> AM 295, 395, 495, 595 - Independent Study (1-12).

<sup>\*\*</sup> AM 296, 396, 496, 596 - Practicum (1-6).

#### Art

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**Art 108 – World History of Architecture** (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: Completion of English 106. Survey of architecture from birth of civilization to the present. It is an examination of the cultural, economic, and political influences on the development of architecture. Course will familiarize students with architectural periods, styles, and characteristic design elements. UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area 3

**Art 111 – Drawing Techniques II** (3) Prerequisite: Art 110. Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Continuation of drawing emphasizing creative and experimental approaches to non-traditional media and subject matter. UC/IND/CSU

**Art 131 – Beginning Painting II** (3) Prerequisite: Art 130. Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Continuation of painting, emphasizing creative and experimental approaches to subject matter and technique with additional opportunities for personal expression. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU

**Art 171 – Fundamentals of Photography II** (3) Prerequisite: Art 170 or CAR 170. Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Continuation of photography emphasizing creative and experimental approaches to subject matter and technique, with additional opportunities for personal expression. Issues of traditional black–and—white and color photography and electronic imaging will be explored aesthetically and technically. Students produce and discuss their creative portfolios, demonstrating understanding of importance of content, subject and individual style. Students use various 35mm, medium format120 mm, 4 x 5 large format, and digital cameras, lighting, filters, experimental materials, and digital tools and materials. Lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU

**Art 185 – Backstage with the Arts** (2-3) ★★★ Theoretical and practical aspects of visual and performing arts through a combination of lecture, discussion, and media presentations, and the direct experience of exhibits and performances. (Same as ID/MUS/THE 185) IND/CSU

Art 221 – Life Drawing I (3) Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. ★ Introduction to drawing the human form from a live model, with emphasis on proportion, structure, anatomy and its expressive design. Includes exploration of various methods approaches, using a variety of traditional and non-traditional drawing media. \$75.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area C1

Art 223 – Life Drawing II (3) Prerequisite: Art 221. Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Course focuses on using the human figure as an element in composition, reinforces the skills and concepts used in Life Drawing I. Students develop further visual, verbal and technical skills necessary to representation of the figure. Work with live models, developing ability to draw figure perceptually and expressively. Designed to develop the student's portfolio. \$75.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU

**Art 224 – Life Drawing III** (3) Prerequisite: Art 223. Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Students focus their particular interest in the human figure in longer term exercises and development of a personal figurative direction. Experimentation with creative and critical issues developing an awareness of some of the conceptual issues associated with the figure. Portfolio development. \$75.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU

**Art 230 – Intermediate Painting I** (3) Prerequisite: Art 131. Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Exploration of painting beyond the basics, with emphasis on personal vision and painting as a problem–solving process. Research, discussions and critiques encourage personal creative growth. Portfolio development. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU

**Art 231 – Intermediate Painting II** (3) Prerequisite: Art 230. Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Continuation of painting focusing on personal approaches to contemporary fine arts issues. Concentrates on inventive use of ideas, concepts and materials. Portfolio development. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU

### **Business (BUS)**

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**BUS 110 – Introduction to Business** (3) ★★★ The course examines the functions, objectives, organization and structure of business in a market economy and in a global context, including relationships among business, government, and the consumer. Course modules include business organization and management; pricing and distribution; human resources; accounting; financial management and investment; and the nature, causes and implications of international trade and multinational business organizations. UC/IND/CSU

**BUS 130 – Personal Finance** (3) ★★★ Financial planning covering family budgeting, investments, housing, insurance, taxation, estate planning, credit and its use, job selection, planning for retirement, and installment buying. CSU

**BUS 215 – Retail Merchandising** (3) ★ Store management and merchandising, organization, personnel, sales promotion, display, buying, pricing, handling of merchandise, inventory turnover, and control methods. CSU

BUS 220 – Statistics for Business and Economics (4) Prerequisite: Completion of MTH 60 or 90 or equivalent placement. An introductory course in statistical methods for business and economics majors. Topics include sampling, measures of central tendency and variability, probability distribution, normal and binomial distributions, confidence intervals, hypothesis testing, linear regression and correlation. Applications of statistical tests, including the sign test, z-test, t-test, chi-squared, and non-parametric tests. Particular emphasis placed on applications for the business environment (accounting, finance, marketing, operations, management, etc.) and economic analysis. Students will master problem solving using both manual computations and statistical software. Comparable to ANT/PSY/SOC 235 and MTH 270. UC/IND/CSU area B4, IGETC area 2

BUS 240 - Business Ethics: Theories, Values and Case Studies (3) ★★★★
This course critically analyses the essential role of ethics in the American-Global
business community. Topics for analysis include: the current ethical conditions in the
business community; defining business; defining ethics; the necessary connection
between business and ethics; the purpose/s of work; fair profits and wages; capitalism
and its critics; global business practices; power and justice; corporate and employee
responsibilities; business, sustainability, and the environment; ethics and global
business relations. (Same as PHI 240, replacing PHI 140) UC/IND/CSU

**BUS 260 – Business Law** (3) ★★★ Law and its relationship to business. Concepts and cases involving the legal system, disputes, resolution, torts, contracts and other areas of commercial law. UC/IND/CSU

BUS 270 – Small Business Management (3) ★★★ The factors involved in organizing, planning and running a small business. Problems of small firm growth and survival: sources of capital, legal problems, personnel, insurance, risks, financial problems, business taxes, product development, inventory control, purchasing, pricing, marketing and merchandising. IND/CSU

BUS 300 - Principles of Management (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ACCT (BUS) 151, BUS 110, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135 and ECO 220 or 221/221H. A survey course that explores the art and science of organizational management, the class will examine classic theories, modern theories and applications. Students will learn to assess management activities as they apply to ethics, multiculturalism, social responsibility, and group dynamics. The class will introduce the concepts of scalable management principles as applied to small companies or multi-national corporations and will include techniques to evaluate the organization's environment and plan appropriate structures, processes and controls.

BUS 301 – Management for Sustainability (3) \*\*\*\* Prerequisites: BUS 300. The course examines what we mean by sustainability, how businesses as agents of change can integrate sustainability into strategic planning, and how they can recognize opportunity and build success by doing so. Topics include organizational culture and incentives, systems thinking, sustainable strategies and policy, innovation, efficiency, stakeholder engagement, partnerships, cradle to cradle design, product development, product life cycle assessment, environmental accounting, product declarations, management metrics, sustainability targets, training, and promotion. The class works collaboratively on a case study that benefits a local project or organization.

BUS 315 – Entrepreneurship I (3) ★★★★ Prerequisites: ACCT (BUS) 151 and 201, BUS 110, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135 and ECO 220 or 221/221H, and knowledge of computer technology and Microsoft Office applications. Recommended pre- or corequisite: BUS 300. The course will set the framework for the principles and practices necessary for the formation and development of a new enterprise. In addition, students will learn what investors look for when assessing a business opportunity.

**BUS 316 – Entrepreneurship II** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: BUS 315. A project-based course that will emphasize the hands-on business practices which are the major components of a full-cycle development of an idea into a successful enterprise. Students will refine their entrepreneurial skills and develop a business plan.

**BUS 325 - Organizational Behavior** (3) ★★★★ A study of performance, behavior and group formation as it impacts organizational effectiveness. Students examine the social, psychological and theoretical factors that influence the management of groups and individuals in work settings. Topics include leadership, communication, power, organizational culture and politics. (Same as PSY 325)

#### **BUS 330 – Business Communication and Leadership** (3) ★★★★★

Prerequisites: CAR/SPE 105 and BUS 300 or consent of instructor. Explores the role of communication in achieving organizational goals. Examines theories and practices of communication in public and private businesses. Emphasizes techniques to enhance understanding of organizations as cultures. Additionally, provides opportunity to practice communicating within the organizational structure through interviews, resumes, memo's letters and presentations. (Same as CAR 330)

BUS 331 – Art of Negotiation: Theories and Communication Strategies (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: CAR/SPE 105. The course explores historic business/labor conflicts and the role of communication in the success or failure of those negotiations. Further, the application of conflict resolution theories and methods are emphasized with specific focus upon the role of initiator, responder and mediator. (Same as CAR 331)

#### **BUS 332 – Multicultural Communication** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite:

Completion of Liberal Education Core Speech requirement. The course examines the relationship between culture and communication with emphasis given to cultural norms and values, variances in contexts, psychological influences, linguistic and nonverbal variables. Additionally, methods for identifying potential cultural miscommunication and processes for resolving them through communication are also explored. (Same as CAR 332)

BUS 350 – Principles of Marketing (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ACCT (BUS) 151 and BUS 110 and BUS 240 or 260 and ECO/GS/HIS 135 and ECO 220. A foundation course in marketing theory and applications. Topics covered will include consumer research, product development, positioning, branding, market segmentation, pricing, communication, promotion, and distribution, with emphasis on the firm's own planning and strategic context.

BUS 360 – Information Systems for Management (3) \*\*\*\* Prerequisite: ACCT (BUS) 151, BUS 110, BUS 240 or 260, ECO/GS/HIS 135 and ECO 220 or 221/221H. Recommended corequisite: BUS 300. Recommended: knowledge of computer technology and Microsoft Office applications. An intensive and in-depth study of the rapidly evolving field of Business Information Systems. Students will analyze the role of technological, economic and market forces that have changed the US from a manufacturing industrial country to an information and service provider country. Emphasis is on identifying opportunities and understanding the challenges for startup businesses and the important role that user-friendly Business Information Systems play in the success of these startup companies.

BUS 380 – Corporate Finance (4) ★★★★ Prerequisites: ACCT (BUS) 201, and BUS 110, and BUS 240 or 260, and ECO 220 or 221, and ECO/GS/HIS 135, and BUS 220 or MTH 270. Familiarity with Excel is recommended. This course introduces concepts and techniques of financial analysis with emphasis on corporate finance, although the financial principles explored in the course are useful for small business and personal financial decisions. Topics include financial statement analysis, corporate valuation, the time value of money and net present value, capital structure, and project analysis. These techniques can be applied to financial management in both the profit and non-profit sectors.

**BUS 401- Operations Management** (3) \*\*\*\*\* Prerequisites: BUS 300. This course examines the detailed functions, planning, processes & practices used to effectively oversee / manage the 'value-adding' activities within a business. This includes a solid overview of the history and evolution of said processes & practices, including an introduction to the Theory of Constraints which is a proven systems-based tool for more effectively managing 'value-adding' activities. From here, the students will be exposed to other systems-based processes and practices for other aspects of organizational management. These include: models and practices developed by: Senge, Jaques, Wheatley, Deming, Oshry, Kilmann, and others. It is the overall goal of this class to provide the student with a solid understanding of the

traditionally accepted approached to Operations Management and then introduce them to a more holistic and sustainable set of tools and practices.

**BUS 402 - Integrative Quality Management** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: BUS 300. This course examines the history and evolution of the Total Quality Management movement. It will provide the student with an awareness of the past and present changes within the field of quality (control and management) and provide them with a solid familiarization of the philosophy, tools and practices within the TQM arena.

BUS 403 - Theory of Constraints (3) \*\*\*\*\* Prerequisite: BUS 401
This course will introduce the students to the proven systems-based tools for
Operations (DBR) and Projects (CC), the logic-based processes for developing
insights into problems and setting the strategic plans for an organization (Thinking
Process) and prepare them for taking the certification exams in these fields. In
addition, they will develop hands-on skills in the use of these tools through the
completion of a class project (individually or in a small group). This class will also
expose the student to other systems-based processes and practices that are in use in
other aspects of organizational management. These include: models and practices
developed by: Senge, Jaques, Wheatley, and others. It is the goal of this class to
provide the students with a solid understanding of the tools within the systems-based
business paradigm so they can become a principle figure, someone who leads/assists
the organizational transition to the new systems-based paradigm.

BUS 415 – Entrepreneurship for Social Change (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: BUS 315 or ECO 300 or ECO 400. Social entrepreneurship is an emerging field which asserts that the problems of the world cannot be solved by governments or economic markets. To make real changes, entrepreneurs must act as stewards of their communities and undertake ventures which add social value. This interdisciplinary course is targeted to those students who believe they may seriously consider a social entrepreneurial opportunity early in their careers, although the skills developed will benefit any career direction. This course will include a field project with significant social service value-added.

BUS 425 - Introduction to Requisite Organizations (3) \*\*\*\*\* Prerequisites: BUS 300. This course is designed to introduce basic Requisite Organization concepts and principles, and provides a foundation for understanding how Requisite Organization will affect their careers, their values, and the future of society. Requisite Organization, developed by the late Dr. Elliott Jaques, is a theory of management and work that describes the necessary conditions to develop a trust-inducing managerial system that can be sustained through time. The system provides for business effectiveness, the opportunity for all employees to use their full capability as employees, and creates conditions that allow all employees to work together in an honest and straight-forward manner.

BUS 452 - Marketing Analytics and Forecasting (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: BUS 300 and BUS 350 and BUS 220 or MTH 270. Applications of quantitative techniques, qualitative analyses, and software modeling for the optimization of marketing decision-making and market predictions. Students will learn empirical applications of market data analysis, pricing optimization, market forecasting, channel optimization, segmentation, perceptual mapping, return on promotion, OLAP, and market response models.

**BUS 454 - New Product Development** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: BUS 350. This course will use readings, case analysis and projects to examine the processes, tools, and best practices used in developing new products and services. Topics include concept identification, market feasibility, technical feasibility, financial feasibility, new product adoption, and life-cycle management.

BUS 456 - Integrated Marketing Communications (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: BUS 350. An overview of the components and tactics involved in creating an integrated marketing communications strategy. This course is designed for students who will become decision makers in profit or non-profit organizations which engage in advertising, public relations, promotions, Internet marketing, point-of-purchase materials, media and client communications. Special attention will be placed on effectiveness and measurable results, and the role communication plays in the marketing environment.

**BUS 460 - Project Management** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ACCT (BUS) 151 and BUS 110 and ECO/GS/HIS 135 and BUS 240 or 260 and ECO 220or 221/221H, and BUS 220 or MTH 270. Introductory project management. Topics include organizing and managing project teams, planning, scheduling and cost management. Emphasis on developing and organizing team projects from conception to conclusion.

BUS 461 – Management and Organizational Leadership (3) \*\*\*\*\*\*
Prerequisite: BUS 300. A comprehensive study of the concepts, strategies, and skills inherent in the process of personal/professional transformation that is often the foundation of organizational leadership. Students will examine the various factors and classical and contemporary theories and styles of leadership, with their applications in a variety of professional global and local settings. Topics include models of leadership styles and techniques, organizational change agents, motivating personnel, decision-making and problem solving, ethics, interpersonal relationships, conflict resolution, and power.

**BUS 462– Managerial Problem-solving** (3) \*\*\*\*\* Prerequisite: BUS 300 This class is designed to provide the student with an in-depth overview of the two primary approaches used by managers to solve problems. The course will introduce the most common quantitative (financial and statistical) and qualitative tools and processes used to frame and resolve managerial problems. Students will also develop an understanding of which approach works best with which type of problem.

BUS 497 & 498 – Business Capstone (3 each) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Senior class standing, and approval of Business Program Chair. Senior year capstone experience guided by a faculty mentor and leading to the completion of a project, a portfolio and a presentation. Includes research, analysis, and reflection on a topic chosen in partnership with the faculty advisor and Program Chair and completed under the guidance of a faculty mentor. Examples of projects include individual research, the formulation of a business plan for a start-up, the development of a strategic or operational plan for an existing business or non-profit, or a social entrepreneurship initiative. BUS 497: Selection, approval, and planning of an individual business capstone project. BUS 498: Completion and presentation of an individual business capstone project. BUS 497 is a prerequisite for BUS 498.

**BUS 560 – Organizational Systems – Theory & Practice (3)** Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. The course provides our students with a solid foundation and understanding of the broad field of Organizational Systems. This includes not only recognizing the inter-dependence within and across the organization's departments, functions, and divisions but recognizing the impact of their interactions across an industry. This course will also take a look into how the organizations decisions and actions.

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** BUS 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).

** BUS 291, 391, 491, 591 - Internship (12).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> BUS 295, 395, 495, 595 - Independent Study (1-12).

<sup>\*\*</sup> BUS 296, 396, 496, 596 - Practicum (1-6).

# **Communication Arts (CAR)**

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
*****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

CAR 101 – Introduction to Communication Studies (3) ★★★ Introductory course to the vast field of Communications. Theories, strategies and methods covered will provide students with an initial understanding of concepts as they relate to intercultural, interpersonal, organizational communication, public speaking and small group discussion. Students will acquire a knowledge of the academic background, the practice and the processes of the field of communication. UC/IND/CSU

**CAR 105 – Fundamentals of Speech** (3) ★★★ (Formerly SPE 110) An introductory course in public speaking that focuses on communication skills, including organization of ideas, research, critical thinking and audience adaptability. (Same as SPE 105) UC/IND/CSU area A1

**CAR 110 – Introduction to Theatre** (3) ★★★ Exploration of the creative elements of theatre art: playwriting, acting, directing, scenic design, lighting and costume design. Analysis of major plays in production. (Same as THE 110) UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area 3

CAR 118 – Introduction to Journalism (3) ★★★★ This course introduces the student to the art of journalism. Students explore the different writing styles of radio, television and newspaper reporting. Students examine the social and political forces that shape the news and that have defined journalism during the 20th century. Students will also examine the legal and ethical issues related to the profession. Internet journalism and blogging are also discussed. (Same as AM 112/ENG 118) CSU/IND/UC

**CAR 125 – Small Group Discussion** (3) ★★★ Basic principles and techniques of discussion. Relationship of discussion to democratic processes and contemporary society, including a study and practice of critical thinking, and problem-solving techniques in various group discussion settings. (Same as SPE 125) UC/IND/CSU area A1

**CAR 130 – Interpersonal Communication** (3) ★★★★ This course focuses on learning the theory and practical skills needed to improve the quality of interpersonal communication including social cognition, social rules, coding the message, conflict resolution and critical thinking skills. (Same as SPE 130) UC/IND/CSU area A1

- CAR 140 Intercultural Communication (3) ★★★ A course that examines the role of communication in a multicultural context. Through lectures and problem—solving exercises, students explore ways in which cultural differences impact the communication event. It will enhance intercultural awareness and communication competency to facilitate the student's ability to function more effectively in a pluralistic society. (Same as ANT 140) UC/IND/CSU
- **CAR 145 Communication Structures** (3) ★★★ An examination of the structures underlying both verbal and visual modes of communication in modern society. Emphasis is placed on a study of comparable features in the various media used in the art of expression. Contemporary media will be investigated against a background of standard patterns of communication. (Same as SPE 145) UC/IND/CSU area A1
- CAR 148 History of Film (2-3) ★★★ This course surveys the evolution of filmmaking in the 20th and 21st centuries. The course exposes students to a wide range of film genres and explores how the cultural, political and ideological values have influenced filmmakers and the art of filmmaking. Critical analysis of film scriptwriting, cinematography, direction, acting and style are emphasized. (Same as AM 202/ID 148) UC/IND/CSU area C1
- CAR 173 Film Production Methods 1 (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. This course introduces the student to traditional film production methods including the use of handheld 16mm film cameras, basic field lighting techniques and audio recording. Students will learn how to go through the pre-production, production and post-production process of creating short films including the development of film scripts and storyboards to create and edit an individual short film. Emphasis is placed on creative expression in the art of filmmaking. Lab fee required. (Same as AM 132) UC/IND/CSU
- CAR 174 Film Production Methods 2 (3) ★ Prerequisite: AM 132 or ART/ CAR 173 Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. This course provides the student the opportunity to create a more ambitious short film from concept to creation by working in teams. Student teams choose a subject of mutual interest and develop a production treatment and script for the film. Students share different production responsibilities and learn how to direct and coordinate a film crew, talent and equipment. Students then edit their film into a finished short feature for critique. Lab fee required. (Same as AM 232) IND/CSU
- CAR 175 Video Production Methods 1 (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. ENG (Electronic News Gathering) style digital video production methods using portable cameras, basic field lighting techniques and audio recording. Students learn the pre-production and post-production process of creating videos including the development of production outlines, scripts and editing to create an original short video. Emphasis is placed on technical proficiency with basic portable video equipment. Lab fee required. (Same as AM 122)

- CAR 176 Digital Audio Production & Editing (3) ★ Class hours: 2 lecture, 4 laboratory. Prerequisite: AM 122 or ART/CAR 175; This studio course provides an overview of various methods of audio recording for video, film and multimedia projects. Students learn the basics of digital recording and monitoring methods using field and studio audio equipment. Students learn how to record voice over talent, announcers and performers in the field and sound booth settings. Students also learn how to record sound effects and create basic music theme soundtracks with Apple Garage Band© software. Lab fee required. (Formerly ART 176, same as AM 242) IND/CSU
- **CAR 200 Oral Interpretation** (3) ★★★ Analysis, theory and practice of oral interpretation of prose, verse and grammatic dialogue, with attention to effective delivery. (Same as SPE 200) UC/IND/CSU
- **CAR 250 Argumentation and Debate** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: Car/Spe 105. An examination of the fundamentals of logical thinking, the analysis of propaganda, research techniques and the uses of evidence. Principles and techniques of effective group discussion, argumentation and debate. (Same as SPE 250) UC/IND/CSU area A1
- **CAR 260 Forensics** (1) ★★★ (Formerly SPE 291) Concentrated training and instruction for the enhancement of public speaking skills, critical and analytical thinking, and literary analysis for the purpose of participating in either individual and/or team intercollegiate speaking activities. (Same as SPE 260) IND/CSU
- CAR 301- International Journalism (3) \*\*\*\*\* This class focuses on the unique challenges of portraying foreign cultures in reporting. International journalism is a critical component in all facets of reporting, and this course develops an understanding of the complexities inherent in communications with foreign cultures. Students examine international journalists' work, explore how they strive to connect cultures in media conversations and coverage, and generate writing that connects the world through writing and reporting. The course covers practical approaches to journalism today.
- CAR 330 Business Communication and Leadership (3) \*\*\*\*\*\*
  Prerequisites: CAR/SPE 105 and BUS 300 or consent of instructor and ENG 114. Explores the role of communication in achieving organizational goals. Examines theories and practices of communication in public and private businesses. Emphasizes techniques to enhance understanding of organizations as cultures. Additionally, provides opportunity to practice communicating within the organizational structure through interviews, resumes, memo's letters and presentations. (Same as BUS 330)
- CAR 331 Art of Negotiation: Theories and Communication Strategies (3)

  ★★★★ Prerequisite: CAR/SPE 105 The course explores historic business/
  labor conflicts and the role of communication in the success or failure of those negotiations. Further, the application of conflict resolution theories and methods are

emphasized with specific focus upon the role of initiator, responder and mediator. (Same as BUS 331)

**CAR 332 – Multicultural Communication** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite:

Completion of Liberal Education Core Speech requirement. The course examines the relationship between culture and communication with emphasis given to cultural norms and values, variances in contexts, psychological influences, linguistic and nonverbal variables. Additionally, methods for identifying potential cultural miscommunication and processes for resolving them through communication are also explored. (Same as BUS 332)

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** CAR 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).

** CAR 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).
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### **Community Development (CD)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent

**CD 500 – Professional Practice and Ethics (4)** Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. This course provides a basis for understanding one's professional role and how to follow guidelines for success, taking into consideration questions of conscience, ethics, and values, as well as the tensions between community engagement, advocacy and participatory research, and specialized expertise. It will introduce concepts, tools, and skills needed to perform in diverse professional environments.

CD 535 – Community Development Theory & Practice (3) Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. The course introduces students to theories, debates and practical strategies regarding the sustainable development of less advantaged communities. Students gain an enhanced understanding of the complexities of community, development, sustainability, and participation. They critically analyze "community" as a set of social relations, as a local economy, as a built and natural environment, and as political organization. The course assumes communities have assets and obstacles, and that central to improving community life are communication, organization, inclusion, information and professional expertise. Examines concerns of economic opportunity, institutions, habitation, conflict, security, lack of specific skills and resources that impact livelihood potential; examines organizational efforts to improve communities have their own characteristics, whether community-based, religious, governmental, NGO or others.

**CD 550 – Community Ethnography** (3) Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. Introduces the ideas and techniques of field-based ethnography, including

ethnographic accounts in conjunction with community members. Evolving from the participant-observation model of cultural anthropology, the course teaches students how to see, hear, record, document, and elicit information from community members, and how to weave this material together with other qualitative, quantitative, and geospatial material to create a holistic account of a community, village, or neighborhood. The course provides concrete training in writing and other kinds of graphical representations of social reality, using ethnographic techniques, accounts, maps, photos, charts and tables, and serves as a foundational course for the doing of graduate level field work.

CD 575 - Community Design and Land Use Planning (3) Prerequisite: Graduate or upper division standing. The course provides a framework for analyzing the planning and design issues that a real estate developer will encounter as part of any project. Students will learn to evaluate site for development potential, identify those factors that will influence its design and begin to understand the effect that zoning laws and community stakeholders have on the built environment. The course will include all major real estate product types. The course will teach basic drafting skills such as drawing to scale and the 1-hour lab each week will require a drawing assignment.

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** CD 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).

** CD 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).
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# **Community Special Programs (CSP)**

**CSP 297 Seminar Courses:** (1-3) A course for high-school students; each section focuses on a topic in the arts or humanities, social or natural sciences.

#### Notes:

- 1. A maximum of 4 CSP units will apply toward graduation at Marymount, but will not fulfill general education requirements.
- 2. Transferability for college credit varies from institution to institution and from department to department. Unit limitations may apply.

### **Computer Science (CS)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

CS 180 – Introduction to Computers (3) ★ Computer literacy, including an introduction to computer hardware, capabilities and limits of computers, the Internet, data transmission, and impacts of computing; use of productivity tools, including word processors, presentation programs, spreadsheets, databases and communications programs. Laboratory exercises give students hands-on experience with productivity tools. UC/IND/CSU

CS 183 – Computer Information Systems (3) ★★★★ Lecture and Laboratory. Prerequisites: MTH 60 or 90, and CS 180 or another Introduction to Computers course or consent of instructor. The analysis, design, implementation, development and ongoing management of computer-based information systems; related software, hardware and networking issues for business and industry; end-user customization of applications and interfaces; and selection of information, via query and scripting languages. Programming languages and fundamentals of programming. Computer issues in the workplace and society. UC/IND/CSU

CS 195 – Programming and Problem Solving (3) ★★★ Lecture and Laboratory. Prerequisites: MTH 60 or 90; prior experience with basic programming concepts recommended. Elements of good programming design, style, documentation and efficiency. Methods for debugging verification. Fundamental techniques for solving problems using C++ programming language. Principles and use of object-oriented programming, including overloading, data abstraction, templates, inheritance and polymorphism. UC/IND/CSU

CS 196 – Introduction to Java Programming (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: Completion of MTH 60 or 90; prior experience with basic programming concepts recommended. This course is an introduction to the Java programming language and the Object-Oriented Programming paradigm (OOP). Students will write programs to solve problems in business, mathematics and other subjects, working with character strings, arrays, functions and procedures. Java browser applets will also be covered. UC/IND/CSU

CS 210 – Introduction to C Programming Language (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: Completion of CS 180 or another introductory computer course; and completion of MTH 60 or 90 or consent of the instructor. Fundamentals of the C programming language and its application to problem solving. Topics include structured programming techniques, variable types, control statements, built-in and user-coded

procedures and functions, arrays, pointers, full handling, and use of the C library. UC/CSU/IND

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** CS 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).

** CS 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).
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### **Criminal Justice (CJ)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

**CJ 101 – Introduction to Criminal Justice** (3) ★★★★ This course is a study of the history and philosophy of administration of justice in the United States. The course will include a survey of law enforcement, the judiciary, and corrections. Topics include crime theory, role expectations and their inter-relationships, punishment, rehabilitation, ethics, education, and training. Articulation pending.

CJ 121 – Concepts of Criminal Law (3) ★★★★ This course examines the historical development and philosophy of law, including the provisions as set forth in the US Constitution, and its application to the criminal justice system. Topics covered in the course will include legal research, case law, crime classifications, crimes against persons, crimes against property, and crimes against the state. Articulation pending.

CJ 141 – Legal Aspects of Evidence (3) ★★★★ This course covers the legal aspects of evidence with the origins, development and philosophy of the constitutional and procedural considerations which affect arrest, search, and seizure. Topics covered in the course include types of evidence, governing rules of admissibility, judicial decisions and interpreting individual rights, and case studies viewed with respect to application in a criminal process from arrest through trial. Articulation pending.

CJ 151 – Introduction to Emergency Management (3) ★★★★ This course introduces the student to the fundamental aspects of emergency management. It examines the roles and responsibilities of government and non-profit agencies when responding to disasters and emergencies with emphasis on man-made, natural, and technological events most likely to affect the United States. The course emphasizes the four concepts of emergency management: preparedness, mitigation, response and recovery; and the role of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Articulation pending.

**CJ 181 – Criminal Investigations** (3) ★★★★ This course covers the fundamentals of criminal investigation. Topics covered in the course include crime scene search techniques and recording a crime scene; collection and preservation of physical evidence; modus operandi processes; sources of information; interview and

interrogation; follow-up investigation techniques, and court preparation. Articulation pending.

CJ 251 – Communications for Crisis Situations (3) ★★★★ This communications course covers a wide ranging set of skills for writing, speaking, and presenting information in a clear and concise manner especially during an emergency or disaster when internal and external communication is critical. It is designed to cover several areas to foster a real world application to a crisis situation. Some of the topics covered are models of communication, technology as a tool, social and multi-media applications, and developing communication procedures for emergency plans by utilizing ICS, NIMS and California's SEMS. Articulation pending.

CJ 301 – Strategic Communication: Literacy Skills for the Public Safety Professional (4) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: CJ 101 This course presents techniques for clearly communicating information during incidents, emergencies, or crisis situations. The course is primarily developed for the public sector for areas such as Criminal Justice, Emergency Management, Fire Service, Homeland Security, and other fields. It focuses on developing the student's ability to organize information and present it in written, oral, and presentation formats through research, development, writing, and public presentations. Emphasis is placed on applying writing and group presentation skills to professional activities in the public and private sectors.

**CJ 311 – Criminal Justice Administration (4)** ★★★★ Prerequisite: CJ 101 This course is designed to provide students with the basic philosophy, principles, and organizational structures available for administrators of the police, the courts, and corrections. The course develops a set of principles and practices used to organize and develop the operational deployment of the personnel, define their functions and roles within the criminal justice system. The course will examine the police, the courts, and corrections aspects separately and will not advocate a single or "best" management or organization style.

CJ 331 – Ethics and Professional Responsibility in Criminal Justice (4)

★★★★ Prerequisite: CJ 101 This course examines the philosophical and
theoretical basis of ethics within the criminal justice profession throughout the
US. It explores professional standards and professional conduct and analyzes and
evaluates ethical dilemmas through case studies, research, and discussion. The roles
of the organizations within the criminal justice system including police, corrections,
prosecution and defense are each reviewed independently, and as a larger system.
Same as PHI 331.

CJ 355 – Criminal Justice, Homeland Security and Terrorism (4) ★★★★
Prerequisite: CJ 101 This course examines the relationship between the historical
and contemporary goals of terrorism, the United States homeland security efforts,
including the Department of Homeland Security, and selected aspects of the
United States criminal justice systems within the background of the larger global
community.

**CJ 361 – Terrorism in the United States- Pre/Post 911Review (4)** ★★★★ Prerequisite: CJ 101 Case studies of terrorism incidents within the United States are reviewed with the presidential directives, presidential declarations, policy statements,

and laws relating to terrorism which were in force and preceded the incidents; and those new laws that were derived from the incidents, such as the USAPATRIOT Act.

CJ 362 – Transnational Crimes and Comparative Criminal Justice Systems
(4) ★★★★ Prerequisite: CJ 101 This course presents an examination of selected criminal justice agencies around the world and their efforts to combat transnational criminal issues. The political, social, and economic environments are studied in relation to varying criminal justice practices. Topics will include the role of international law, the international criminal courts, the United Nations, and Interpol.

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** CJ 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).

** CJ 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).
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### **Economics (ECO)**

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
****	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
*****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

ECO 135 – Perspectives on Global Development (3) ★★★ This course provides a comparative, multi-disciplinary overview of concepts, methods, and theories of development and growth. Global disparities in wealth, power and quality of life are analyzed, and alternative approaches to development are examined. (Same as GS/HIS/ID 135) UC/IND/CSU area D7; IGETC area 4

ECO 220 – Microeconomics (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90 or equivalent placement. Essential principles of economic analysis from the viewpoint of choices to be made by individual economic units. Scarcity; supply, demand and elasticity; opportunity costs; cost theory; price and output determination under various market structures and factor markets; government regulation; comparative advantage; international trade. Application of economic theory to current economic problems. UC/IND/CSU area D2; IGETC area 4

ECO 221 – Macroeconomics (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90 or equivalent placement. Essential principles of economic analysis from the viewpoint of the aggregate economy. Market systems; macroeconomic equilibrium; national income accounting; money and financial institutions; competing economic theories; business cycles, including recession, unemployment and inflation; the role of government in developing and implementing fiscal and monetary policies; international trade and finance. These topics are developed and discussed in relationship to current economic problems and issues. UC/IND/CSU area D2; IGETC area 4

ECO 221H – Macroeconomics - Honors (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90; 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. Essential principles of macroeconomic theory (scarcity, production possibilities, GDP, inflation, unemployment, money and financial institutions, fiscal and monetary policy, deficits) taught for Honors students with an interdisciplinary emphasis on policy applications and historical interpretation.UC/IND/CSU area D2; IGETC area 4

**ECO 300 – Business, Government and Society** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in ECO 220 or ECO/GS/HIS 135. The business firm as agent of wealth creation and change operates within a society's political, institutional, and cultural context. This course examines the interactions between business, government, and society from historical, conceptual and philosophical perspectives.

ECO 301 – Comparative Economic Systems (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in ECO 220 or 221. Exploration of historical and current institutions of free market and planned economies, including the European welfare state, the Soviet economy, liberalization models in Russia and Eastern Europe, the Chinese model, and views about the role of government in the United States economy. The course also examines the changing roles of international economic institutions, including the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund, the World Trade Organization, multinational corporations, and supply chain distribution networks. Replaced by ECO 420 Fall 2011.

ECO 302 – California in the Global Economy (3) ★★★★ An examination of key California industries including agriculture, energy, education, arts and media, manufacturing, tourism, services, and trade in a regional and global context. Topics include natural and human resources, diversity, migration, innovation, physical infrastructure and transportation, the regulatory and tax environment, and the international flow of goods, ideas and capital. Same as GS 302.

ECO 400 - People, Profit, Planet (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: Senior standing. An interdisciplinary approach to the challenges of meeting human needs in a socially responsible and environmentally sustainable manner. The course expands on classical economic models by integrating consideration of a triple bottom line of profitability, social equity, and physical sustainability in the broader context of resources, systems, and values. Same as GS 400.

**ECO 410 - Economics of Population, Energy and Resources** (3) \*\*\*\*\*\*
Prerequisite: upper division standing. This course will examine the historical trends of population economics and the future implications for energy and resource policy. It will examine aspects of local, national and global markets for resources, and resource management. Particular emphasis will be placed on the demand and supply of fossil fuels, nuclear power and renewable energy. Private-sector and public-sector solutions will be debated. Same as GS 410.

**ECO 420 - Economic Systems and Innovation** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in ECO 220 or 221, or consent of instructor. This course explores the evolving relationship between open markets and economic management by the state, with

particular emphasis on the shifts in the 20th century, their corresponding theoretical underpinnings, and current models. The focus is on how these shifts interact with innovation, economic growth, and vulnerability to shocks, and what lessons we can draw as the world confronts current challenges and opportunities. Readings and class discussion are supplemented by case studies from different countries and economic models. Replacing ECO 301 beginning Fall 2011.

ECO 520 – Economics for Planning (3) Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing The course supports effective planning by presenting a resource framework and relating the use of economic indicators to interpret a community's economic context at the global, national, regional, local, and project level. Students study the interplay of these economic contexts through a collaborative case study project.

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** ECO 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).

** ECO 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).
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## **Education, Early Childhood (EDU)**

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**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

**EDU 110 – Foundations of Education** (3) ★★ An exploration of all aspects of various early childhood education programs, including their history, philosophy, theorists, teaching techniques, curriculum, equipment and staffing. Includes observation and field work as a teacher's aide. IND/CSU

**EDU 125 – Curriculum and the Young Child** (3) ★★ This course explores the curriculum offered in Early Childhood Education programs. Teaching techniques and materials in all areas of curriculum, including music, art, language development, science, dramatic play, and fine and gross motor development. Includes observation and field work. IND/CSU

**EDU 130 – Children's Literature** (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106. A brief survey of the history of books for children; criteria for the selection of children's books; representative authors, illustrators and titles for the reading interests and needs of children of preschool, primary, intermediate and pre-adolescent levels; methods of stimulation and presentation of reading material; evaluation and critical analysis of series books, television, reference materials, puppetry, and poetry. (Same as ENG 117) IND/CSU

**EDU 140 – The Home, The School, The Community** (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106. Examines contemporary issues in education and their effect on the child and

family. A study of the variety and pattern changes in family life and of the influence of family, church, school and peers upon the development of a child. (Same as SOC 140.) UC/IND/CSU area D10

**EDU 220 – Child Development** (3) ★★★★ A study of the social, emotional, physical and cognitive growth of child's development at the prenatal, infancy, preschool and school–age levels. (Same as PSY 200.) UC/IND/CSU area D9

EDU 310 – The Exceptional Child and the Inclusive Early Childhood Education Program (1) ★★★ Recommended prerequisite: Associate Teacher Permit on the Child Development Permit Matrix or equivalent education and experience. This course will expand the toolkit of early childhood educators for managing problem behaviors and recognizing the importance and impact of early intervention. Students will enhance their knowledge of medical and behavioral conditions, refine assessment skills and expand their strategies for providing the best possible outcome for children and their families.

EDU 320 – Transitional Kindergarten (1) ★★★ Recommended prerequisite: Teaching certificate, or enrollment in a degree program, or Child Development Permit, or equivalent education and experience. This course will provide participants with lesson planning tools, and guidelines for creating an optimum environment. An overview of various observation and assessment tools designed for young children will be provided, along with instruction on utilizing these tools in effective curriculum development and implementation. Participants will learn specific strategies for managing challenging behaviors, as well as practical examples of classroom activities ideally suited to the young learner.

EDU 510 - Unit Planning for Common Core: English Language Arts (2) Prerequisite: a BA degree and a base level of knowledge of the Common Core State Standards. Unit planning, lesson design, and instructional strategies will look very different in classrooms aligned to the Common Core State Standards (CCSS). This course will introduce teachers and administrators to a unit map template that represents key components in unit design. Participants will begin the process of creating unit maps for targeted units of study aligned to the CCSS. Additionally, participants will see the connections between the unit map, effective lesson design, and engaging instructional strategies.

EDU 511 - Unit Planning for Common Core: Mathematics (2) Prerequisite: a BA degree and a base level of knowledge of the Common Core State Standards. Unit planning, lesson design, and instructional strategies will look very different in classrooms aligned to the Common Core State Standards (CCSS). This course will support teachers, and administrators in beginning their transition to the Common Core State Standards (CCSS) in Mathematics, using current classroom materials. Participating teams will collaboratively design a unit of instruction built around the CCSS, incorporating CCSS mathematical practices and content shifts, MARS assessments, and a variety of formats for lesson design.

#### **EDU 512 – Integrating Technology and Common Core State Standards (3)**

Prerequisite: a valid California teaching credential. This course will give teachers and administrators the tools they need to effectively integrate technology into everyday instructions, to enable students to attain proficiency in the use of common technology tools as required by CCSS assessments, and make full use of the technology available in many classrooms. The target audience will be K-12 teachers and administrators.

#### **EDU 513 – Integrating the Arts and Common Core State Standards (3)**

Prerequisite: a valid California teaching credential. This course will give teachers and administrators the tools they need to effectively integrate Visual and Performing Arts activities designed to promote creativity, critical thinking, problem solving, and speaking and listening into everyday instruction and thus address the creative elements of the Common Core State Standards. The target audience will be K-12 teachers and administrators.

### **EDU 514 – Project-Based Learning and Common Core State Standards (3)**

Prerequisite: a valid California teaching credential. Project-Based Learning (PBL) is in perfect alignment with many of the Common Core State Standards. This course will give teachers and administrators the tools they need to engage their students in meaningful tasks that address many of the new Common Core State Standards. "Learning by Doing" as defined by John Dewey in 1897 will be the focus of student-centered project design, implementation, assessment, and standards alignment. The target audience will be K-12 teachers and administrators.

**EDU 540 – Comparative Education Systems (3)** Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. One of society's most important functions is to educate its citizens. K-12 schooling, whether public or private, is arguably one the most effective mechanisms to create and reproduce culture. Literacy and numeracy are taught to children the world over, but differing educational systems also reflect and inculcate values that vary from culture to culture. In this course, we will explore differing educational systems in various regions of the world, as well as the growing trend toward "international education." The relationship of learner-teacher-subject-parent, and the impact these learning systems have on the creation of a nation's culture will be explored.

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** EDU 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> EDU 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).

### **English (ENG)**

Marymount requires that students complete at least the following sequence of English courses: ENG 112, 114, and 120 or above. Some incoming students may be required to begin their English sequence in ENG 108 and/or ENG 106.

Incoming students are placed into the sequence of required English courses according to their completion of equivalent courses at another regionally accredited institution; ACT, PSAT or SAT scores; Advanced Placement (AP) Examination scores; or the Accuplacer English placement tests. Students placed based on ACT, PSAT or SAT scores may request to take the appropriate Accuplacer placement test as a method to request a change of placement level according to the Placement Policy (see page 69).

To progress from one level to the next in the composition sequence (ENG 108, 112, 114) a grade of at least a C in the previous level is required. A grade of C or higher in ENG 114 is required for enrollment in a literature course (ENG 120 or above). Concurrent enrollment in ENG 114 and an English literature course (ENG 120 and above) may be requested by petition if the student earns a grade of A in ENG 112.

ENG 106 may be taken concurrently with ENG 108 or ENG 112. Students who are required to take ENG 106 must successfully complete the course before beginning ENG 114.

#### **ENG 104 - English Fundamentals: Cross-Cultural Perspectives** (3)

Prerequisite: Placement test results. Typically taken concurrently with ENG 105 or 106. This is an entry-level course which emphasizes improvement of writing skills, including grammar and sentence structure, punctuation, paragraph and short essay development. The course offers students a chance to discuss and write about a variety of academic topics from a cross-cultural perspective. Effective fall 2012, this course is retired and the learning outcomes will be folded into ENG 108 Lab sections.

**ENG 105 – Developmental Reading I** (3) Extensive work to build vocabulary and comprehension skills. Vocabulary is taught through contextual analysis and the study of word elements. Mature reading materials are employed to teach main and subordinate idea differentiation, inferential comprehension, and study techniques. Placement in course is determined by placement exam score or exit exam score/grade in a previous Marymount reading course. Students who attain a qualifying score on the proficiency exam and a B+ or better in this course may be exempt from ENG 106. Effective fall 2012, this course is retired and the learning outcomes will be folded into ENG 106.

**ENG 106 – Developmental Reading II** (3) Placement in course is determined by placement exam score or by exit exam score/grade in ENG 105 or equivalent. Continued or advanced work to enhance vocabulary and comprehension skills. Advanced college vocabulary is taught through contextual analysis and the study of word elements. Higher level critical reading/thinking skills, such as distinguishing

fact from opinion, interpreting figurative language, recognizing propaganda and evaluating arguments, are taught using college level reading materials.

ENG 108 – Introduction to College Composition (4) Prerequisite: Accuplacer placement test or ACT/PSAT/SAT score. Corequisite: ENG 106 if indicated by placement test. A structural approach preparing the student for the writing of college essays: definition of a thesis, selection and development of supporting details, and effective organization. Review of grammatical principles, paragraph construction, revision strategies and editing techniques. All sections include an additional hour of work each week outside the class meeting times, usually in a digital environment, for additional support; assignment to individual competencies within these materials is generally based on instructor recommendation or placement test results. To ensure adequate preparation for ENG 112, all ENG 108 students must write an exit essay that is graded by the English faculty and constitutes 20% of the student's final grade. CSU

ENG 112 – College Composition I: Expository Writing (3) Prerequisite: Placement or grade of C or higher in ENG 108. Corequisite: ENG 106 if indicated by placement test or other criteria. Presentation of the key elements of an essay: thesis statements, topic sentences, outlining, paragraphing, sentence-combining, introductions and conclusions. A variety of approaches to the essay-writing task, including enumeration, definition, comparison/contrast, etc. The course examines the process of documented writing and requires its application in the form of a limited research paper or documented essay. UC/IND/CSU area A2; IGETC area 1

ENG 114 – Analytical Reasoning and Composition (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 112, completion of ENG 106 if indicated by placement test results or other criteria. Presentation of the key elements of critical analysis, with a focus on written response to culturally diverse college-level readings. Refinement of the use of quotations, summary, paraphrase, logical reasoning and argumentation to support clearly defined thesis statements. The course includes the preparation and writing of an extended research paper or documented essay requiring application of the process examined in ENG 112. UC/IND/CSU area A3; IGETC area 1

**ENG 115 – Creative Writing** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 112. The writing of poems and short stories and the study of published models of verse and fiction aimed at the acquisition of professional techniques in formal writing. UC/IND/CSU

**ENG 116 – Introduction to Language and Linguistics** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 112. An exploration of origins of language and how it works: sounds, symbols, structures, language acquisition, animal and machine language. Includes discussions of psycholinguistics, sociolinguistics, historical linguistics and language change. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 117 – Children's Literature** (3) ★★★ See EDU 130. This course does not fulfill the English literature requirement. IND/CSU

ENG 118 – Introduction to Journalism (3) ★★★★ This course introduces the student to the art of journalism. Students explore the different writing styles of radio, television and newspaper reporting. Students examine the social and political forces that shape the news and that have defined journalism during the 20th century. Students will also examine the legal and ethical issues related to the profession. Internet journalism and blogging are also discussed. (Same as AM112, CAR 118) CSU/IND/UC

**ENG 120 – Introduction to Literature** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in ENG 114. A survey of literature by genre and/or chronology with the principal emphasis on representative works from English and American literature. Short stories, poetry, and at least one play and one novel are studied in critical detail. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 125 – Literature and Film** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. This course applies the principles of literary criticism and aesthetic analysis to the study of film and literature. Topics include the function of narrative in film, the relationship between the verbal and the visual image, and film as an effective medium for literary themes. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 130 – Introduction to the Novel** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. A study of the novel as a literary form. Representative British and American novels are studied to demonstrate the scope, techniques and various forms of the genre. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 130H – Introduction to the Novel–Honors** (3) Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. Recommend Prerequisite: Grade of B or higher in ENG 114. A study of the novel as a literary form influenced by various historical, philosophical and sociocultural developments. Students are expected to work with both primary and secondary sources. Scope of course may include representative works from American, British, European and Third World literature as determined by the instructor. Primary aim of the course is to demonstrate the scope, techniques, formal qualities and diversity of the novel as a literary genre. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 140 – Introduction to Drama** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. A survey of dramatic works from the perspective of literature. Various types and forms of the drama as well as the artistic concerns of the dramatist are examined through selections from the history of the theatre. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 150 – Introduction to Shakespeare** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. Selections from the comedies, histories and tragedies with an overview of Shakespeare's life and times. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 160 – Introduction to Poetry** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. A study of the structure and content of poetry; meter and versification; attention

to the various forms and techniques employed by the poet; interpretation and criticism of representative long and short poems. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

- **ENG 170 Survey of the Short Story** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. An examination of the scope and variety of short fiction, ranging from the parable and fable to the contemporary short story with focus on the elements and evolution of the literary genre. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- **ENG 175 Women in Literature** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. A study of the portraits and images of women in all types of literature: poetry, fiction, drama and song composed by both men and women. A study of the language that controls the perception of women in general and affects the individual woman's self-image. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- **ENG 208 Survey of British Literature I** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. A survey of British Literature from the Anglo-Saxon period to the mid-18th Century, with special emphasis on the development of English culture as it relates to and is reflected in the literature of the period. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- **ENG 210 Survey of British Literature II** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. An introduction to the achievements of major British writers from the late 18th century to the present day, including novels, short stories, essays, poetry and dramas with a focus on the development of British literature and its relationship to various aspects of national life and international identity: from empire to commonwealth. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- **ENG 220H Survey of Literature, Honors** (3) Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. Recommend Prerequisite: Grade of B or higher in ENG 114. An overview of English and American literature from the Middle Ages to the present from a variety of approaches psychological, historical and thematic designed to challenge the student to significant research and analysis of substantive literary selections. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- **ENG 230 Survey of American Literature I** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. This course is a survey of American literature from the Colonial period to the Civil War, 1865, including works from the Colonial Period (1588-1765), the New Republic (1765-1829), and the American Renaissance (1829-1865). UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- **ENG 231 Survey of American Literature II** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. This course is a survey of American literature from the late 19th century to the present, including works from the Age of Realism (1865-1914), the Modern Age (1914-1945), and the Postmodern Age (1945-present). UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 240 – Roots of Western Literature** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. An in-depth examination of some of the seminal works of Western literary tradition. Emphasis on the Greek and Roman myths; readings from the poets and playwrights of antiquity. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 250 – Comparative Literature** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. An examination of significant trends and themes in world literature by means of comparing and contrasting selected works from the literature of at least two countries. The focus varies from genre study, such as the novel to examination of a movement (e.g., Romanticism) or a particular theme (e.g., "The Journey"). Beginning Fall 2010 replaced by ENG 302. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 260 – The Literature of American Ethnic Groups** (3) Prerequisite: Grade of C or higher in ENG 114. This course is designed to expose students to the literature of America's major ethnic groups: African American, Hispanic American, Asian American, Native American and European American. The cultural diversity of the selections will provide not only a rich literary experience but also prepare students for the cross-cultural experiences that are inevitable in modern American life. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**ENG 302 – Comparative Literature** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: A grade of C or higher in ENG 120 or higher. An examination of major trends and themes in world literature by comparing and contrasting selected literary works that transcend language and culture. The focus may vary and may cover a specific era such as the modern times or a specific movement such as Romanticism.

ENG 310 - American Catholic Writers (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: Completion of a lower division religion course and an elective literature course. This course examines American Catholic writers of the 20th Century, with an emphasis on Fiction, Drama, and Film. Students will learn how the author's Catholic beliefs influence the characters, themes, and situations of the literary work, and understand how belief systems give unique perspectives on various aspects of American culture and society.

ENG 340 - Literature Of Global Empire (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: a lower division history or a lower division geography course and a lower division literature course. An introduction to literature written by authors from colonizing nations about the colonial experience, and by authors of nations that have experienced colonization. The course is organized around recurrent themes in Colonial and Postcolonial literature—First and Third World places and identities, power and subordination, assimilation and resistance, belonging and exile, along with social, cultural and historical contexts for the peoples of Europe, Africa, India, Southeast Asia, Australia, and the Caribbean.

<sup>\*\*</sup> ENG 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).

<sup>\*\*</sup> ENG 292 – Publication Productions (1-3).

<sup>\*\*</sup> ENG 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).

# **English as a Second Language (ESL)**

#### ESL 150 – Intensive Workshop in English as a Second Language (1-4)

Prerequisite: Placement exam and consent of the instructor. A workshop in all of the basic communication skills: reading, writing, listening and speaking. Instruction is individualized to the extent possible. If taken for less than four units, this course may be repeated for credit; however, the total number of credit units given may not exceed four. This course may also be audited.

\*\* ESL 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).

# **Forensic Science Investigations (FSI)**

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
*****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

FSI 200 - Fundamentals of Forensic Science Investigations (3) ★ Prerequisite: Sophomore standing. A comprehensive course that studies the fundamentals and applications of the forensic sciences and, within it, crime scene management. The design of this course is both academic and practical. Topics include Management of Crime Scenes, Medicolegal Death Investigation, Crime Scene Reconstruction, Impression Evidence, DNA Evidence, and Ethics and Forensic Science. IND/CSU

FSI 241 - Ethics in Forensic Science (3) ★ Prerequisite: Sophomore standing. This course explores the role of the forensic investigator as a moral progenitor and propagator. Students explore the forensic investigator from the moral lenses of a scientist, as a law enforcer, and as a member of the academic discipline of forensic science. The course explores both historical and current issues of ethical dilemmas and expectations of forensic scientists, investigators, and trainers/educators. A practical focus is placed in exploring each student's ethical foundations and growth. An academic approach focuses on philosophical paradigms of past and present in dealing with normative ethics of humankind. IND/CSU

FSI 301 - Forensic Death Investigations (3) ★ Prerequisite: FSI 200. This course explores the role that science plays in the medicolegal investigation of death. The course explores both historical and current death investigation and administrative legal issues relating to death investigation. A practical focus is placed on time of death estimation, blunt and sharp force trauma, gunfire injuries, thermal death, asphyxia and drowning deaths, electrical and lightning deaths, and vehicular accident injuries.

- **FSI 302 Forensic Fingerprint Evidence** (3) ★ Prerequisite: FSI 200. This course covers the theory and comparison methodology of fingerprint individualization. The course explores the anatomical concepts underlying the biological uniqueness and persistence of friction ridge skin as well as classification techniques, analysis and comparison methods. Realizing that skill is developed through a combination of theory, apprenticeship and practical application, this course incorporates all three elements utilizing book reading, video tutorials and practical application of concepts.
- FSI 303 DNA Evidence and Crime Solving (3) ★ Prerequisite: FSI 200. DNA is the genetic source code of life. It determines the physical characteristics of a person, as well as the internal processes that are essential for daily life and the continuance of future generations. Even though the vast majority of a person's genetic code has no function, modern science and technology has developed a way for it to be useful in aiding those in law enforcement. This course is designed as an in-depth look into Deoxyribonucleic acid and how it pertains to human identity.
- **FSI 304 Forensic Photography Techniques** (3) ★ Prerequisite: FSI 200. This course is designed for the photographer with a working knowledge of the camera and basic knowledge of crime scene photography. This class will give a basic review and overview of crime scene photography and deals with advanced technical photographic techniques used in crime scene documentation.
- FSI 401 Forensic Behavioral Analysis (3) ★ Prerequisite: FSI 301. This course explores the role that behavioral science plays in the criminal investigation process. The course explores both historical and current issues of analyzing serial crimes and serial offenders. A practical focus is placed exploring recurring patterns of serial crimes, drawing meaning from observations of crime scenes, time-line investigations, geographic observations and conclusions, and common analysis of serial crimes such as murder, rape, arson, robbery, cult and unorthodox religious based crimes, and hate and bias crimes. An academic approach focuses on psychological and sociological explanations of serial criminals such as environmental, personality, or psychological motives.
- FSI 402 Forensic Anthropology: The Identification of Human Remains (3) ★ Prerequisite: FSI 301. This course will provide an overview of the techniques used by forensic anthropologists in the examination of crime scenes and the identification of human remains, stages of human decomposition, forensic entomology, forensic odontology and the forensic anthropologist in human rights cases.
- **FSI 490 Special Topics**  $(3,6,9) \star$  Prerequisite: FSI 301 or permission of the administrator. Course content is designed by Songer Institute staff based on needs of the profession, in coordination with specific agencies, or in cooperation with institutions of higher learning.

### French (FRE)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent

**Note**: Speakers of French with native-like fluency will not receive credit for courses except with advance approval from the instructor and department.

**Note**: Each four-unit language course is comparable to one year of a high school language course in the same language.

FRE 100 – Elementary French I (4) ★★★ Basic course to develop comprehension, speaking, reading and writing skills. Essential structure of the French language and practical vocabulary. Laboratory work is required weekly. UC/IND/CSU area C2

FRE 101 – Elementary French II (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: FRE 100 with a grade of C or better, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Continues the study of basic grammar, structures, idioms and vocabulary. Emphasis is placed on speaking and reading skills. Laboratory work is required weekly. UC/IND/CSU area C2: IGETC area 6

FRE 200 – Intermediate French I (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: FRE 101 with a grade of C or better, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Continues the study of French grammar with readings in French for continued growth in vocabulary, speaking and writing skills. Course includes composition work and selected readings on the geography, customs and culture of France in order to stimulate intercultural awareness. UC/IND/CSU area C2

FRE 201 – Intermediate French II (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: FRE 200 with a grade of C or better, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Course includes the study of a wide variety of readings with occasional grammar review as preparation for more advanced work in literature. A continuation of the study of French civilization and culture as a vehicle for intercultural comparison and contrast forms an integral part of the coursework. UC/IND/CSU area C2

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** FRE 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).

** FRE 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).
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# **Geographic Information Systems (GIS)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
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★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
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Placement in ENG 108 or higher
Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
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Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
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GIS 250 – Introduction to GPS and Remote Sensing (1) ★★★★ Prerequisites: ENG 106 and MTH 60 or 90. Co-requisites: ENG 112 and GIS 255. Recommended Preparation: College level Natural Science course. An introduction to the Global Positioning System (GPS), a satellite-based technology for determining location, and its relation to the larger field of remote sensing. The course includes a brief history of GPS and remote sensing, a survey of GPS applications, field experience in the use of GPS devices, and an overview of the uses of GPS and remote sensing in conjunction with maps and Geographic Information Systems (GIS) (see GIS 255). Formerly GEO 250 IND/CSU

GIS 255 – Introduction to GIS (3) ★★★★ Prerequisites: ENG 106 and MTH 60 or 90. Co-requisites: ENG 112 and GIS 250. An introduction to Geographic Information Systems (GIS), a computer-based technology for creating and manipulating spatial models. The course will provide a brief history of GIS, and survey its applications in business, regional planning, environmental research, and other areas; provide practice in data input from web/software, keyboard, and GPS sources; and introduce data management, analysis, and interpretation exercises in diverse applications. Formerly GEO 255 IND/CSU

GIS 500 – Geospatial Analytics Lab (1) Prerequisite: Graduate or upper division standing. Recommended pre-requisite or co-requisite: PSY 540 Research Methods and Assessment. An introduction to the fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) including concepts and skills in spatial reasoning and geospatial thinking. Involves hands-on experience working with map scales, coordinate systems, spatial data sources and accuracy, data structures, map features and attributes, map overlays, application of databases, creation of charts and graphs and presentation of data in map layouts. Focus is on community-related and business applications and the various ways in which GIS can be used in spatial query, problem analysis and decision-making support. Tools include ArcGIS and Community Analyst.

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** GIS 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> GIS 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).

# Geography (GEO)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

**GEO 100 – Cultural Geography** (3) ★★★ Examination of the cultural factors that condition the way people perceive, organize and use their habitats. General geographic concepts; settlement patterns, economic, religious, linguistic and political geography; and population dynamics. UC/IND/CSU area D5; IGETC area 4

**GEO 108 – Physical Geography** (3) ★★★ Physical Geography is the study of planet Earth as a system of interrelated parts, exploring its major subsystems – land, water and air – and their interactions. Topics include weather and climate, the hydrologic cycle, land forms, soils, and vegetation. UC/IND/CSU area D5, BI; IGETC area 5

GEO 108H – Physical Geography Honors (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. This course studies the planet Earth as a system of interrelated parts, exploring its major subsystems – lithosphere, hydrosphere, atmosphere, biosphere – and their interactions. Topics include: weather and climate, geomorphology – including tectonic and gradation forces, soils, and vegetation. An extensive research project will explore the man-land relationship (man as caretaker or consumer). UC/IND/CSU area D5, BI, IGETC area 5

**GEO 108L – Physical Geography Lab/Field Study** (1) Co- or Prerequisite: GEO 108 and permission of instructor for weekend field trips. Directed application of methods of field study and analysis in physical geography. Lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B3; IGETC area 5

**GEO 120 – World Regional Geography** (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106. The basic concepts and fundamentals of both physical and cultural geography are used for an interpretation of the geographic regions of the world. These regions include the Americas; Europe and the former Soviet Union; Africa and the Middle East; Asia and the Pacific Islands. UC/IND/CSU area D5; IGETC area 4

**GEO 280 - Topics in Regional Geography** (1-3) ★★★ Designed to study a wide range of topics related to geography, allowing for concentrated exploration of a specific geographic region. CSU

**GEO 320 – Human Migration** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: At least one prior course in behavioral/social science, and in history. An overview of past, present, and projected future patterns of human migration from local to national and global levels,

and their social, cultural, economic, political, and environmental impacts. (Same as ANT/SOC 320)

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** GEO 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).
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## **Global Studies (GS)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level

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 Placement in ENG 104 or higher
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 Placement in ENG 108 or higher
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 Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
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 Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
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GS 135 – Perspectives on Global Development (3) ★★★ This course provides a comparative, multi-disciplinary overview of concepts, methods, and theories of development and growth. Global disparities in wealth, power and quality of life are analyzed, and alternative approaches to development are examined. (Same as ECO/HIS 135) UC/IND/CSU area D7; IGETC area 4

GS 220 – Introduction to Sustainability (3) ★★★★ Prerequisites: ENG 106 and MTH 60 or 90. Co-requisite: ENG 114. Recommended preparation: prior college science course. A survey of the theory and practice of sustainability, addressing human impacts on Earth's natural and human resources through resource consumption, waste and pollution. Coverage includes philosophical rationales, scientific underpinnings, and applied measures to reduce unsustainable practices in business operations, public administration, household management, and other enterprises. UC/IND/CSU area D7, IGETC area 4

GS 241 - A Reflective Experiential Sojourn (1-2) ★★★ Prerequisite: Approval to participate on Marymount Study Abroad program. This course, taken during a Marymount semester study abroad program is intended to supplement the overseas experience. The course involves engagement in culturally appropriate experiences and reflections shaped by experiential learning and intercultural competency theories to increase students' recognition of multiple perspectives and global awareness. Online course. Articulation pending.

GS 302 – California in the Global Economy (3) ★★★★ An examination of key California industries including agriculture, energy, education, arts and media, manufacturing, tourism, services, and trade in a regional and global context. Topics include natural and human resources, diversity, migration, innovation, physical infrastructure and transportation, the regulatory and tax environment, and the international flow of goods, ideas, and capital. (Same as ECO 302)

<sup>\*\*</sup> GEO 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).

GS 330- Climate Change (3) ★★★★★★ Prerequisite: One college level Science course. A consideration of climate change in relationship to human behavior. The course provides a general overview of the evidence for and against global warming, including discussion of greenhouse gases and their sources, Earth's carbon cycle, natural and unnatural trends in atmospheric chemistry and climate change, effects of atmospheric changes, mitigation strategies, and political responses.

GS 400 – People, Profit, Planet (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Senior standing. An interdisciplinary approach to the challenges of meeting human needs in a socially responsible and environmentally sustainable manner. The course expands on classical economic models by integrating consideration of a triple bottom line of profitability, social equity, and physical sustainability in the broader context of resources, systems, and values. (Same as ECO 400)

GS 405 (3) Global City ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Junior / Senior standing preferred. A critical study of significant global cities of the world which examines the urban development, history, culture, politics, economics, environment, art, architecture, spatial analysis, resources, and relationships with other cities within globalization.
405A Global City: Los Angeles - The city of Los Angeles will be studied through the works of scholars, filmmakers, and even the city itself as classroom for various onsite observations. 405B Global City: London - The city of London as a uniquely globalized and post-colonial city will be studied through the works of scholars, artists, and filmmakers.

GS 410 - Economics of Population, Energy and Resources (3) ★★★★★
Prerequisite: upper division standing. This course will examine the historical trends of population economics and the future implications for energy and resource policy. It will examine aspects of local, national and global markets for resources, and resource management. Particular emphasis will be placed on the demand and supply of fossil fuels, nuclear power and renewable energy. Private-sector and public-sector solutions will be debated. (Same as ECO 410)

<sup>\*\*</sup> GS 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).

<sup>\*\*</sup> GS 295, 395, 495, 595 - Independent Study (1-12).

### **Health Education (HED)**

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
*****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

**HED 100 – First Aid and CPR** (1) ★★★ A study of Community CPR and Basic First Aid techniques and procedures. Emphasis on practical skills and assessing emergencies in the home, school and community. American Red Cross certifications may be earned. UC/IND/CSU

**HED 130 – Human Sexuality** (2-3) ★★★★ An analysis of human sexual behavior from the physiological, sociological and psychological points of view. UC/IND/CSU area E

**HED 150 – Concepts in Health Education** (1-2) ★★★ Contemporary health knowledge intended to develop proper attitudes and behavior. Topics selected from: nutrition, fitness, drug and alcohol use and abuse, stress, chronic diseases, acquaintance rape, death and dying, self–esteem, and lifestyle diseases. UC/IND/CSU area E

**HED 170 – Fitness for Life** (1-2) ★★★ A combination of physical assessments, classroom lectures, daily walking and/or physical activities to promote optimal wellness. (Same as PED 170) CSU area E

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** HED 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).
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\*\* HED 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).

# **History (HIS)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent

HIS 100 – Western Tradition I (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106. The emergence of European culture and the development of western society from the neolithic era to the Enlightenment. Emphasis on the political, economic, social, religious and intellectual events that had an impact on the maturation of European traditional culture. UC/IND/CSU area D6; IGETC area 4

- HIS 101 Western Tradition II (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106. Emergence of modern European culture and the development of western society from the Age of Absolutism to the present. Emphasis on political, economic, social, religious and intellectual events that had greatest impact on the maturation of modern Europe. UC/IND/CSU area D6; IGETC area 4
- HIS 120 History of the United States I (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106. Survey of the political and social history of the United States from colonial times to 1865. Special emphasis on the constitutional development of the nation and on the development of American national characteristics. UC/IND/CSU area D6, F; IGETC area 4
- HIS 121 History of the United States II (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106 or equivalent. Survey of the political, social and institutional changes in the history of the United States since the Civil War. Emphasis on economic growth and the international role of the United States. UC/IND/CSU area D6, F; IGETC area 4
- HIS 125 History of the United States Since 1945 (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106 or equivalent. Survey course that examines and analyzes the development of the United States from 1945 to the present. Attention is given to the political, social, intellectual, cultural and economic changes in American society. UC/IND/CSU area D6; IGETC area 4
- HIS 135 Perspectives on Global Development (3) ★★★★ This course provides a comparative, multidisciplinary overview of concepts, methods and theories of development and growth.Global disparities in wealth, power, and quality of life are analyzed, and alternative approaches to development are examined. (same as ECO/GS 135) UC/IND/CSU area D7
- HIS 200 Twentieth Century Europe (3) ★★★★ A study of the political, social, economic and intellectual trends in Europe from 1900 to the present. Emphasis on ideologies, political systems and social transformations during the Imperial Age, the Russian Revolution, the two World Wars and the era of super-power confrontation. UC/IND/CSU area D6: IGETC area 4
- HIS 201 History of England (3) ★★★★ A political and social history from the Tudor period to modern times. Development of parliamentary democracy, impact of the industrial revolution, expansion and decline of the empire, and creation of the modern welfare state. UC/IND/CSU area D6; IGETC area 4
- HIS 210H Western Heritage, Honors (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. A critical survey of Western culture from the 17th century to the present based on analysis of primary sources, literature and film documentaries. Emphasis on social structures, political ideologies, economic systems, revolutionary movements, imperialism and modern warfare. UC/IND/CSU area D6; IGETC area 4

HIS 220 – The United States in the Twentieth Century (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: English 106. An historical survey of the major movements and events of the 20th century to provide insight into those forces primarily responsible for shaping the present United States. UC/IND/CSU area D6; IGETC area 4

HIS 220H – The United States in the Twentieth Century – Honors (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. An historical survey of the major movements and events of the 20th century to provide insight into those forces primarily responsible for shaping the present. United States. UC/IND/CSU area D6; IGETC area 4

HIS 270 – Ethnic History of the United States (3) ★★★★ This course surveys the history and current conditions of a range of ethnic groups in the United States, examining the distinctive features and contributions of different ethnic groups and cultures, as well as the range of variations in relations between ethnic groups and in their particular perspective on the institutions of the wider society. The history of issues interconnecting race, class, and politics is addressed to provide greater context for understanding various current issues in ethnic relations. UC/IND/CSU area D3, D6; IGETC area 4

HIS 275 – History of Women in the United States (3) ★★★ A survey of the expanding roles of women in American society since colonial times. Examination of the values, expectations and contributions of women from various social classes and ethnic groups. UC/IND/CSU area D4, D6; IGETC area 4

HIS 320 – Environmental History (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: At least one course in U.S. History with coursework in World History, life sciences, and anthropology or sociology recommended. An overview of human impacts on the environment—local, national, and global--from prehistoric times to the present. The course also addresses changing perceptions of nature, and the historical emergence of modern environmental quality issues and mitigation strategies at local, national, and global levels.

HIS 330 - Latin America and the Latino Experience \*\*\*\* History of Latin America, with special emphasis on Mesoamerica, from before European contact up to the present. Explores the history of relations between Latin America and the US, with an emphasis on the development of Latino/Hispanic communities in the US, the development of Chicano and Diaspora identities, the role of US-Mexico border, and the role of Mexican heritage in US cultural diversity. Combining archaeology, ethnohistory, history, anthropology, cultural studies, political science, global and ethnic studies, this course provides an in-depth foundation in the origins of, and evolution of, the Latino experience in America.

<sup>\*\*</sup> HIS 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).

<sup>\*\*</sup> HIS 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).

# **Interdisciplinary Studies (ID)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level

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 Placement in ENG 104 or higher
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 Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
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**Note**: These courses (with the exception of ID117) fulfill the CC/CD requirement.

**ID 107 – Introduction to Peace and Conflict Studies** (2-3) ★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106. A survey of the causes, consequences and alternatives to conflict, from interpersonal to international levels. The course integrates perspectives, theories and issues from different disciplines and incorporates cross-cultural comparisons. UC/IND/CSU

**ID 117 – The Art of Being Human** (2-3) ★ A critical examination of the liberal arts and sciences for the purpose of acquiring the base skills, knowledge and values for personal, social and physical well–being. UC/IND/CSU area E

**ID 117H – The Art of Being Human - Honors** (3)  $\star \star \star$  A critical examination of the liberal arts and sciences for the purpose of acquiring the basic skills, knowledge, and values for personal, social and environmental well-being. In this honors course, students will integrate their learning by actively participating in research, evaluation and integration of a focused honors study topic culminating in a project showcased at our fall honors symposium. UC/IND/CSU area E

**ID 123 – Psychobiology: Mind, Brain and Behavior** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150 or 150H. This course is designed to integrate psychological and biological approaches to explaining human consciousness and behavior. The interrelationship between mental experiences and the brain's neurochemical activities will be explored with respect to the following topics: sensation and perception; cognition; drives; emotions; social behavior; altered states of consciousness; mental health and mental illness. (Same as PSY 123) UC/IND/CSU areas B2, D7, D9; IGETC areas 4, 5

ID 123H – Psychobiology: Mind, Brain and Behavior - Honors (3) ★★★★
Prerequisite: PSY 150/H, 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. This course is designed to integrate psychological and biological approaches to explaining human consciousness and behavior. The interrelationship between mental experience and the brain's neurochemical activities will be explored with respect to the following topics: sensation and perception; cognition; drives; emotion; social behavior; altered states of consciousness; mental health and mental illness. The course will also offer many opportunities to analyze the most current research in this area. (Same as PSY 123H) UC/IND/CSU areas B2, D7, D9;IGETC areas 4, 5

- **ID 126 The Compleat Naturalist: Interdisciplinary Approaches to the Natural World** (1-3) ★★★ A survey of how the sciences and humanities bear on our perception, understanding and response to a designated natural region and its distinctive features. The course integrates extensive field activities to interconnect natural history, the history of human adaptations, and both philosophical and artistic responses to the region. (126A-Southern California; 126B-Costa Rica; 126C-Ecuador) UC/ IND/CSU
- **ID 133 Dynamics of Leadership** (1-3) ★★★ The purpose of this course is to provide the student with an intensive opportunity to analyze responsibilities and commitments in the context of leadership. This course explores theories and styles of leadership in order to understand the changing nature of leadership today and examines the ethics of leadership using current topics. CSU/IND
- **ID 135 Perspectives on Global Development** (3) ★★★★ This course provides a comparative, multidisciplinary overview of concepts, methods and theories of development and growth. Global disparities in wealth, power, and quality of life are analyzed, and alternative approaches to development are examined. (same as ECO/HIS 135, replaced by GS 135 Fall 2010) UC/IND/CSU area D7; IGETC area 4
- **ID 142 Religion in America I** (3) ★★★★ A study of the origins/importance of religion in America from pre-European contact to Civil War. Topics include: Native American religions, colonial powers, interaction with natives, Revolutionary and Federalist period, religious movement, utopian communities, rise of abolition and fight against slavery and religion and civil war. (Same as REL 142) UC/IND/CSU: IGETC area 3
- **ID 146 Mysteries in Literature and Film** (2-3) ★★★ Exploration of the mystery genre as it appears in literature and film. Emphasis on the elements of the mystery genre, including plot, characterization and tone. UC/IND/CSU area C2
- **ID 147 Literature and Psychology** (2-3) ★★★ A study of psychology applied to an appreciation and understanding of selected writings. UC/IND/CSU area C2
- **ID 148 History of Film** (2-3) ★★★ This course surveys the evolution of filmmaking in the 20th and 21st centuries. The course exposes students to a wide range of film genres and explores how the cultural, political and ideological values have influenced filmmakers and the art of filmmaking. Critical analysis of film scriptwriting, cinematography, direction, acting and style are emphasized. (Same as AM 202/CAR 148) UC/IND/CSU area C1
- **ID 149 Fairy Tales and Folklore** (2-3) ★★★ This course explores the values and lessons in fairy tales and folk stories from around the world. Analysis of stories will incorporate a variety of interpretive perspectives, including psychological, anthropological, feminist and humanist. Stories will be contrasted according to cultural differences as well as differences between print and film versions. UC/IND/CSU area C2

- **ID 180 Comparative Culture** (2-3) ★★★ The study of a non-Western culture; the nature and interrelations of society, character and culture. The socio-cultural system of a country or area; cross-cultural communication and understanding. (180A Japan; 180B China; 180D The Middle East; 180E Kenya; 180F Soviet Union) UC/IND/CSU area D7
- **ID 185 Backstage with the Arts** (2-3) ★★★ Theoretical and practical aspects of visual and performing arts through a combination of lecture, discussion, and media presentations, and the direct experience of exhibits and performances. (Same as ART/MUS/THE 185) IND/CSU
- **ID 191 Western Culture** (1-3) ★★★ A study of the culture and sub-cultures of Europe and the Americas, including their social systems, history, economy, religion and art. (191B The Heritage of Britain; 191C Mexico; 191E The Iberian Peninsula; 191F Scandinavia; 191G France; 191I Greece and Italy; 191K Mesoamerica; 191L Italy) UC/IND/CSU area D7
- ID 217 Personal, Academic & Career Development (1) ★★ Prerequisite: by placement. Through reflection, discussion and technology, students will gain a firm understanding of the transformative college experience. Using self-exploration & assessment tools coupled with technology, students will develop skills in their specific academic and career areas of interest, digital literacy and organization. Students will gain a thorough understanding of their own academic, personal and career interests and goals; and create specific strategies and tools to achieve academic, personal and career goals. IND/CSU
- **ID 230 Information Literacy** (1) ★★★★★ Learn to construct a research strategy and use research resources for academic and career endeavors. Examine information technology's impact on the individual and society. (Formerly ID 130) UC/CSU/IND
- **ID 279 Study Travel** (1) ★★★ Prerequisites: Completion of appropriate prerequisite course (1-3 units) with a C or above or concurrent enrollment in a companion (2-3 unit) course in preparation for the study component, completion of application for study-travel, and instructor's permission to travel. ID 279 is a companion course which is attached to other courses in the Marymount Catalog in order to enhance the curriculum and provide additional opportunities to meet student interests and needs. May be repeated for credit as long as the travel destination is not repeated. A maximum of 4 units will count towards graduation. CSU
- ID 317 Dynamics of a Successful Work Experience (1) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Junior standing, second semester. Juniors interested in combining their Senior Capstone Project with an Internship will benefit from this class. Assistance will be given in identification of a potential company/organization to connect with the Capstone Project. This course will support the development of the capstone project, leading to successful completion of the requirements as well as enhancing the experience.

- **ID 430 Leadership Seminar** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Upper division standing, record of co-curricular participation, 2.5 GPA The course offers upper division students opportunities to reflect on leadership, through readings, presentation, discussion, and drawing on the experiences of guest speakers and students themselves in a variety of contexts.
- **ID 497 Liberal Arts Capstone I** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: senior standing, and approval of Liberal Arts Program Chair. Seminar under the leadership of a designated instructor and in collaboration with other students preparing their capstone project, in which the student will develop a research plan related to both the student's areas of emphasis and select a mentor or mentors under whose guidance the research will be conducted.
- **ID 498 Liberal Arts Capstone II** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Approval of Liberal Arts Program Chair and successful completion of ID 497. Continuation of Capstone I in which, under the leadership of a designated instructor and in collaboration with other students completing their capstone project, the student completes the research plan developed in ID 497. The project will culminate in an oral and/or audio-visual and written presentation.
- **ID 530 Leadership Seminar** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Instructor consent. The course offers graduate students and qualified upper division students opportunities to reflect on leadership, through readings, presentation, discussion, and drawing on the experiences of guest speakers and students themselves in a variety of contexts. Includes a practice-based research project.
- **ID 545 Leadership as Storytelling (4)** Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing Students will review relevant literature on leadership attributes, organizational behavior, and modern communication techniques. Readings, case studies, and field experiences prepare students to develop a leadership messaging plan to a business or organization. Special emphasis is placed on interviewing leaders in the field and reviewing the most current trends in integrated media campaigns.
- **ID 580 Cross-Cultural Leadership (3)** Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. Cross-cultural leadership explores "effective" leadership across cultures and its impact on international business leadership and management. The impact of culture on concepts of leadership, values, expectations, and patterns of communication will be examined, both to demonstrate the importance of cultural sensitivity in global management and to assist students in developing their own strategies for effectively communicating and negotiating with individuals from other cultures. The course will also examine a variety of ethical and evolving multiethnic workplace issues, and discuss appropriate management styles for multicultural organizations. Students will learn effective ways to research specific cultures and communications styles in order to prepare themselves for cross-cultural encounters and assignments in other cultures.

#### ID 647, 657, 667 – Fieldwork (3 course sequence, 3 units each)

Prerequisite for ID 647: Graduate or Senior standing- Co-requisite: ID 648

Prerequisite for ID 657: PSY 540 and ID 647- Co-requisite: ID 658

Prerequisite for ID 667: ID 657 - Co-requisite: ID 668

Students will apply their knowledge and skills and develop professional expertise within the community. Via their work with community partners, students will contribute to building and maintaining community partnerships.

#### **ID 648, 658, 668 - Research seminar (3 courses, 1 unit each)**

Prerequisite for ID 648: Graduate or Senior standing - Co-requisite: ID 647

Prerequisite for ID 658: ID 648 - Co-requisite: ID 657 Prerequisite for ID 668: ID 658 - Co-requisite: ID 667

Topics will be offered to address student professional development needs. Example seminars include writing, career development, mentoring, and project management and presentation.

- \*\* ID 290, 390, 490, 590 Selected Topics (1-3).
- \*\* ID 291, 391, 491, 591 Internship (12).
- \*\* ID 192, 292, 392, 492, 592 Service Learning (1-8).
- \*\* ID 295, 395, 495, 595 Independent Study (1-12).
- \*\* ID 296, 396, 496, 596 Practicum (1-6).

# Japanese (JPN)

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
*****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

**Note**: Speakers of Japanese with native-like fluency will not receive credit for courses except with advance approval from the instructor and department.

**Note**: Each four-unit language course is comparable to one year of a high school language course in the same language.

JPN 100 – Elementary Japanese I (4) ★★★ The course develops competence in elementary spoken Japanese and the practical skills required to use the modern Japanese language as well as the study of Hiragana and Katakana. UC/IND/CSU area C2

JPN 101 – Elementary Japanese II (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: JPN 100 with a grade of C or better, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Continuation of JPN 100 with emphasis on speaking, vocabulary, reading, grammar, speech patterns and cultural knowledge. Continues the study of hiragana and katakana and introduces the kanji writing systems; geography and aspects of Japanese customs and manners are included. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 6

JPN 200 – Intermediate Japanese I (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: JPN 101 with a grade of C or better, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Continuation of JPN 101; course includes drill to increase proficiency in dialogue, intermediate level readings on various topics related to contemporary Japanese life and culture to increase reading proficiency and stimulate cross-cultural awareness, and exercises in written composition utilizing hiragana, katakana and kanji. UC/IND/CSU area C2

JPN 201 – Intermediate Japanese II (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: JPN 200 with a grade of C or better, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Continuation of JPN 200; course includes instruction in the spoken language to increase verbal fluency, a continuation of study of the written language incorporating readings on topics related to Japanese life and culture and exercises in written composition using kiragana, katakana and kanji. Intercultural awareness is emphasized throughout the course. UC/IND/CSU area C2

<sup>\*\*</sup> JPN 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).

<sup>\*\*</sup> JPN 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).

### **Mathematics (MTH)**

All math courses: open to students of any English level

Note on Course Sequencing: Students who place into developmental math courses (MTH 50/60) must complete the appropriate sequence of courses before enrolling into a college-level math course, e.g., MTH 105. Also, students must meet the respective course prerequisites before continuing on into the next course in the math sequence. MTH 50 and 60 are offered for a grade of A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C or No Credit (NC).

**MTH 50 – Elementary Algebra** (3) A course in basic algebra, including a brief review of pre-algebra topics, a study in equation solving, exponents, scientific notation, polynomials, factoring, linear inequalities, word problems, literal equations, rational expressions, complex fractions, radicals, fractional equations and quadratic equations.

MTH 60 – Fundamentals of Algebra (4) Prerequisite: MTH 50 or by placement (see Catalog section on Placement). This course covers graphing linear equations, rational, exponential and logarithmic expressions, fractional exponents, quadratic equations, completing the square, radicals, functions, complex numbers, absolute value equations and inequalities, parabolas, and systems of linear equations.

MTH 105 – College Algebra (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90, or sufficient score on the placement exam. This course includes functions and transformations, systems of equations, matrices and determinants, theory of polynomial equations, complex numbers, study of functions (polynomial, rational and irrational), and their graphs, sequences and series. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2.

MTH 107 – Liberal Arts Mathematics (3) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90, or sufficient score on the placement exam. An elementary introduction to mathematics, emphasizing the deductive process and concepts of contemporary mathematics. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

MTH 109 – Trigonometry (3) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90, or sufficient score on the placement exam. This course introduces circular and trigonometric functions. Topics include graphing, equations, identities, laws of sines and cosines, complex numbers and DeMoivre's theorem. IND/CSU area B4

MTH 110 – Pre-calculus (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 109, or sufficient score on the placement exam. Prior to 2010: MTH 105 with a grade of C or higher, or math placement equivalent. Study of rational functions, conic sections, quadratic inequalities, induction, the Binomial Theorem, trigonometry and vectors. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

MTH 115 – Finite Mathematics (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90, or sufficient score on the placement exam. This course includes the study of functions, logarithmic and exponential functions, systems of linear equations, matrices, linear programming and the simplex method, set theory, the mathematics of finance, elementary probability and combinatorics, Markov chains, and game theory. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

MTH 120 – Calculus for Managerial Life and Social Sciences (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 105, 110 or 115, or sufficient score on the placement exam. A study of calculus to include functions, derivatives, optimization problems, graphs of functions, integration of functions of one variable, functions of several variables, partial derivatives, Lagrange multipliers, double integrals, and application problems that involve concepts from the managerial, life and social sciences. The emphasis is on problem–solving techniques. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

MTH 130 – Calculus I (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 110, or sufficient score on the placement exam. Study of limits, differentiation and integration of algebraic and trigonometric functions, applications of the derivative and the definite integral, and curve sketching. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

MTH 131 – Calculus II (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 130. Differentiation and integration of several transcendental functions, methods of integration, analytic geometry, polar coordinates, parametric equations, indeterminate forms, improper integrals, and infinite series. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

MTH 132 – Calculus III (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 131. Analytic study of vectors, lines, planes, surfaces and curves. This course also studies partial differentiation, multiple integration, Green's Theorem, surface integrals and Stokes' Theorem, UC/IND/CSU

MTH 220 – Differential Equations and Linear Algebra (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 131. Recommended preparation: MTH 132. This course consists of a study of first-order ordinary differential equations, systems of linear equations, matrices, determinants, vector spaces, linear transformations, linear ordinary differential equations having second (or higher) order, Laplace transforms, eigenvalues, eigenvectors, systems of linear differential equations and applications. UC/IND/CSU area B4, IGETC area 2

MTH 270 – Introductory Statistics (4) Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90, or sufficient score on the placement exam. An introductory course in probability and statistics. It includes calculation and analysis of statistical parameters with handheld calculator and with statistical software for personal computers. Topics include sampling, measures of central tendency and variability, probability distribution, normal and binomial distributions, confidence intervals, hypothesis testing. Application of a variety of statistical tests, including the sign test, z-test, t-test, chisquare analysis of variance, linear regression and correlation, and non-parametric

tests. Comparable to ANT/PSY/SOC 235 and BUS 220. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

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** MTH 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).
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# **Mediation & Conflict Resolution (MCR)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent

MCR 501 – Conflict Analysis, Negotiation, and Management (3) Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. An introduction to Mediation and Conflict Resolution studies, with focus on different root causes and perceptions of conflict. Conflict analysis is examined as foundation for successful conflict management and effective action, including prevention, limitation, negotiation, resolution and transformation of conflict situations.

MCR 502 – Mediation Theory & Practice (3) Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. The field of "Mediation" as an Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) is rapidly growing throughout all areas of employment and many professions. There are innumerable ways of incorporating "mediation" principles and techniques into daily practices to enhance productivity, improve interpersonal and international relationships, provides for conflict healing and peace building. This course consists of learning techniques of mediation based in dispute resolution theory, with lectures, small group exercises, and role-playing designed for diverse cultural backgrounds, for students who want to acquire a strong foundation in mediator skills. Course training is highly focused on practice of mediation not only between the disputants and but also between the disputants and a neutral third party.

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** MCR 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> MTH 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).

<sup>\*\*</sup> MCR 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).

## Music (MUS)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

MUS 100 – Music Appreciation (3) ★★★ Basic course for the music or non-music major. Development of perceptive listening skills through an exploration of the parameters of music and a study of the history and literature of music from the Middle Ages to the present. UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area 3

MUS 101 – Music in America (3) ★★★ Basic course for the music or non-music major. Survey of music in the United States with emphasis on folk, country, blues, jazz, rock, musical theatre and popular traditions. UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area 3

MUS 105 – Music Fundamentals (3) ★★★ Beginning music theory course for the general student as well as music major. Covers music terminology, rhythm, pitch, notation, meter, key signatures, scales, chords and keyboard layout. UC/IND/CSU

MUS 112 – History of the American Musical Theatre (3) ★★★ A survey of the history of the American musical theatre will be presented beginning with the influence of the European operetta to the minstrel show of the 19th century through to the present day. UC/IND/CSU area C1

MUS 115- Music Theory & Musicianship I (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: completion of MUS 105 or consent of instructor. Designed for the music major but open to others with consent of instructor. Introduction to basic music theory and musicianship, including terminology, melodic and rhythmic notation, intervals, scales, diatonic harmony, cadences, and the principals of voice leading. Covers the techniques of sight-singing, rhythmic training, melodic dictation, interval and chordal ear-training and keyboard fundamentals. UC/IND/CSU; IGETC area 3

MUS 116 – Music Theory & Musicianship II (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: MUS 115 Designed for the music major but open to others with consent of instructor. Continuation of MUS 115. Diatonic harmony, including nonharmonic tones, basic modulations and dominant seventh chords. Ear-training with compound rhythms, chromatic harmony, minor scales and triads in all inversions. UC/IND/CSU; IGETC area 3

MUS 155 – Choral Ensemble (1) ★ Open by audition or with the consent of the instructor. Rehearsal and performance of music of all periods of music history as well as pop literature. May be taken for four semesters of credit. UC/IND/CSU

- MUS 164 Jazz Ensemble (1) ★ This course is designed to give the student the experience of participating and performing in a jazz ensemble. The ensemble will perform literature from a variety of jazz genres and will learn historically relevant facts about jazz and jazz artists. Improvisation will be taught and explored by the ensemble players. UC/IND/CSU
- MUS 165 Applied Music I (1-2)  $\star\star\star$  First semester of private applied lessons. Fifteen private lessons per semester on an instrument, voice or composition. Open to all students regardless of experience. One half-hour lesson per week earns one unit credit; one one-hour lesson per week earns two units. A = Piano B = Voice, C = Guitar, D = Strings, E = Winds. \$150.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU
- MUS 166 Applied Music II (1-2) ★★★ Prerequisite: MUS 165. Second semester of private applied lessons. Fifteen private lessons per semester on an instrument, voice or composition. One half-hour lesson per week earns one unit credit; one one-hour lesson per week earns two units. Music Performance Emphasis majors are recommended to take one-hour lessons for 2 units. A = Piano, B = Voice, C = Guitar, D = Strings, E = Winds. \$150.00 lab fee required. Articulation pending.
- MUS 185 Backstage with the Arts (2-3) ★★★ Theoretical and practical aspects of visual and performing arts through a combination of lecture, discussion, and media presentations, and the direct experience of exhibits and performances. (Same as ART/ID/THE 185) IND/CSU
- MUS 210 The Music Business (3)  $\star\star\star\star\star$  This course surveys the music business with emphasis on distribution of recorded music, music publishing, performance right societies, record companies, agents, personal managers and contracts. Articulation pending.
- MUS 215 Music Theory & Musicianship III: Form and Analysis (4) ★★★ Prerequisite MUS 116. Continuation of MUS 116; Combines the study of chromatic harmony, voice leading and aural skills with the fundamental analysis of scores to determine the unity of form and content in selected compositions. Articulation pending.
- MUS 265 Applied Music III (1-2) ★★★ Prerequisite MUS 166. Third semester of private applied lessons. Fifteen private lessons per semester on an instrument, voice or composition. One half-hour lesson per week earns one unit credit; one one-hour lesson per week earns two units. Music Performance Emphasis majors are recommended to take one-hour lessons for 2 units. A = Piano, B = Voice, C = Guitar, D = Strings, E = Winds. \$150.00 lab fee required. Articulation pending.
- MUS 266 Applied Music IV (1-2) ★★★ Prerequisite: MUS 265. Fourth semester of private applied lessons. Fifteen private lessons per semester on an instrument, voice or composition. One half-hour lesson per week earns one unit credit; one one-hour lesson per week earns two units. Music Performance Emphasis majors are

recommended to take one-hour lessons for 2 units. . A = Piano, B = Voice, C = Guitar, D = Strings, E = Winds. \$150.00 lab fee required. Articulation pending.

MUS 301 - Social History of Popular Music (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Junior or Senior standing. This course will study popular music in the United States, with some focus on other influential countries, in order to understand significant social, economic and cultural transformations during the 20th and 21st centuries. Emphasis on tracing important developments through popular music in technology, business, social life, and popular cultures as well as discussion on its affects towards socioeconomic issues.

MUS 310 – Roots, Folk and World Music (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: One behavioral/social science course. A cross-cultural survey of indigenous, traditional, and "world" music genres. The course emphasizes the varying socio-cultural contexts of music—who performs, for whom, at what times and places, with what message or purpose. The course will also discuss essential features of music, such as rhythm, melody, harmony, and instrumentation. (Same as ANT 310)

MUS 365 Applied Music V (1-2)  $\star\star\star\star\star\star$  Prerequisite: Junior or Senior standing; Prerequisite MUS 266. Fifth semester of private applied lessons. Fifteen private lessons per semester on an instrument, voice or composition. One half-hour lesson per week earns one unit credit; one one-hour lesson per week earns two units. Music Performance Emphasis majors are recommended to take one-hour lessons for 2 units. A = Piano, B = Voice, C = Guitar, D = Strings, E = Winds. \$150.00 lab fee required.

MUS 366 Applied Music VI (1-2) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: Junior or Senior standing; MUS 365. Sixth semester of private applied lessons. Fifteen private lessons per semester on an instrument, voice or composition. One half-hour lesson per week earns one unit credit; one one-hour lesson per week earns two units. Music Performance Emphasis majors are recommended to take one-hour lessons for 2 units. A = Piano, B = Voice, C = Guitar, D = Strings, E = Winds. \$150.00 lab fee required.

MUS 410 - Music in Film, TV and Multi Media (3) ★★★★★★ Prerequisite: Junior or Senior standing. This course examines music in film, television, and media such as video games for expressive purposes. Focuses on fundamental music sound design and film concepts including terminology and historical survey.

#### MUS 450 - The Art of Music Performance & Pedagogy (3) ★★★★★

Prerequisite: Junior or Senior standing. Combines the study of the art of successful music practice, performance skills, and music pedagogical techniques. Students will research, develop, and engage in such activities and topics as technique building, musicianship, collaborative performing skills, and stage presence from both a practical and pedagogical perspective.

MUS 465 Applied Music VII (1-2)  $\star\star\star\star\star\star$  Prerequisite: Junior or Senior standing; MUS 366. Sixth semester of private applied lessons. Fifteen private lessons per semester on an instrument, voice or composition. One half-hour lesson per week earns one unit credit; one one-hour lesson per week earns two units. Music Performance Emphasis majors are recommended to take one-hour lessons for 2 units. A = Piano, B = Voice, C = Guitar, D = Strings, E = Winds. \$150.00 lab fee required.

MUS 466 Applied Music VIII (1-2)  $\star\star\star\star\star\star$  Prerequisite: Junior or Senior standing; MUS 465. Eighth semester of private applied lessons. Fifteen private lessons per semester on an instrument, voice or composition. One half-hour lesson per week earns one unit credit; one one-hour lesson per week earns two units. Music Performance Emphasis majors are recommended to take one-hour lessons for 2 units. A = Piano, B = Voice, C = Guitar, D = Strings, E = Winds. \$150.00 lab fee required.

- \*\* MUS 290, 390, 490 Selected Topics (1-3).
- \*\* MUS 295, 395, 495 Independent Study (1-12).

### Philosophy (PHI)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent

**PHI 100 – Contemporary Moral Issues** (3) ★★★ A critical examination of controversial moral problems confronting contemporary society. Topics may include: abortion, capital punishment, environmental ethics, sexual morality, euthanasia, affluence and poverty, business ethics, censorship, gun control, discrimination, nuclear war, and genetic engineering. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**PHI 110 – Ethics** (3) ★★★★ Concerned with the justification for how/why we treat each other and the environment. The focus is on the question of the good life, the development of moral character, the relative merits of ethical principles, and the ethical assumptions of the student and of modern society. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

PHI 120 – Introduction to Philosophy: History of Philosophy (3) ★★★★
Selected major philosophies from the four great historical periods and their
developmental influences into the 21st century. Ancient Philosophy (Buddha,
Confucius, Socrates, Plato, Aristotle); Medieval Philosophy (St. Augustine, St.
Thomas Aquinas); Modern Philosophy (Descartes, Locke, Berkeley, Hume, Kant);
Contemporary Philosophy (James, Ayer, Wittgenstein, Sartre, 20th Century Science).
UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

- PHI 121 Introduction to Philosophy: Issues of Philosophy (3) ★★★★ Several important topics in philosophic thought: Appearance vs. Reality, Knowledge vs. Skepticism, Freedom vs. Determinism, God vs. Naturalism, Mind-Body Relationship, Self-Identity, Justice and the State, Pluralism and the Common Good, Ethics and the Good Life. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- PHI 130 Logic Critical Thinking (3) ★★★★ A foundation course in formal and informal logic. Topics include the functions and forms of language, symbolizing ordinary language, deductive logic, inductive logic, informal fallacies, and the scientific method. Emphasis is on appreciating the value of sound/cogent reasoning and unambiguous communication. UC/IND/CSU area A3
- **PHI 145 Philosophy of Religion** (3) ★★★★ A study of issues raised by religious faith: proofs for existence of God, the problem of evil, atheism, free will, existence/immortality of the soul, and why there are so many religions. UC/IND/CSU area C2
- PHI 150 Human Nature and Values (3) ★★★★ The major ideologies and philosophies defining the meaning of human nature and their consequent values and philosophies of life: Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism and Christianity; the teachings of Plato, Aristotle, Aquinas, Descartes, Darwin, Huxley, Marx, Freud, Skinner and Sartre; scientific reductionism; cybernetics. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- PHI 220H Introduction to Philosophy: Honors Philosophy (3) ★★★
  Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. This course is an intensified, introductory examination of the major figures and major issues in the history of philosophy. The central theme of the course is "meaning and the human condition." Emphasis is placed upon articulation of primary source readings, research and critical thinking. Readings will include works that address the perennial philosophical questions from metaphysics (what is real?), epistemology (what can we know?), and ethics (character and what ought we to do?). UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- PHI 240 Business Ethics: Theories, Values and Case Studies (3) ★★★★ This course critically analyses the essential role of ethics in the American-Global business community. Topics for analysis include: the current ethical conditions in the business community; defining business; defining ethics; the necessary connection between business and ethics; the purpose/s of work; fair profits and wages; capitalism and its critics; global business practices; power and justice; corporate and employee responsibilities; business, sustainability, and the environment; ethics and global business relations. (Same as BUS 240, replacing PHI 140) UC/IND/CSU
- **PHI 305 Philosophy of Art-Aesthetics** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Philosophy course. Introduces the student to the basic philosophical questions about art: what is the nature of art and artistic endeavor? How do we discern the difference between art and non-art? What, if anything,

makes good art different from bad art? What role ought art to play in human life? The course involves a study of key concepts involved in the artistic endeavor: taste, beauty, imagination, creativity, representation, expression, and metaphor.

PHI 310 - Philosophy of Film (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Philosophy course. Introduces students to the basic contemporary philosophical questions about film: what is the nature of art and artistic endeavor? What is film and how does film fit into this picture? What, if anything, makes good film different from bad film? What role ought the cinema play in human life and society? The main theories developed in contemporary philosophy of film are presented and rigorously analyzed through conceptual analysis and case studies.

#### PHI 315 - Ethics in America: the Pursuit of Happiness (3) ★★★★★

Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Philosophy course. Recommended: one lower division American History or Economics course. The Declaration of Independence defined "The American Dream" as "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." This search defines us as a people. References to "happiness" are everywhere: advertisements promise to help consumers attain it, musicians sing about it, politicians invoke it in an effort to gain public support. But what is it? In this course, we will explore interpretations of American understandings of happiness in shaping the national moral character, and critically examine the ethical choices people have made and do make "to be happy."

PHI 320 – American Philosophy (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Philosophy course. A critical examination of the most influential ideas in United States history that have contributed to the development of a distinctive American Philosophy and so, an American Way of Life. Philosophers and ideas to be considered include: Edwards/Puritanism; Jefferson/American Government; Emerson/Thoreau: Transcendentalism; Pierce/James: Pragmatism; Dewey/Experimentalism; Whitehead/Process Philosophy; Quine/Scientific Empiricism; Searle/Analytic-Linguistic Philosophy.

PHI 330 - Postmodernism (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Philosophy course. A critical examination of the people and ideas that have shaped the development of a distinctive emerging postmodern philosophy and the movement's influence on American and Global thought. The course will also contrast the features of modern thought with more traditional philosophy. Philosophers and ideas to be considered include: Descartes, Derrida, de Certeau, Foucault, Lyotard, Post-Structuralism, Deconstructionism and Social Constructions.

PHI 360 – Philosophy of Psychology (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Philosophy course. The course considers the nature and purpose of the academic discipline of Psychology and the philosophical questions to which the discipline gives rise. These include: the relationship between perception and reality, the nature of consciousness and personal identity, the validity of psychological methodologies, the relationship of traditional philosophical

psychology and the modern discipline of psychology, professional psychological ethics.

PHI 380 - Biomedical Ethics (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Philosophy course. Recommended preparation: lower division Science class. This course is an introduction to biomedical ethics. The first part of the course provides an introduction to basic ethical theory, which is intended to serve as a background aid for thinking through the particular issues discussed in the remainder of the course. Specific topics to be discussed include confidentiality and truth-telling in the doctor/patient relationship, medical experimentation and informed consent, abortion, treatment decisions for seriously ill infants, physician assisted suicide, and health care reform.

**PHI 385 - Philosophy of Science** (3) \*\*\*\*\* Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Philosophy course. Studies the nature of science: its assumptions, practices, concepts and argument forms. Topics include: the nature of science vs. non-science, the nature of scientific explanation and theory, the nature of scientific progress and the role of theory in scientific progress and research, ethical principles in research, and the relationship of science to other fields of knowledge.

- \*\* PHI 290, 390, 490 Selected Topics (1-3).
- \*\* PHI 295, 395, 495 Independent Study (1-12). Prerequisite: Two courses in Philosophy with a grade of B or better in each course.

## **Physical Education (PED)**

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
*****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

#### **AQUATICS**

**PED 100 – Beginning Swimming** (1) ★ Students will learn proper breathing and stroke techniques for freestyle, breaststroke, backstroke and elementary backstroke with emphasis on safety, technique and conditioning. UC/IND/CSU area E

**PED 101 – Intermediate/Advanced Swimming** (1) ★ Course includes strokework on the following: freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, and butterfly with emphasis on conditioning. Students must have some swimming ability. UC/IND/CSU area E

**PED 104 – Lifeguard Training** (1) ★ Development of skills needed to become a lifeguard. Emergency rescue and resuscitations related to aquatics. Students must have at least intermediate swimming ability. Red Cross Lifeguard Training card will be issued upon successful completion of this course. This course fulfills either Physical Education or Health Education requirement. UC/IND/CSU area E

**PED 149 – Surfing** (1) ★ This course is designed for students who are proficient in basic surfing skills. Students will work to improve overall conditioning and technique, learn safety skills and enhance relationship skills with other ocean athletes. Class will meet at Torrance Beach. UC/IND/CSU area E

#### TEAM SPORTS

**PED 121 – Basketball** (1) ★ Development of fundamental skills, history, rules and strategies of the game. Open to players of all levels. UC/IND/CSU area E

**PED 122 – Soccer** (1) ★ Development of basic soccer skills, including passing, dribbling, trapping and shooting. Emphasis on strategies and game play. Open to players of all levels. UC/IND/CSU area E

**PED 124 – Softball** (1) ★ Instruction in batting and fielding with emphasis on game play and rules. Open to players of all levels. UC/IND/CSU area E

**PED 125 – Volleyball** (1) ★ Development of basic skills, including serve, pass, set and spike. An emphasis on game play, rules and strategy. Open to players of all levels, UC/IND/CSU area E

- **PED 126 Flag Football** (1) ★ This course is designed for students to learn the strategies, fundamentals and rules of flag football. Instruction will focus on offensive and defensive skills and execution. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 128 Lacrosse** (1) ★ Instruction, practice, conditioning and strategies in the game of Lacrosse. UC/IND/CSU area E

#### INDIVIDUAL SPORTS

- **PED 141 Beginning Tennis** (1) ★ Development of beginning level skills, including groundstrokes, serve, volley, overhead and lob. Instruction in history, rules, etiquette, terms and basic strategies of the game. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 142 Intermediate Tennis** (1) ★ Prerequisite: Minimum of B in Beginning Tennis or with instructor's permission. Development of intermediate level skills, including topspin and slice groundstrokes, serving techniques, net play, and strategies. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 143 Advanced Tennis** (1) ★ Prerequisite: Minimum of B in Intermediate Tennis or with instructor's permission. Development of advanced skills, including approach shots, topspin and slice lobs, overhead, and strategies. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 144 Jogging** (1) ★ Development of running skills and cardiovascular fitness. Open to runners of all levels. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 146 Golf** (1) ★ Development of golf skills including basic swing and approach shots. Course concentrates on proper use of clubs; history, course etiquette, rules, terms and basic strategies. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 147 Self Defense** (1) ★ Instruction in the basics of self defense and how to be prepared physically and mentally for an emergency situation. Course concentrates on basic kicks, blocks and punches as well as escape from front and back attacks. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 148 Yoga** (1) ★ An overview course in yoga with instruction on alignment of postures. Students will improve flexibility, muscle tone and general well–being and learn deep–breathing stress reduction techniques. Open to students of all fitness levels. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 150 Samurai Swordsmanship** (1) ★ Techniques from classical samurai sword arts Kenjutsu and Batto-ho. Students will practice with the bokken (wooden samurai sword) to learn solo techniques, two-person forms, samurai etiquette and philosophy. Traditional sword techniques will be combined with unarmed techniques to improve agility, coordination, personal security awareness, muscle tone, and reflexes. Students will learn Japanese language terms as they apply to the practice of these arts, UC/IND/CSU area E

#### DANCE

- **PED 160 Introduction to Dance Forms I** (1) ★ An introduction to dance including jazz, ballet, modern and contemporary dance. Open to dancers of all levels. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 161 Introduction to Dance Forms II** (1) ★ Prerequisite: Minimum of B in Introduction to Dance Forms I or with instructor's permission. Continuation of Introduction to Dance Forms I with an emphasis on jazz and composition dance. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 162 Beginning Step Aerobics** (1) ★ This step class focuses on a cardiovascular workout, plus added benefits of muscle conditioning, yoga and basic health information. Open to students of all fitness levels. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 163 Power Step Workout** (1) ★ An advanced step exercise workout designed to build cardiovascular fitness. Included in course–muscle conditioning, yoga and basic health information. UC/IND/CSU area E

#### FITNESS FOR LIFE

**PED 170 – Fitness for Life** (1-2) ★★★ Fitness for Life is a combination of physical assessments, classroom lectures, daily walking and physical activities to promote optimal wellness. (Same as HED 170) IND/CSU area E

#### INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

- **PED 182 Women's Tennis** (1-2) ★ Prerequisite: Instructor's approval. Instruction and competition in the advanced skills of the game. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 183 Men's Tennis** (1-2) ★ Prerequisite: Instructor's approval. Instruction and competition in the advanced skills of the game. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 184 Women's Intercollegiate Soccer** (1-2) ★ Prerequisite: consent of instructor. Instruction, practice, conditioning and strategies in the advanced skills of the game. Course includes competition in the NAIA conference. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 185 Men's Intercollegiate Soccer** (1-2) ★ Prerequisite: consent of instructor. Instruction, practice, conditioning and strategies in the advanced skills of the game. Course includes competition in the NAIA conference. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 186 Intercollegiate Golf** (1-2) ★ In this course, students will continue to develop their golfing skills while competing at the intercollegiate level. Additionally, the objectives of this course include mastering the rules of golf and golfing etiquette. UC/IND/CSU area E

- **PED 188 –Women's Intercollegiate Cross Country** (1-2) ★ Prerequisite: approval of coach. Intercollegiate cross country participation. Learning the rules and regulations of intercollegiate cross country and the training techniques and theory of running cross country. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 189 –Men's Intercollegiate Cross Country** (1-2) ★ Prerequisite: approval of coach. Intercollegiate cross country participation. Learning the rules and regulations of intercollegiate cross country and the training techniques and theory of running cross country. UC/IND/CSU area E
- **PED 190 Women's Intercollegiate Track & Field (1-2)** ★ Prerequisite: consent of coach Intercollegiate Track & Field participation required. Learning the rules and regulations of intercollegiate track & field and the training techniques and theories of competing in intercollegiate track & field. Articulation pending.
- **PED 191 Men's Intercollegiate Track & Field (1-2)** ★ Prerequisite: consent of coach Intercollegiate Track & Field participation required. Learning the rules and regulations of intercollegiate track & field and the training techniques and theories of competing in intercollegiate track & field. Articulation pending.
- \*\* PED 290, 390, 490 Selected Topics (1-3).
- \*\* PED 295, 395, 495 Independent Study (1-12).

#### **Political Science (POL)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent

★★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent ★★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

**POL 100 – American Institutions** (3) ★★★★ Studies the philosophical foundations, structures and functioning of the US political system, both at a Federal and State level, with special attention to the State of California. UC/IND/CSU area D8, F: IGETC area 4

**POL 110 – Introduction to Political Science** (3) ★★★★ Basic concepts of political science and contemporary political analysis. This course considers the major terms, concepts, functions and institutions related to the processes of politics. UC/IND/CSU area D8; IGETC area 4

**POL 220 – Comparative Government** (3) ★★★★ Government institutions, constitutional principles and political problems in a selected variety of major national states – including modern France, Great Britain, the former Soviet Union and Germany. UC/IND/CSU area D8; IGETC area 4

**POL 240 – Introduction to International Relations** (3) ★★★★ This course develops critical thinking skills through observation, analysis and evaluation of competing theories concerning international politics and the specific challenges facing decision-makers. Topics include international conflict and cooperation, economic development, and global environmentalism. UC/IND/CSU area D8; IGETC area 4

**POL 310 - Demography** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: At least one course each in behavioral/social science, history, and statistics (with consent of the instructor, statistics may be a corequisite) An overview of the field of demography and its relevance in today's world. After introducing basic concepts and methods in demography, the course surveys applications of demographic tools and data at local, state, national, and international scales, with an emphasis on their value in addressing current needs and future planning. (Same as SOC 310)

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** POL 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> POL 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).

## Psychology (PSY)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level

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 Placement in ENG 104 or higher
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 Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
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PSY 123 – Psychobiology: Mind, Brain and Behavior (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150. This course is designed to integrate psychological and biological approaches to explaining human consciousness and behavior. The interrelationship between mental experiences and the brain's neurochemical activities will be explored with respect to the following topics: sensation and perception; cognition; drives; emotions; social behavior; altered states of consciousness; mental health and mental illness. (Same as Interdisciplinary 123) UC/IND/CSU area B2, D7, D9; IGETC areas 4, 5

PSY 123H – Psychobiology: Mind, Brain and Behavior - Honors (3) ★★★
Prerequisite: PSY 150/H, 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. This course is designed to integrate psychological and biological approaches to explaining human consciousness and behavior. The interrelationship between mental experience and the brain's neurochemical activities will be explored with respect to the following topics: sensation and perception; cognition; drives; emotion; social behavior; altered states of consciousness; mental health and mental illness. The course will also offer many opportunities to analyze the most current research in this area. (Same as ID 123) UC/ IND/CSU areas B2, D7, D9; IGETC areas 4, 5

**PSY 150 – General Psychology** (3) ★★★★ Survey of various fields within the discipline of psychology, such as perception, memory and personality, and how each of these fields contributes to understanding and improving human behavior. UC/IND/CSU area D9: IGETC area 4

**PSY 150H – General Psychology – Honors** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. Survey of various fields within the discipline of psychology, such as perception, memory and personality, and how each of these fields contributes to understanding and improving human behavior. UC/IND/CSU area D9; IGETC area 4

**PSY 200 – Child Psychology** (3) ★★★★ A study of the social, emotional, physical and cognitive growth of child's development at the prenatal, infancy, preschool and school-age levels. (Same as EDU 220) UC/IND/CSU area D9; IGETC area 4

**PSY 205 – Child and Adolescent Development** (3) ★★★ This course is designed to explore major concepts, theories, issues, research findings, and application in the field of child and adolescent development, ranging from conception through adolescence. UC/IND/CSU area D9; IGETC area 4

- **PSY 210 Adult Development and Aging** (3) ★★★★ This course is a multidisciplinary exploration of the biological, psychological, and social domains of the lives of adults. Includes theoretical perspectives on changes in the adult experience beginning in the second decade of life. UC/IND/CSU area D7; IGETC area 4
- **PSY 220 Human Life-Span Development** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106, PSY 150/150H. This course investigates major concepts, issues and methods in the study of human development, from conception through death, with emphasis on the following aspects of development: physical, perceptual, cognitive, language, moral, personality (social and emotional) and atypical. UC/IND/CSU area D9, E; IGETC area 4
- **PSY 222 -Psychology of Gender** (3) ★★★★ This course examines the biological and social context in which women and men express gendered behaviors. Research and scholarship provide the material for a critical review and an overall picture of gender from a psychological perspective, while emphasizing cross-cultural and diversity perspectives of gender. UC/IND/CSU area D4 and D9, E; IGETC area 4
- **PSY 228 Abnormal Psychology** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: Completion of PSY 150/150H. This course investigates major psychological disorders, treatment modalities, and various theories of psychopathology. Emphasis is placed on diagnosis, treatment and prevention. UC/IND/CSU area D4, 9; IGETC area 4
- **PSY 230 Drug Use and Abuse** (3) ★★★ Investigation of the myths and realities of drug use and abuse. Legal and illegal drugs in terms of their physical and psychological effects; uses and values; health risks; incidence and frequency of use; causes, treatment and prevention of abuse. Drugs and sexuality, athletics/sports, drug-free altered states of consciousness. Fulfills Health Education requirement. IND/CSU area E
- PSY 235 Introduction to Statistics for the Study of Behavior (4) ★★★
  Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90. Application of descriptive and inferential statistical techniques for summarizing research data in the behavioral sciences; including levels of measurement, frequency distributions, central tendency, variability, normal distributions, Central Limit Theorem, and applications of a variety of statistical tests. (Same as ANT/SOC 235). Comparable to BUS 220 and MTH 270. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2
- PSY 240 Research Methods for the Study of Behavior (3) ★★★
  Prerequisite: C or higher in PSY 235 or MTH 270. An introduction to scientific inquiry and research in the social sciences, including experimental and non-experimental designs. Includes data collection strategies, hypothesis testing, analyzing tests of measurement, and use of computer aids. (Same as ANT/SOC 240.) UC/IND/CSU

For students planning to major in the behavioral/social sciences, Statistics is the first component of a recommended two-course sequence and should be followed by ANT/PSY/SOC 240.

- PSY 280 Intercultural Psychology (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106, PSY 150/150H. This course introduces theories, concepts and research methods employed in studying behavior in the intercultural context, variables influencing human interaction, and basic knowledge concerning cultural issues. This course facilitates students' development of observational and analytical skills regarding intercultural interaction. UC/IND/CSU area D9; IGETC area 4
- **PSY 310 Positive Psychology** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H This course focuses on the psychological aspects of a fulfilling and flourishing life. Topics include change, goal-setting, focus, self-esteem, happiness, empathy, friendship, love, creativity, achievement, mindfulness, spirituality, and good-natured humor.
- PSY 325 Organizational Behavior (3) ★★★★★ A study of performance, behavior and group formation as it impacts organizational effectiveness. Students examine the social, psychological and theoretical factors that influence the management of groups and individuals in work settings. Topics include leadership, communication, power, organizational culture and politics. (Same as BUS 325)
- **PSY 328 Personality Theory** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisites: PSY 150/150H or consent of instructor. This course explores the question "How do humans get to be the way they are?" This course provides an overview of current theories of the structure, dynamics, and development of human personality and personality traits. It also explores the assumptions about human nature that underlie the various major theories of personality through the works of Freud, Jung, Maslow, Rogers, Watson and other historical and modern major theorists and models.
- **PSY 330 Forensic Psychology** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H An introduction to the field of forensic psychology. Surveys the interface between psychology and the law. Emphasis is placed on ethics in psychology, criminal personalities, profiling and mental health services provided correctional inmates.
- **PSY 335 Physiological Psychology** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H Study of the neurological and physiological foundations of behavior. Includes an introduction to functional neuroanatomy, as well as detailed study of the physiological bases of sensation, perception, emotion, motivation, learning, and higher mental functions.
- **PSY 336 Learning Theory** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H Introduction to principles of learning through discussions of early and contemporary learning theory. Application of principles in educational and therapeutic settings is also examined.

**PSY 337 - Cognitive Processes** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H This course discusses the higher mental functions such as memory, thinking, language, and problem solving through examination of contemporary research in the field.

**PSY 340 – Foundations of Counseling** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H. This course is an introduction to counseling theory and practice. Psychological theories, techniques and processes are studied. The course also focuses on ethics, legal issues and contemporary trends.

PSY 345 – Social Psychology (3) ★★★★ Prerequisites: Completion of PSY 150/150H or SOC 100/100H or consent of instructor. Recommended course: ANT/ PSY/SOC 240 Concerned with understanding how an individual's behavior, thoughts and feelings are affected or influenced by the presence, characteristics and actions of other people. Focuses on social interaction – describing, understanding and explaining interpersonal behavior.

PSY 348 – Writing for the Social & Behavioral Sciences (3) ★★★★★
Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H Provides a solid foundation for writing in APA style, communicating research findings, and improving upon basic writing skills. Students will write documents to communicate information from scientific literature in the social and behavioral sciences and will learn to write in a variety of formats (e.g., abstracts, poster presentations, journal-style manuscripts). This course is intended for declared psychology majors. Students who have not yet declared their major or who have declared a major other than psychology may register on a case-by-case basis in consultation with the psychology program director.

**PSY 350 - Junior Seminar in Psychology** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H and junior status. This course is intended to provide psychology majors with resources in career planning toward specific post-graduation goals of either seeking psychology-related employment, or applying for graduate school. The course is designed to facilitate preparation for senior year and the capstone experience, a practicum placement at a psychology-related site (if applicable), and the establishment of a successful work identity and goals. This course is intended only for declared psychology majors.

PSY 370 - Psychology of Health and Wellness (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H This course will explore the contributions of psychology to our understanding of health and illness. We will explore the relationship between psychological factors and the development of illnesses; the role that social, emotional, and behavioral factors play in the prevention of illness and the maintenance of a healthy lifestyle; and we will examine how psychologists can assist in the management of chronic and terminal illnesses. We will also take a critical look at the current state of our healthcare system.

**PSY 380 – Applied Intercultural Psychology** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisites: PSY 150/150H and PSY 280. This course focuses on the application of intercultural

psychology to improve the well-being of people in a variety of settings. It discusses theories and concepts related to variables influencing human interaction and basic knowledge concerning intercultural interaction, cultural issues, and social justice.

- **PSY 385 Psychology's Perspective of the Arts** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisites: PSY 150/150H. This course focuses on the psychological study of the mental processes and universal and culture-specific behavior involved in the creation and appreciation of art, including perception, symbols, emotions, and creativity.
- **PSY 400 Community Psychology (3)** ★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H. An introduction to the field of community psychology. Discussion of theoretical and political roots, research approaches, and models of prevention and intervention to promote human well-being. Social issues will be addressed.
- **PSY 410 Motivation and Emotion** (3)  $\star\star\star\star\star\star$  Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H. Study of needs, feelings, desires and purposes that arouse and direct human behavior.
- **PSY 415 Tests and Measurements** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H and PSY 235. This course will expose the student to psychological and educational tests, their validity, reliability, scale transformations, norms, and standardization. We will also explore administration, uses, and interpretation of various instruments of assessment.
- **PSY 430 Psychology's Perspective of Film** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H. This course focuses on the psychological study of mental processes and universal and culture-specific behavior involved in the creation and appreciation of film, including perception, emotion, genres, and cinema-therapy.
- **PSY 440 Psychology's Perspective on Literature** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H. Psychological study of the interplay of the personality and personal history of author and reader along with the relationship of social psychological concepts to literature.
- **PSY 450 Psychology of Place** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H. Studies sense of place based in social psychology and shows importance of symbolic meanings related to place satisfaction (attitude toward a setting) and attachment (personal identification with setting) and behavior.
- **PSY 460 The Psychology of Creativity** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H. Psychological study of creativity at the individual and group level and ways in which creativity is encouraged or discouraged. Discussion of the traits of creative individuals and self-exploration.
- **PSY 470 Sports Psychology** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: PSY 150/150H. This course will cover various psychological principles associated with sport. Exploration of which psychological variables can hinder athletic performance and which

variables can enhance performance. Introduction to psychological techniques that can enhance sport performance.

PSY 497 - Psychology Capstone I (3) \*\*\*\*\* Prerequisite: C or higher in PSY 235 and PSY 240, senior standing, and approval of Psychology Chair. This course is the first of two capstone courses (PSY 497 & 498) that mentor and facilitate the student's year-long senior project that will demonstrate their mastery of the Psychology Program Learning Objectives and their ability to plan, execute, and deliver an original project. At a minimum, this course will include the front-end activities of the senior capstone project: defining the scope of the project, selection of a mentor, converting the defined project into an executable project plan including tasks and a timeline, presenting the scope and plan for approval, and beginning the execution of the plan. The second course (PSY 498) is focused on completing the execution, report preparation, and presentation of the project.

PSY 498 - Psychology Capstone II (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in PSY 497, and Chair approval. This course is the second of two capstone courses that mentor and facilitate the student's year-long senior project that will demonstrate their mastery of the Psychology Program Learning Objectives and their ability to plan, execute, and deliver an original project. This course is a continuation of the activities begun in PSY 497 and includes: completing the execution of the plan, data entry, data analysis, preparation of the written report, and presentation of the project.

**PSY 540 – Research Methods and Assessment (4)** Prerequisites: Graduate or Senior standing, plus completion of an undergraduate statistics course from a regionally accredited institution. This course is intended to prepare graduate students to assess, plan, and conduct community-based research. Students from several disciplines will share perspectives, develop skills, and explore ways to effectively respond to community needs via research. Students will learn to enlist community partners as researchers to develop a research plan, collect, analyze, and disseminate data to appropriate audiences.

**PSY 600-** Community Intervention and Social Change (3) Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. This course will examine concepts, values, theories, strategies, and tactics of community intervention and social change. Interventions will be studied in terms of both their theoretical roots and implications or practical considerations. Specific intervention strategies considered will include community organizing, alternative settings, mutual help, and advocacy.

**PSY 610 - Psychological Science and Public Policy (3)** Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. This course will explore the use of public policy to influence social change. To this end, students will survey major areas of basic and applied psychology. Applied research aims to improve individual and community wellbeing, and basic research will be used to support these aims. Students will select a current social issue and collate relevant research to support a policy position.

**PSY 630 - Prevention Science (3)** Prerequisite: Graduate or senior standing. This course will discuss the history of the field of prevention, basic concepts, conceptual models, and approaches. Applications regarding specific social problems and social settings will be investigated. This course will allow students to critically evaluate prevention programs in the community. Further, it is anticipated that students will become well-equipped to design a prevention plan that holds promise for enhancing individual and/or community well-being.

**PSY 640- Organizational Development & Consultation (3)** Prerequisite: Graduate or senior standing. This course will explore the consulting role within organizations. Ethics, skills, and techniques of action research and organizational development will be discussed. Further, the process of organizational and group behavior and learning will be explored.

**PSY 650- Human Diversity & Cultural Competence (3)** Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing. This course will provide a foundation of knowledge for effective research and practice with diverse individuals and groups. Diverse backgrounds, worldviews, and traditions will be explored based on race, ethnicity, class, religion, gender, ability, sexuality, and age. We will also explore how elements of the social structure construct have led to systems of oppression and privilege.

**PSY 660 - Program Evaluation (3)** Prerequisite: Graduate or Senior standing, plus completion of PSY 540. This course will familiarize students with different types of program evaluation. Students will explore needs assessments, and process and outcome evaluation. Students will investigate conceptual frameworks and develop indicators and an evaluation plan to measure aspects of social programs. Discussion of the strengths and limitations of numerous study designs will allow students to plan and execute effective assessments of community programs.

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** PSY 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> PSY 291, 391, 491, 591 - Internship (12).

<sup>\*\*</sup> PSY 295, 395, 495, 595 - Independent Study (1-12).

<sup>\*\*</sup> PSY 296, 396, 496, 596 - Practicum (1-6).

# **Religious Studies (REL)**

*	Open to students of any ESL/English level
**	Placement in ENG 104 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 108 or higher
***	Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
****	Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
*****	Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

**REL 102 – Roots of Western Religious Literature I** (3) ★★★ The literature of ancient Hebrew civilization and of the early Christian movement, as preserved in the Bible, from a culture very different from our own. The course aims to capture a sense of what this literature meant to the people of its time by studying its historical, cultural and literary background. This provides depth and perspective for a student's personal interpretation of the Bible. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**REL 103 – Roots of Western Religious Literature II** (3) ★★★ The literature of the early Christian movement, as preserved in the New Testament of the Bible, in a culture very different from our own. The course aims at reading this literature through the eyes of key persons of that time. The student will thus obtain a fresh perspective that will provide context and enrichment for personal reading of scripture literature. UC/IND/CSU area C2: IGETC area 3

**REL 110 – Survey of Religious Symbol** (3) ★★★ An introductory survey of the Orthodox, Catholic and Protestant belief in God and the development of the meaning of the word "person" that follows from this common belief. CSU/IND

**REL 120 – Introduction to Catholic Thought** (3) ★★★★ Students will examine various themes in Catholic theology and how they relate to perennial human questions and aspirations. Theology can be understood as reflection upon faith experience, which in turn leads to the formulation of structures of belief. Students will gain an appreciation of the Catholic understanding of the human person, approach to revelation and mystery, and contribution to moral reasoning. In this conversation with the Catholic tradition, students will explore their own approach to foundational spiritual and ethical questions. IND/CSU

**REL 125 – Introduction to Religious Studies** (3) ★★★ A study of the common elements of religion throughout the ages. Topics include: study of origins of religion; myth; concepts of God; role of worship, prayer and symbolism; religious language; the place of revelation and morality; and the relationship of religion to science. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

**REL 130 – World Religions** (3) ★★★ Introduction to the history, literature and thought patterns of the major religions of the world. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3

- **REL 130H World Religions: Honors** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. Introduction to the history, literature and thought patterns of the major religions of the world with special emphasis on the reading of primary texts from the great religious traditions. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- **REL 142 Religion in America I** (3) ★★★★ A study of the origins/importance of religion in America from pre-European contact to Civil War. Topics include: Native American religions, colonial powers, interaction with natives, Revolutionary and Federalist period, religious movement, utopian communities, rise of abolition and fight against slavery and religion and civil war.(Same as ID 142) UC/IND/CSU area 2, IGETC area 3
- **REL 144 Religion in America II** (3) ★★★★ This course is an introductory study of American religious history from the end of the Civil War to the present time. Topics include the study of major events and persons in the primary religious traditions of America as well as an examination of the growing religious pluralism and religious diversity found in the United States. UC/IND/CSU area C2, IGETC area 3
- **REL 200 Contemporary Issues in Religious Ethics** (3) ★★★ An introductory survey of ethical issues (social, environmental, sexual, medical) confronting contemporary society. Studied from the perspective of religious faith with particular focus on the major figures who have contributed to the discussion of the issues. UC/IND/CSU area C2
- **REL 210 Death and Dying** (3)  $\star\star\star$  The attitude to and the explanations of the phenomenon of death as offered by the great religious traditions and related to social and psychological studies of death and dying. UC/IND/CSU area C2
- **REL 225 Religion and Society** (3) ★★★ Study of how the major religious groups within American society are organized, how they relate to and have impact on the broader society in which they exist, and how they themselves are affected by that broader society. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 3
- REL 310 Catholic Social Teaching (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: C or higher in one lower division religion course and a lower division history course. Studies the complex social problems facing the modern world by investigating the ways the Catholic Church, Catholic thinkers and activists have applied Christian principles to social issues, with special emphasis on official church documents since Leo XIII's Rerum Novarum (1891). Students are not required to accept Catholic social teaching, but to enter into dialogue with it.
- **REL 330 Religion, War and Peace** (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: C or higher in one lower division religion course and a lower division literature or history course. Studies the relationship of religion to war. This course will discuss the following questions: Is religion inherently inclined to violence? Is monotheism inherently

inclined to violence? Have most wars really been religious at root? The course will include discussion of contemporary conflicts between religious groups.

REL 342 – Religion in American Popular Culture (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: C or higher in one lower division religion course, and an English literature course. Studies the understanding of religion expressed or implied in selected works of contemporary American popular culture (fiction, film, music, theatre, television). The course includes an analysis of the attitudes to and understandings of religion implied in the work, a critical study of any factual claims about religion made in the work, and a comparison/contrast of religious self-understanding with the way in which religious belief is understood in the work.

REL 345 – Religion in Digital Media (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Religion course. This course will investigate American media culture with an emphasis on television, video games and emerging digital media, while exploring the theological implications and in turn seek a theological engagement with the diverse contours of digital media. The class will also explore religious imagery, Christian practices and the development of digital sacred space in order to engage in an informed religious conversation with contemporary media culture.

#### REL 350 - American Catholics and Slavery: 1789-1866 (3) ★★★★★

Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Religion course; HIS 120 recommended. This course will investigate the Catholic Church's scriptural and dogmatic teachings, and its historical practices in relation to the institution of slavery with particular emphasis on the American Catholic Church's position on slavery from its establishment in America to the end of the Civil War.

#### **REL 370 - Contemplative Practice and Mental Health (3)** ★★★★★

Prerequisite: C or higher in one lower division Religion course. By means of reading, discussion and practice the course will explore some basic contemplative practices in order to understand how they contribute to spiritual growth and mental health. Emphasis will be on the Christian tradition, with reference to other religious traditions. The course is open to students of any or no religious affiliation.

- \*\* REL 290, 390, 490 Seminars on Selected Topics (1-3).
- \*\* REL 295, 395, 495 Independent Study (1-12).

# Science (SCI)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

SCI 100 – Introduction to Physical Science (4) ★ Prerequisite: Placement in MTH 60 or above. Lecture three hours per week. Lab three hours per week. Interrelates the fundamental principles of chemistry and physics with emphasis on the experimental nature of science for the non-science major. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3; IGETC area 5.

SCI 102 – Survey of Physical Science (3) ★ Prerequisite: Placement in MTH 60 or above. Lecture/demonstration course for the non-science major exploring the world of physical science and its significance in contemporary life. Topics from the fields of astronomy, chemistry, geology, meteorology and physics. UC/IND/CSU area B1; IGETC area 5

SCI 115 - Fundamentals of Chemistry (5) ★ Prerequisite: Placement in MTH 60 or above. Lecture three hours per week. Lab three hours per week. Problem Solving three hours per week. The fundamental principles of chemistry are stressed, with emphasis on the chemistry of inorganic compounds. Includes the topics of atomic structure, chemical bonding, descriptive chemistry, stoichiometry, gas laws, solutions, equilibrium and redox. Recommended for students as a prerequisite for SCI 220, SCI 240, and/or SCI 116. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3; IGETC area 5.

SCI 116 - Fundamentals of Organic and Biochemistry (4) Prerequisite: SCI 115 Lecture three hours per week. Lab three hours per week. Problem Solving three hours per week. A survey of organic and biochemistry. A study of the fundamental principles of organic chemistry, including molecular structure, properties and reactions of organic compounds and their role in human biochemistry. An introductory look at the structure and function of biological macromolecules. Recommended for students entering an allied health field. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3; IGETC area 5.

SCI 120 – Physical Geology (3) ★★★ Composition and structure of the earth, the forces acting upon it and the resulting surface features. Includes laboratory demonstrations and optional field trips. Students desiring a lab science may also enroll in SCI 120L. UC/IND/CSU area B1; IGETC area 5

- **SCI 120L Physical Geology Laboratory** (1) Co- or Prerequisite: SCI 120. Laboratory three hours per week. Includes laboratory work and weekend field trips. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 130 Biology of Animals (4) ★★★ Laboratory three hours per week. Lecture three hours per week. Lecture/laboratory course designed especially for the non-science major. Structure, function, development, evolution and overall diversity of animals. Interactions between animals and their environment. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 132 Human Anatomy (4) ★★★★ Prerequisite: successful completion of high school or college biology. An introduction to the structure of the human body at both the macroscopic and microscopic levels. Laboratory includes extensive dissection of preserved animals. Lecture 3 hours per week. Laboratory 3 hours per week. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 133 Human Physiology (4) ★★★★ Prerequisite: High school biology and chemistry with a grade of C or better, or their college equivalents. SCI 132 strongly recommended. An introduction to the function of the human body at the molecular, cellular and organ system levels of organization. Lecture 3 hours per week. Laboratory 3 hours per week. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 135 Anatomy and Physiology (4) ★★★★ Laboratory three hours per week. Lecture three hours per week. Prerequisite: High school biology or chemistry or the equivalent. Structure and function of the human body. Basic physical, chemical and biological principles necessary to understand the functioning of the organism as a whole and of the major systems. Recommended for psychology majors. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 140 Plants and Civilization (4) ★★★ Laboratory three hours per week. Lecture three hours per week. Lecture/laboratory course designed especially for the non-science major. Basic structure, physiology and evolution of the major plant groups and the roles of plants in the development of civilization and in modern society. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 145 Principles of Biology (3) ★★★ Major themes and unifying concepts of biology; physical/chemical basis of life; cellular biology; genetics and evolution. Surveys the biological kingdoms, including structure and function, evolution and diversity, behavior and ecology of representative groups. Lecture course for premajors or non-majors requiring life science. Students desiring a lab science may also enroll in Science 145L. UC/IND/CSU area B2; IGETC area 5
- SCI 145L Principles of Biology Laboratory (1) Laboratory three hours per week. Concurrent enrollment in SCI 145 required. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B3; IGETC area 5

- SCI 145H Principles of Biology: Honors (4) ★★★★ Lecture/Laboratory six hours/week. Prerequisite: High school biology or chemistry or equivalent and 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. An introduction to the study of living organisms, emphasizing history, concepts, theories and explanations that make biology a coherent body of knowledge. Includes basic chemistry and physics in relation to living organisms, as well as genetics, evolutionary theory and molecular biology. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU areas B2, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 150 Microbiology (4) ★★★★ Lecture/Laboratory six hours per week. Prerequisite: High school biology or chemistry or equivalent. This course studies the biology of living microorganisms, with emphasis on bacteria and their role in health and other human-related activities. Stresses disease-related microbes, with emphasis on laboratory skills in culturing, isolation and identification of selected, non-pathogenic bacteria. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 155 Introduction to Genetics (3) ★★★★ Principles of heredity with emphasis on humans. Includes the structure and function of genetic material, inherited diseases, the role of genes in cancer and current research in genetic engineering. This course is for the non-science major and has no college science prerequisite. UC/IND/CSU area B2; IGETC area 5
- SCI 160 Marine Biology (4) ★★★★ Lecture/Laboratory six hours per week. An introduction to the sea and its inhabitants. Includes study of the major marine ecosystems, with emphasis on the intertidal. Also considers the problems arising from man's intervention in the natural marine systems. Laboratory emphasizes field studies, dissections and studies of live organisms. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5
- SCI 170 Ecology of Humans (3) ★★★ This is a study of the relationship between humans and the physical and biotic environment. The emphasis is directed toward the basic principles of ecology and evolution, the historical impact of humans on ecosystems and current environmental problems. Students desiring a lab may also enroll in SCI 170L. UC/IND/CSU area B2; IGETC area 5
- **SCI 170L Ecology of Humans Laboratory** (1) Laboratory three hours per week. Co- or Prerequisite: SCI 170. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B3; IGETC area 5
- **SCI 200 General Physics I** (4) ★★★★ Co- or Prerequisite: MTH 110. Lecture three hours per week. Laboratory three hours per week. This course covers kinematics, dynamics, statics, energy and momentum, rotation, and simple harmonic motion.
- **SCI 201 General Physics II** (4) Lecture three hours per week. Laboratory three hours per week. Prerequisite: SCI 200, with a minimum grade of C. This course

covers fluids, relativity, wave motion (including sound and light), electricity and magnetism.

SCI 220 – General Chemistry I (5) ★★★★ Lecture three hours per week. Laboratory three hours per week. Prerequisites: MTH 60 or above and SCI 110 or 115 with a grade of C or higher or passing grade on the chemistry proficiency exam. General Chemistry for Science and Engineering majors with laboratory. This is the first semester of a two-semester sequence. It covers fundamental principles and laws of chemistry. Topics include states of matter, measurement, atomic structure, quantum theory, periodicity, chemical reactions, molecular structure and chemical bonding, stoichiometry, gas laws and theories and solutions. The laboratory work emphasizes physical-chemical measurements, quantitative analysis and synthesis. Three fifty-minute lectures and one laboratory period (3 hours) per week. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3; IGETC area 5.

SCI 221 – General Chemistry II (5) Lecture three hours per week. Laboratory three hours per week. Prerequisite: SCI 220, with a grade of C or higher. This course is the second course in the two-semester sequence for General Chemistry for Science Majors with Laboratory, 1 year. Topics include thermodynamics, chemical kinetics, chemical equilibrium, acid-base theory, oxidation-reduction, electrochemistry, descriptive chemistry of representative metallic and non-metallic elements, and an introduction to nuclear and organic chemistry. The laboratory work emphasizes physical-chemical measurements, quantitative analysis and synthesis. Three fifty minute lectures and one laboratory period (3 hours) per week. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3; IGETC area 5.

SCI 224 – Introductory Astronomy (3) ★★★ An introductory course designed to introduce students to the basic concepts of astronomy, including cosmology, cosmogony, elements of the solar system, stellar formation, galaxies and planetary observation. UC/IND/CSU area B1; IGETC area 5.

SCI 230 – Physics I with Calculus (5) ★★★ Prerequisite: Completion of MTH 130 or MTH 120 with a grade of C or higher. This course is a calculus-based survey of kinematics, dynamics, statics, momentum, energy, rotation, gravitation and planetary motion. In addition, the course covers elasticity and vibration, wave motion, interference and standing waves, sound, the kinetic theory of gases, and thermodynamics. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3; IGETC area 5

SCI 231 – Physics II with Calculus (5) ★★★★ Prerequisite: Completion of SCI 230 with a grade of C or higher. Recommended preparation: MTH 131 and MTH 132. This course is a calculus-based survey of electricity, magnetism, light, geometric and physical optics, special relativity, atomic and nuclear physics. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3; IGETC area 5

SCI 240 – General Biology I (4) ★★★★ Lecture three hours per week. Laboratory three hours per week. Prerequisites: Completion of SCI 110 or 115 or 220 with a

grade of C or higher or passing grade on the chemistry proficiency exam; completion of MTH 60 or above with a grade of C or higher; and high school biology or the equivalent. This is the first semester of a two-course sequence designed to give the biology major a strong foundation in the principles of structure and function, growth and development, energy transformations, molecular and classical genetics, ecology and evolution. The nature of scientific thought and current progress in biology are discussed. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5.

**SCI 241 – General Biology II** (4) Lecture three hours per week. Laboratory three hours per week. Prerequisite: SCI 240, with a grade of C or higher. This course is the second in the two-course general biology sequence. It will reinforce the major concepts mastered in SCI 240 by focusing on both plant and animal structure and function, as well as the homeostatic balance required for all life to exist. \$50.00 lab fee required. UC/IND/CSU area B2, B3; IGETC area 5.

SCI 250 – Organic Chemistry I (4) Lecture three hours per week. Lab three hours per week. Prerequisite: General Chemistry II (SCI 221) with a grade of C or higher. The first semester of the Organic Chemistry sequence. Topics include an introduction to Organic Chemistry to include structure, reactions, mechanism, and analysis of major functional groups of organic chemistry. Discussion will include ionic and radical reactions. \$50.00 lab fee required. Replaced by SCI 315 fall 2013. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3, IGETC area 5

SCI 251 – Organic Chemistry II (4) Lecture three hours per week. Lab three hours per week. Prerequisite: Organic Chemistry I (SCI 250) with a grade of C or higher. The second semester of the Organic Chemistry sequence. Topics include structure and reactions of alcohols, carboxylic acids, aldehydes, ketones, amines, aromatic compounds, heterocycles, sugars and amino acids. \$50.00 lab fee required. Replaced by SCI 316 spring 2014. UC/IND/CSU area B1, B3, IGETC area 5

**SCI 300 - Thirsty Planet-the Science and Politics of Water** (3) \*\*\*\*\* This class will examine the scientific facts and the political issues involved in decisions that directly affect our water management decisions. We will also explore the social and ecological impacts of the coming water crisis and our responsibility to future generations.

SCI 315 – Organic Chemistry I (5) ★★★★ (formerly SCI 250) Prerequisite: SCI 221 with a grade of C or higher. Lecture three hours per week. Lab six hours per week. The first semester of the Organic Chemistry sequence. Topics include an introduction to Organic Chemistry to include structure, reactions, mechanism, and analysis of major functional groups of organic chemistry. Discussion will include ionic and radical reactions. \$50 lab fee required.

SCI 316 – Organic Chemistry II (5) ★★★★ (formerly SCI 251) Prerequisite: SCI 250 or SCI 315 with a grade of C or higher. Lecture three hours per week. Lab six hours per week. The second semester of the Organic Chemistry sequence. Topics

include structure and reactions of alcohols, carboxylic acids, aldehydes, ketones, amines, aromatic compounds, heterocycles, sugars and amino acids. \$50 lab fee required.

SCI 320 – Biochemistry (3) ★★★★ Prerequisites: SCI 251/316 with a grade of C or higher. A survey of biochemistry covering intermediary metabolism and compounds of biochemical interest. The focus is on the application of biochemistry and the biochemical foundations of life.

SCI 330 - Biology of Microorganisms (4) \*\*\*\* Lecture 3 hours per week. Laboratory 3 hours per week. Prerequisite: SCI 241 with a grade of C or higher. This course covers microbial biology, biochemistry and genetics; ultrastructure and morphology, energy metabolism, physiology of bacterial growth, regulatory mechanisms, action of chemotherapeutic agents, and studies of clinical viruses, mycology and parasitology. The course covers the core concepts of microorganisms, emerging diseases, and the cutting-edge discoveries. \$50.00 lab fee required.

SCI 340 - Cell Biology (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: SCI 241 and SCI 251/316 with a grade of C or higher. An introduction to the principles that guide cellular organization and function. An emphasis on modern genetic, genomic, proteomic approaches to cell biology. The course will include a study of the cell cycle through apoptosis, modern genetic and molecular technologies. This will include nanotechnology, bioluminescence, X-ray crystallographic data, and genetic engineering.

SCI 350 - Genomics (3)  $\star\star\star\star\star$  Prerequisite: SCI 241 with a grade of C or higher. Genomics covers both core concepts of genetics and cutting-edge discoveries. It will integrate formal genetics (rules by which genes are transmitted), molecular genetics (the structure of DNA and how it direct the structure of proteins), systems biology (analysis of the gene set and its expression), and human genetics (how genes contribute to health and disease).

SCI 380 - Molecular Biology (5) ★★★★ Lecture/Laboratory 9 hours per week. Prerequisite: SCI 241 and SCI 251/316 with a grade of C or higher. Molecular Biology provides the chemical principles that determine the structure and function of macromolecules. The course will include the organization of the genetic material (DNA and RNA), and the maintenance of the genomes in chromosomes through DNA replication recombination and repair. The course will cover the techniques of molecular biology, genomic, proteomics, and bioinformatics. \$50.00 lab fee required.

<sup>\*\*</sup> SCI 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3)

<sup>\*\*</sup> SCI 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12)

# Sociology (SOC)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level

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 Placement in ENG 104 or higher
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 Placement in ENG 108 or higher
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 Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
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 Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
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**SOC 100 – Introduction to Sociology** (3) ★★★★ Introduction to basic concepts of sociology and sociological analysis. Emphasis upon the group, socialization, social processes, stratification, institutions, social organization and social change. UC/IND/CSU area D10; IGETC area 4

SOC 100H – Introduction to Sociology: Honors (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: 3.3 GPA or consent of instructor. Introduction to basic concepts of sociology and sociological analysis. This course will offer a global approach in studying group behavior, socialization, stratification, social institutions and organizations, and social modernization and change. An extensive research project will further allow the development of the sociological imagination. UC/IND/CSU area D10; IGETC area 4

SOC 125 – Sociology of Marriage and the Family (3) ★★★ This course is an examination of the family as a social institution. Emphasis will be placed on relationships between the family and other social institutions from American and cross-cultural perspectives. Theories of family development in society as well as pertinent family research will be studied. UC/IND/CSU area D10

**SOC 140 – The Home, the School, the Community** (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: ENG 106. Examines contemporary issues in education and their effect on the child and family. A study of the variety and pattern changes in family life and of the influence of family, church, school and peers upon the development of a child. (Same as ED 140) UC/IND/CSU area D10

**SOC 175 – Modern Social Problems** (3) ★★★ Analysis of current sociological problems and their backgrounds in terms of sociocultural, economic and political change. Solutions, as well as causes, of social problems. UC/IND/CSU area D10; IGETC area 4

**SOC 220 – Crime and Delinquency** (3) ★★★★ Strongly recommended: an introductory course in Psychology or Sociology. The nature of criminal and delinquent behavior stressing theories of causation. Societal reactions to deviant behavior and methods of crime and delinquency control. UC/IND/CSU area D10

**SOC 235 – Introduction to Statistics for the Study of Behavior** (4) ★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in MTH 60 or 90. Application of descriptive and inferential statistical techniques for summarizing research data in the behavioral sciences,

including levels of measurement, frequency distributions, central tendency, variability, normal distributions, Central Limit Theorem and applications of a variety of statistical tests. (Same as ANT/PSY 235). Comparable to BUS 220 and MTH 270. UC/IND/CSU area B4; IGETC area 2

SOC 240 – Research Methods for the Study of Behavior (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in SOC 235 or MTH 270. An introduction to scientific inquiry and research in the social sciences, including experimental and non-experimental designs. Includes data collection strategies, hypothesis testing, analyzing tests of measurement and use of computer aids. (Same as ANT/PSY 240.) UC/IND/CSU

For students planning to major in the behavioral/social sciences, Statistics is the first component of a recommended two-course sequence and should be followed by ANT/PSY/SOC 240.

SOC 250 – Race, Ethnicity, Gender and Class in the United States (3)
★★★★ Strongly recommended: An introductory course in Psychology or
Sociology. This course examines and analyzes stratification in the U.S. with
consideration of the major ethnic and racial groups and gender inequality. Historical
and contemporary views and research of assimilation, prejudice and discrimination of
minority groups in society will be offered. UC/IND/CSU area D3, D10; IGETC area 4

SOC 310 - Demography (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in at least one course each in behavioral/social science, history, and statistics (with consent of the instructor, statistics may be a corequisite) An overview of the field of demography and its relevance in today's world. After introducing basic concepts and methods in demography, the course surveys applications of demographic tools and data at local, state, national, and international scales, with an emphasis on their value in addressing current needs and future planning. (Same as POL 310)

SOC 315 –Aging in America (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: C or higher in PSY 150/150H or SOC 100/100H An examination of the impact of aging on the larger society. Examination of the responses of various social institutions of the aged as well as the impact of an aging population on those institutions. Special attention is given to the changing roles of the aged and the cultural attitudes toward the elderly.

SOC 320 – Human Migration (3) ★★★★★ Prerequisites: C or higher in at least one prior course in behavioral/social science, and in history. An overview of past, present, and projected future patterns of human migration from local to national and global levels, and their social, cultural, economic, political, and environmental impacts. (Same as ANT/GEO 320)

<sup>\*\*</sup> SOC 290, 390, 490 – Selected Topics (1-3).

<sup>\*\*</sup> SOC 295, 395, 495 – Independent Study (1-12).

# Spanish (SPA)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level

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 Placement in ENG 104 or higher
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 Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★
 Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★
 Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
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**Note**: Speakers of Spanish with native-like fluency will not receive credit for courses except with advance approval from the instructor and department.

**Note**: Each four-unit language course is comparable to one year of a high school language course in the same language.

**SPA 100 – Elementary Spanish I** (4) ★★★ Course includes basic elements of Spanish grammar with work in the oral and written language, phonetics, vocabulary building, conversation and reading. Lab work required weekly. UC/IND/CSU area C2

SPA 101 – Elementary Spanish II (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: SPA 100 with a grade of C or higher, or a satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Course includes a review of SPA 100 grammar, including the study of the subjunctive. Simple readings and composition in Spanish are part of the coursework. Lab required weekly. UC/IND/CSU area C2; IGETC area 6

SPA 200 – Intermediate Spanish I (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: SPA 101 with a grade of C or higher, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Course includes intensive review of grammar with emphasis on the uses of the subjunctive, advanced conversation. Compositions and readings in Spanish culture and civilization designed to increase proficiency in written language and promote intercultural awareness. UC/IND/CSU area C2

SPA 201 – Intermediate Spanish II (4) ★★★ Prerequisite: SPA 200 with a grade of C or higher, or satisfactory score on the placement test, or credit by examination. Course emphasizes uses of the Spanish idiom, intensive vocabulary building, idiomatic conversation and composition with occasional grammar review. Readings from Spanish and Spanish-American authors are included. Cross-cultural awareness is emphasized throughout the course. UC/IND/CSU area C2

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** SPA 290, 390, 490 - Selected Topics (1-3).
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<sup>\*\*</sup> SPA 295, 395, 495 - Independent Study (1-12).

# Speech (SPE)

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★★ Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

SPE 105 – Fundamentals of Speech (3) ★★★ (Formerly SPE 110) An introductory course in public speaking that focuses on communication skills, including organization of ideas, research, critical thinking and audience adaptability. (Same as CAR 105) UC/IND/CSU area A1

SPE 125 – Small Group Discussion (3) ★★★ Basic principles and techniques of discussion. Relationship of discussion to democratic processes and contemporary society, including a study and practice of critical thinking, and problem-solving techniques in various group discussion settings. (Same as CAR 125) UC/IND/CSU area A1

SPE 130 – Interpersonal Communications (3) ★★★★ This course focuses on learning the theory and practicing skills needed to improve the quality of interpersonal communication, including social cognition, social rules, coding the message, conflict resolution and critical thinking skills. (Same as CAR 130) UC/IND/CSU area A1

**SPE 145 – Communication Structures** (3) ★★★ An examination of the structures underlying both verbal and visual modes of communication in modern society. Emphasis is placed on a study of comparable features in the various media used in the art of expression. Contemporary media will be investigated against a background of standard patterns of communication. (Same as CAR 145); UC/IND/CSU area A1

**SPE 200 – Oral Interpretation** (3) ★★★ Analysis, theory and practice of oral interpretation of prose, verse and grammatic dialogue with attention to effective delivery. (Same as CAR 200) UC/IND/CSU

**SPE 250 – Argumentation and Debate** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: CAR/SPE 105. An examination of the fundamentals of logical thinking, the analysis of propaganda, research techniques and the uses of evidence. Principles and techniques of effective group discussion, argumentation and debate. (Same as CAR 250) UC/IND/CSU area A1

SPE 260 – Forensics (1) ★★★ (Formerly SPE 291) Concentrated training and instruction for the enhancement of public speaking skills, critical and analytical thinking, and literary analysis for the purpose of participating in either individual and/or team intercollegiate speaking activities. (Same as CAR 260); IND/CSU

- \*\* SPE 290, 390, 490 Selected Topics (1-3).
- \*\* SPE 295, 395, 495 Independent Study (1-12).

## Study Abroad (SA)

#### \*\* Study Abroad - SA 100, 200, 300, 400

Courses that appear as SA on a transcript are courses taken while abroad that are not comparable to any other course in the Catalog. Some have been predetermined to satisfy degree requirements. Others may satisfy degree requirements by petition. Others will be elective units. Unit value varies and will be designated on the transcript.

## **Theatre Arts (THE)**

★ Open to students of any ESL/English level
 ★★ Placement in ENG 104 or higher
 ★★★ Placement in ENG 108 or higher
 ★★★★ Placement in ENG 112 or equivalent
 ★★★★ Completion of ENG 112 or equivalent

\*\*\*\*\* Completion of ENG 114 or equivalent

THE 100 – Reader's Theatre (3) ★★★ Selected readings from world drama, prose and poetry. Emphasis on characterization and interpretation under performance and class conditions. UC/IND/CSU area C1

**THE 110 – Introduction to Theatre** (3) ★★★ Exploration of the creative elements of theatre art: playwriting, acting, directing, scenic, lighting, costume design. Analysis of major plays in production. (Same as CAR 110) UC/IND/CSU area C1; IGETC area 3

**THE 120 – Introduction to Acting I** (3) ★★ An introduction to the interpretation of drama through the art of the actor. Movement and speech as the basis of role study. This course emphasizes movement and theatre. UC/IND/CSU area C1

**THE 121 – Introduction to Acting II** (3) ★★ A continuation of the principles and techniques of THE 120. Emphasis is on voice, television and film. UC/IND/CSU area C1

THE 170 – Beginning Play Production I (Technical) (1-3) ★ Students support the semester play by becoming a technical crew. It is an eclectic overview of the various aspects of the theatre, such as design and scenery construction, lighting, sound, costuming and makeup, theatre management and publicity. UC/IND/CSU

THE 174 – Beginning Play Production I (Acting/Directing) (1-3) ★ Students who are cast in the semester play take this class. It is an eclectic overview of the various aspects of the theatre. Heavy emphasis on acting, directing and staging. Some theatre history. UC/IND/CSU

**THE 185 – Backstage with the Arts** (2-3) ★★★ Theoretical and practical aspects of visual and performing arts through a combination of lecture, discussion, and media presentations, and the direct experience of exhibits and performances. (Same as ART/ID/MUS 185) IND/CSU

THE 271 - Beginning Play Production II- Tech (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: THE 170. Continuation of THE 170 Beginning Play Production I Tech. Eclectic overview of various aspects of the theatre, such as design, scenery constructions, lighting, sound, costuming, make-up, Box office & Publicity, and Theatre Management. (Formerly THE 171) UC/IND/CSU

THE 275 Beginning Play Production II Acting/Directing (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: THE 174. Continuation of THE 174 Beginning Play Production I Acting/Directing. An eclectic overview of the various aspects of theatre, such as Acting, Directing, Staging, Stage Management, Musical Comedy, and Theatre History. Some technical work required. (Formerly THE 175) UC/IND/CSU

**THE 310 Theatre, History and Culture** (3) ★★★★ Prerequisite: THE 376. This course explores the ways world history and culture has shaped various performance traditions. The central focus of this course is the relationship between performance theatre and various modes of human communication. The course is organized according to four main parts:

PART I: Performance and theatre in oral and written cultures before 1600

PART II: Theatre and print cultures, 1500 – 1900

PART III: Theatre in modern media cultures, 1850 – 1970

PART IV: Theatre and performance in the age of global communications, 1950 – present.

**THE 372 - Advanced Play Production I Tech** (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: THE 271 Development of the advance techniques of play production. Emphasis on students taking leadership to technical crews and stage management. (Formerly THE 172)

THE 376 Advanced Play Production I Acting/ Directing (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: THE 275. Advanced overview of Acting and Directing Techniques. Continuing development of acting and technical skills in performance and directing. Students in this class are assigned projects as assistant directors supporting the fall and spring plays. (Formerly THE 176)

**THE 473 Advanced Play Production II Tech** (3) ★★★ Prerequisite: THE 372 Continuing development of the advanced technique of Scenic Design. Advanced technical theatre students choose a role of leadership either Stage Management, Lighting and Sound, or Costume and Make-up. (Formerly THE 173)

# THE 477-Advanced Play Production II Acting/ Directing (3) ★★★

Prerequisite: THE 376. Continuing development of acting & directing skills such as creating a character through movement, voice and imagination with the help of the director. Students choose a role of leadership acting, directing and staging. (Formerly THE 177)

- \*\* THE 290, 390, 490 Selected Topics (1-3).
- \*\* THE 295, 395, 495 Independent Study (1-12).



# **Campus Life**

The development of the whole person is the premise on which the founders of Marymount California University based the educational philosophy of the institution. Campus Life at Marymount strives to provide opportunities for growth and development of balance in the intellectual, spiritual, social, emotional and physical lives of our students.

# **Campus Ministry**

Being a Catholic university, Marymount values individual and communal religious experiences as an integral element in its mission and educational philosophy. The University promotes a holistic approach to the process of learning in which spirituality and religion play important roles in the growth of the individual and community.

At Campus Ministry, we believe that spiritual experience is a vital dimension of personal growth. We strive to provide opportunities and resources for faith formation, prayer, worship, and religious support, founded on Catholic tradition, the heritage of the Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary (RSHM), and enhanced by the religious diversity represented on campus. Throughout the school year, campus ministry offers weekly Catholic Mass on Wednesday, spiritual counseling, Bible study, sacramental preparation classes, social justice volunteering opportunities, celebrations of other religions' holidays, and interfaith prayer services. We are dedicated to respond to the needs of students, faculty, and staff of all faith traditions.

# **Experiential Learning Opportunities**

Experiential education is the opportunity for students to identify and apply student learning objectives, hone skills, and gain experience in real-world environments regionally, nationally and globally. At Marymount students begin experiential education during their first semester and continue through their senior year.

At Marymount California University, experiential education consists of a variety of programs including practica, internships, co-curricular experiences, Service Learning, Study Abroad and the Capstone project.

# **Student Activities**

Student activities at Marymount California University are designed to provide a variety of campus events that contribute to students' social, intellectual and physical development. Students are encouraged to enjoy full participation in formal and informal campus events on and off campus, including social and cultural activities, recreational sports programs, student clubs and organizations, service and leadership development programs.

Student activities are administered by both students and professionals on campus. To get involved, check out Student Life in my.MarymountCalifornia.edu

and on facebook, or visit the Student Info Desk in the Student Center on the main campus.

#### **Intramurals**

Each semester, students have the opportunity to participate in various recreational and intramural sports programs. Typical programs have included intramural competition in flag football, basketball, tennis, soccer, dodge ball, softball, billiards and table tennis. There are a variety of outdoor recreational opportunities each year as well, including sea kayaking, rock climbing, paddle boarding and paintballing. Use the Student Life page in my.MarymountCalifornia.edu to learn more.

# **Intercollegiate Athletics**

As a member of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA), Marymount California University provides student-athletes with preparation for lifelong learning, service to others and fosters collaborative relationships in a nurturing environment that will enhance intellectual, ethical, spiritual, athletic and social development.

Marymount Athletics is committed to the NAIA *Champions of Character* program and the five core values, Integrity, Respect, Responsibility, Sportsmanship and Servant Leadership, that go well beyond the playing field to the daily decisions of student-athletes. These character values help our students—and those associated with their development—make good choices in all aspects of their lives and reflect the true spirit of competition.

For a complete listing of athletic policies and academic compliance, refer to the Athletic Policy Manual posted on our website. For details, contact the Athletic Director.

# **Volunteer Programs**

Marymount is dedicated to providing service opportunities for students on and off campus. Students are able to participate in service through formal classroom experiences, and informal co-curricular experiences. Recent service projects have included campus blood drives, book drives, Operation Teddy Bear, beach clean ups and trips to area food banks. Service projects are often a gateway experience for students who choose to do individual volunteer work at a site where Marymount has visited previously. To get involved with a service project, or to start your own, visit the Student Info Desk in the Student Center on the main campus, or talk with any of the Student Life staff.

# **Leadership Development**

There are many ways for students to develop leadership skills at Marymount. Beginning in the first year on campus, students can get involved and develop leadership skills through the Boys and Girls Club, and various retreats on campus in the fall. Students can continue developing and refining leadership skills by participation in campus jobs and student organizations on campus, as well as student government. The Office of Student Life offers at least one leadership experience

each semester – for more details, contact the Assistant Director of Student Life & Leadership, located in the Student Center, office #102.

#### Student Government

The Marymount Student Government Association (MSGA) is the University's student government organization. Through its elected executive board and senators, it strives to advocate for enrolled students on campus. MSGA holds council meetings each week, which are open to all students. These meetings serve as an opportunity for all students to voice concerns and bring up issues. Additionally, MSGA is the governing body over all student clubs and organizations, and provides funding to recognized student organizations. Elected members of MSGA hold office hours during the academic year in TDW 107, which is in the Student Center. Contact elected officials in the office or at msga@MarymountCalifornia.edu

# **Student Organizations**

Get involved – it's easy, and fun! Any group of students can charter an organization focused on a common interest. To start an organization, complete the "registered student organization" form in my.MarymountCalifornia.edu. This form requires the names of five students, an organization advisor, and a constitution. Once this is completed, the student organization is eligible for funding for activities from MSGA, and can have events on campus for students. Details can be found in my.MarymountCalifornia.edu or at the Student Info Desk. Start your organization today – and start creating community on campus!

# **Student Conduct System**

Marymount is committed to creating and maintaining an environment where individual and institutional rights and responsibilities merge to encourage the holistic development of each member of our community. To achieve this goal, the University has established a number of policies and procedures that present to our students, staff and faculty the values and expectations of this institution.

Each member of the Marymount community is expected to adhere fully to the policies established by the University and to comply not only with the letter of the various regulations, but also to act positively within the spirit of these policies.

Consistent with these values, the Student Conduct System and the Student Code of Conduct have been created. They serve to establish and clarify standards of behavior essential to the University's educational mission and community life. Please consult *The Anchor*, Marymount's student handbook, for the complete description of the Student Conduct System.

# **Campus Publications**

*The Anchor*, the student handbook, is published annually by the Dean of Students and governs the Marymount community. This handbook outlines campus resources and departments, explains Marymount's Student Code of Conduct, overviews the conduct process, and highlights major campus activities. *The Anchor* is published on the Marymount website.

# **Undergraduate Student Services**

#### Office of Student Life

The Office of Student Life (OSL) strives to enrich the educational experience at Marymount. OSL plans programs to help undergraduate students thrive in pursuits outside of the classroom. Using the Wellness Model, Student Life organizes activities designed to contribute to social, recreational, emotional, educational, spiritual, vocational and cultural development for domestic and international students.

The Office of Student Life is responsible for student activities and programming, New Student Orientation, registration of new student organizations, advising student government and the student programming board, providing programs and support for incoming international students, developing leadership opportunities for students, and operation of the Student Center and Student Info Desk.

The Student Center on the Oceanview campus provides a big screen TV, game tables, equipment and game check-outs, and plenty of comfortable couches and chairs.

At the beginning of each semester, New Student Orientation introduces and integrates new students to campus, resources, and people in an exciting and welcoming way. Select returning students serve as Student Orientation Staff (SOS), and provide valuable peer leadership and support to help new students connect to the Marymount community.

Log in to my.MarymountCalifornia.edu or stop by the Student Info Desk in the Student Center to inquire about scheduled activities. The student staff will be happy to answer your questions.

# **Major/Career Planning Services**

The Office of Advising and Career Services supports students through academic advising, career information, internship coordination, and transfer assistance. Personal guidance helps the student to identify their interests and goals and to create plans to help in the successful attainment of those goals.

The Office of Financial Aid also offers students the opportunity to gain valuable work experience by assisting them in finding on-campus work/study positions.

# **Student Health Center**

The Student Health Center provides skilled medical and nursing care to all students. The Student Health Center is open Monday through Friday during the fall and spring semesters. All Marymount students are welcome to use the services provided by the Student Health Center. No appointment is necessary; students are seen on a first-come, first-served basis. All care and consultation are strictly confidential.

The Student Health Center provides:

- 1. Triage.
- 2. Ongoing and follow-up health care.
- 3. Preliminary first aid.
- 4. Nurse consultation.
- 5. Physician care two mornings per week.
- 6. Diagnostic testing.
- 7. Over-the-counter medication.
- 8. Health-related counseling.
- 9. Private physician and dental referral.
- 10. Library of information to assist students in health education and preventive medicine.
- 11. Limited immunizations.
- 12. Health-related testing.

Most services of the Student Health Center are free to full-time students; however, there is a small fee for some services (any outside lab work or prescription medications, for example). All students are required to file with the Student Health Center an official physical examination signed by a physician, a documented immunization form for the following diseases: HepB (series of 3 injections), Tdap (within past 5 years), MMR (series of 2 injections), T/B test and result, and a medical information, health history form and meningitis informational form. Failure to provide these records will prohibit students from registering for subsequent semesters. The Student Health Center strongly recommends that all students be vaccinated for meningitis and varicella.

# **Counseling Services**

Counseling Services provides short-term and long-term counseling, crisis intervention and consultation, outreach and referral for the campus community. Counseling Services staff members are licensed mental health professionals with training and experience in college student mental health and development.

The main purpose of Counseling Services is to assist students in attaining their academic goals through self-development. Some of these services include relationship counseling, conflict counseling, stress management and other issues of personal wellness. All students in need of objective insights or merely a "listening ear" are encouraged to avail themselves of Counseling Services. No student concern is too insignificant. Students often address their concerns with a counselor on an individual basis. However, there are opportunities for group interaction on certain topics and outreach programming for both student and faculty/staff work groups. Counseling Services staff also provides drug and alcohol assessment, education, prevention and early intervention resources for the campus community.

Counseling involves personal self-disclosure and is insight-oriented. The process may include problem identification and resolution, goal setting and/or psychosocial education. The information shared between counselors and students is considered strictly confidential. Confidentiality is protected by law, and the counselor will not break confidentiality without expressed consent by the student. Exceptions

include instances when the client may be in imminent life-threatening danger to self or others and instances of abuse of a minor or elder.

All services are provided free to full-time students. The number of weekly sessions may be limited due to counselor availability and student need. Limited services are available to part-time students. Counseling sessions are by appointment or counselor availability. Referral to local agencies is sometimes necessitated.

Psychiatric services can be provided for students with significant need. These psychiatric services are, however, limited in availability, yet free of charge.

#### **Residential Life**

The Office of Residential Life coordinates all student life services for approximately 500 Marymount students living in residence. The University-owned residential sites are located in San Pedro, just a short distance from the campus. A shuttle service is available from the residential sites to campus during class hours.

Marymount supports a holistic educational experience for students, encompassing learning that takes place outside of the classroom. Our Residential Life Program creates an atmosphere conducive to studying, but which also affords room for growth and development outside the classroom.

We believe that students learn from each other, both in and out of the classroom. Therefore, living in residence is an integral part of the Marymount experience. The education acquired from the social and interpersonal experiences of residential life plays a vital role in student development. As a result, all first- and second-year students are required to live in residence unless they meet any of the following exceptions:

- 21 years or older
- Living with parents or close relatives near campus
- Married, in a domestic partnership or living with a dependent child
- Current active military or veteran's status
- Qualified for financial hardship

A student who meets one of the criteria listed above and who wishes to request commuter status must petition the Dean of Students Office.

Applications for University residence are accepted on a rolling basis and are made available once a student has been accepted to the University. Assignments are made on a first come, first-served basis with priority given to out-of-area applicants who apply prior to June 1. Students in residence are required to participate in a meal plan. Additional information regarding the meal plan and the residential communities is available in the Office of Residential Life & Student Conduct or on our website: www.MarymountCalifornia.edu.

Residential Life also offers a prepared list of local off-campus housing options. For information please contact the Office of Residential Life & Student Conduct.

# **International Student Services**

The Office of Student Life offers support for international (F-1 visa status) students on campus. The International Student Programs (ISP) coordinator in the

Office of Student Life acts as the primary contact and resource for international students studying at Marymount.

The ISP coordinator provides the following services once the student has been officially admitted to the university: issuance of Form I-20; student tracking and reporting in SEVIS as required by SEVP and Department of State; fall and spring orientation programs; assistance with financial, academic and personal matters as it relates to student's immigration status; assistance with health insurance, work authorizations for on-campus and off-campus paid internships, and U.S. taxes; certificates of enrollment and official immigration verification letters for U.S. and foreign administration offices; information on social and cultural events; and liaison with campus and community partners.

The ISP Coordinator is located in Oceanside 105.



# **Graduate Student Services**

Full time and part time graduate students at Marymount have access to:

- Academic advising
- Career advising
- Financial aid advising
- Library services
- Educational/institutional technology support



# Financial Aid, Scholarships and Student Employment

Marymount California University is committed to a comprehensive program of financial aid assistance for those students and families who otherwise would be unable to take advantage of the educational opportunities Marymount offers.

Financing a college education is primarily the responsibility of the student and his or her family. When these resources are not sufficient to meet the costs of attending Marymount, the Office of Financial Aid attempts to fill the gap from a variety of federal, state and institutional resources.

# **Application Process**

Financial aid is available to students who are U.S. citizens or eligible noncitizens who demonstrate financial need according to the Federal Methodology of Needs Analysis. To be considered for aid, a student must:

- 1. Apply and be admitted to Marymount.
- 2. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and submit it to the Federal Processor. Marymount's school code is 010474.
- 3. California residents will be expected to complete the Cal Grant Grade Point Average Verification Worksheet and submit it to the California Student Aid Commission by the state deadline: March 2.
- 4. Returning students must be in good academic standing.

# Verification

Some students may have their file selected for review in a process called verification. The Office of Financial Aid may request that a student submit copies of certain financial documents including but not limited to federal tax returns, documentation of income and bank statements. The Office of Financial Aid may also request documentation related to a student's citizenship, date of birth, social security number and selective service registration status.

Students will not receive an offer of financial aid assistance until all requested verification documentation has been received by the Office of Financial Aid.

# **Priority Deadline**

March 2 is the priority deadline for financial aid at Marymount. Marymount has established a priority deadline for financial aid applications because there is not enough financial aid available to meet the full need of all students who qualify.

To receive full consideration for financial aid funding, students must submit their applications for financial aid and admission by March 2. Marymount cannot guarantee that applications received after March 2 will receive full financial aid consideration. Late applications will be awarded based on funds available. Your award may also be revised due to other outside funding that you qualify for.

# **Financial Aid Programs**

Marymount participates in several federal and state financial aid programs including:

- · Federal Pell Grant
- Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)
- Federal Work Study
- Federal Direct Student Loans
- Federal Direct Parent PLUS Loan
- · Cal Grant A
- · Cal Grant B

In addition to the above, Marymount maintains a grant fund drawn from the operating budget of the University. Grants from this fund are need-based. In addition to need-based grants, Marymount also offers merit-based scholarships in the form of the Trustee's Scholarships, President's Scholarships, Dean's Scholarships and Achievement Scholarships. These merit-based scholarships are available to first year, first time students only. Transfer Scholarships are available to incoming transfer students in the form of Transfer Trustee's, Transfer Dean's and Transfer Achievement Scholarships, based on academic performance at the collegiate level. The Marymount soccer and cross country/track programs offer athletic scholarships based on the recommendation of the coach. The Marymount fine arts programs offer scholarships to outstanding students in theatre, studio arts, music and film and are based on a portfolio review and faculty recommendation. Athletic Merit scholarships are renewable provided certain academic and/or eligibility criteria are met. Merit scholarships are awarded based on criteria determined by the Office of Admission and the Office of Financial Aid and are subject to change each year.

# Gift-Supported Scholarships

Marymount offers numerous gift-supported scholarships, funded through the generosity of individuals and foundations. The various scholarship awards are based on both academic achievement and on financial need. Scholarship recipients are determined as part of the University's financial aid process. Gift-supported scholarships are not open for application.

# Student Employment

There are a variety of job opportunities for students to work on campus. Students are allowed to work a maximum of 15 hours/week. Typically, on campus jobs pay a salary of \$8.00/hour unless specified by the hiring supervisor. Students may have up to two jobs on campus but will be held to the 15 hours/week maximum between both positions. Supervisors may work with the student's class schedule as much as possible while fulfilling departmental needs.

A student will not be able to work until they provide appropriate documentation to the Office of Financial Aid clearing them to be employed in the United States. After clearing the student to work, the Office of Financial Aid will provide them with a student handbook that will outline the available job opportunities as well as provide important information concerning appropriate behavior as a student worker at Marymount. A student may be dismissed from work at the discretion of the supervisor for any reason.

#### **How Need is Determined**

Most financial aid programs available at Marymount are based on financial need. Stated simply, need is the difference between the cost of the educational program and the student's and family's ability to pay, known as the Expected Family Contribution (EFC). The cost of attendance/budget used to compute a student's need includes the direct cost associated with attending the University and other average expenses. The direct costs include tuition, fees and on-campus housing. These costs are paid directly to the University. Other average costs, such as off-campus housing, books and supplies, transportation and miscellaneous/personal expenses, are only used to create the student budget and determine eligibility for financial aid. Marymount uses several standardized student budgets based on the California Student Aid Commission guidelines. Student budgets are based on enrollment for 12 to 17 units per semester. Changes in enrollment unit levels or living arrangements may affect your budget and financial aid award.

# The Financial Aid Package

Once a student has demonstrated financial need, the Office of Financial Aid at Marymount brings together funds from various sources to create a financial aid package. The foundation of this package is the student's Pell Grant and/or Cal Grant award. If further need is demonstrated, the student will be authorized for on-campus employment under the Federal Work Study program. (Note: The Federal Work Study Program is targeted toward students with high need.) Remaining need is then met with additional grants and/or scholarships from University sources to the extent funds are available. Federal Direct PLUS and Federal Direct Loans may be used to replace the expected family contribution, up to the maximum loan limits.

The financial aid offered to a student by Marymount is only finalized once all required documentation is received, the student is enrolled in an Associate or Bachelor's degree program, and the student has signed and returned the <u>Financial Aid Award Report</u> within the specified time frame. Any appeals, requests for reevaluation, or the processing of information received after the initial offer has been made will be evaluated as they are received, and will be considered if there are funds available after the initial offers have been received.

Failure to respond to an offer of financial assistance within the indicated time frame will result in the withdrawal of the offer of financial assistance. If the student wishes the offer be reinstated, it he or she must submit it as a late application.

**Note**: Students who appeal for additional assistance must officially accept the initial <u>Financial Aid Award Report</u> in order to retain it during the appeal process.

#### **Disbursement of Financial Aid Funds**

Financial aid award reports are normally sent to students with confirmation of registration for the upcoming term. For those students meeting the March 2 deadline, award reports are sent in May to provide the students with ample time to plan for their university expenses. Late applicants are notified of their eligibility on a rolling basis as applications are received. After a student has received and accepted the financial aid award and completed all necessary paperwork, Business Services is notified of the funds that will be available. That office determines each student's tuition, fee, and room and board charges, and sends the student a statement of these charges, which also shows projected financial aid funds. Estimated awards do not appear on statements, as they may change before being credited. Any balance due that is not covered by financial assistance is due at that time, either in a lump sum payment, through monthly payments through Tuition Management Systems, or through the Federal Direct PLUS parent loan program.

Financial aid funds are credited to the student's account in Business Services as they are received and after the student's enrollment level and residence have been confirmed. Most funds are credited directly to the student's account. If there are funds in the student's financial aid package that are to be used for other educational costs, such as books and supplies or living expenses, they will be disbursed to the student.

Under the Federal Direct Loan Program, first-time borrowers must complete a pre-loan counseling session before the loan can be processed. Loan disbursements for first-time borrowers are available after the 30th day of the semester. Loan funds received electronically will post within three days of receipt. If a student's enrollment cannot be verified, the EFT funds will be returned and the student billed for any charges the loan was intended to cover.

Students may use Federal Work Study (FWS) earnings for living expenses. If the student is awarded FWS, the student must apply and interview for all jobs available. Guarantees are not made for job availability. Once hired, students may work a maximum of 15 hours per week. The funds are disbursed biweekly as earned. Time sheets are electronically submitted to the Office of Human Resources on alternate Fridays, with pay available the following Friday.

Since financial aid funds cannot be released until a student has registered and is in attendance, it is essential that each student arrive on campus with sufficient funds to cover miscellaneous living expenses and start-up costs, such as funds to purchase books, for the semester.

# **Summer Session**

Generally, financial assistance is not available for Summer sessions. Students may request a review of their financial aid file to determine if they have remaining loan eligibility to cover the cost of the Summer sessions.

# Study Abroad

Students may use financial aid to participate in Marymount's Partner, Affiliate and London study abroad programs. A student who wishes to participate in a study abroad

program needs to plan well in advance by gaining acceptance into the program and informing the Financial Aid Office of his/her plans. The study abroad student needs to provide his/her overseas address to the Financial Aid Office. Although it is not required, a student may designate power-of-attorney to endorse checks and authorize fund transfers. The power-of-attorney cannot be a University employee.

#### **Partner Programs**

Marymount students participating on Partner Programs can utilize all financial aid, including federal (except work-study), state and institutional funding\* (except tuition exchange/discount) and pay their regular Marymount comprehensive fees (tuition, housing and meal plan-as applicable). A \$200 study abroad fee is applied to the student's bill the semester before departure.

#### **Affiliate Programs**

Marymount students participating on Affiliate Programs can apply ONLY federal (with the exception of work-study) and state financial aid and pay the program comprehensive fees. A \$200 study abroad fee is applied to the student's bill the semester before departure.

#### **London Program**

Marymount students participating in the London Programs can utilize all financial aid, including federal (except work-study), state and institutional funding\* (except tuition exchange/discount) and pay their regular Marymount comprehensive fees (tuition, housing and meal plan-as applicable).

\*Recipients of the Fulfillment Funds Horizon Scholarship are able to use the support of this scholarship for **one** study abroad or exchange program while enrolled at Marymount.

### Withdrawal and Leaves of Absence

If you decide to withdraw or take a leave of absence from Marymount, you must contact the Registrar's Office regarding the official withdrawal procedure. Failure to do so can result in serious academic consequences and/or an unresolved financial obligation. Cal Grant A or B recipients must complete a Leave of Absence or Deferment of Enrollment form and obtain approval from the California Student Aid Commission. Without this approval, your Cal Grant may be canceled. Recipients of state awards from outside California should contact their own state's scholarship agency to see what procedures are necessary.

# **Satisfactory Academic Progress Standard**

Every institution participating in federal aid programs must monitor its students to ensure they are meeting satisfactory academic progress (SAP) standards. This standard applies to all students. In order to receive or continue to receive financial aid of any kind (including Veterans Benefits) at Marymount, these standards must be met. The standards listed below apply to all Marymount students and comply with federal regulations and guidelines.

Marymount's SAP policy is comprised of three components: units completed, cumulative grade point average and length of enrollment.

#### **Per Semester Unit Requirement**

Students will be expected to complete successfully a certain number of units per semester in order to be eligible and to continue to be eligible for financial aid.

- Full-Time Students: Completion of 12 units per semester.
- Three-Quarter-Time Students: Completion of 9 units per semester.
- Half-Time Students: Completion of 6 units per semester.

#### Grade Point Average (GPA) Requirement

All students will be expected to maintain a 2.00 cumulative grade point average.

#### **Length of Enrollment**

Students completing a BA degree may not receive more than twelve semesters of financial aid. Students completing an AA degree may not receive more than 6 semesters of financial aid assistance. The total number of semesters a student is eligible for represents a total of 150% of the published time frame for completion of Marymount requirements.

#### **Enrollment Status Changes and Grades**

- Withdrawals and Failed Courses: Courses in which a student receives a "W," "F" or "NC" grade cannot be counted as units completed when determining SAP. Courses that are retaken or repeated may impact a student's overall unit count when determining SAP.
- Incomplete Grades: Courses in which a student receives a grade of "IN" or
  "Incomplete" cannot be counted as units completed when determining SAP.
  A student may request that his or her SAP status be re-evaluated once the
  incomplete work has been completed and a final grade has been assigned.
- Audits: Audited courses that are granted a grade of "AU" and courses that are used for high school credit are not considered units completed when determining SAP.
- Credit by Examination (CBE): Credit by examination may be counted as units completed when determining SAP.
- Summer Term Courses Units acquired during a summer term may be counted as units completed when determining SAP. Grades for these units must be posted to the student's official Marymount California University transcript before they will be considered.

#### **Satisfactory Academic Progress Evaluation**

All students will be evaluated each semester of the academic year. Students who fail to meet the SAP requirements will be placed on financial aid warning for the next semester. If you are awarded financial aid for the next semester before grades are posted and you do not meet the SAP standard, your financial aid award will be re–evaluated and may be cancelled.

#### **Financial Aid Warning**

Students who do not meet the SAP standard will be placed on a one-semester Financial Aid Warning. During this warning, the student must complete 12 or more units and bring the cumulative GPA to a minimum 2.00. The total number of units to be completed may vary depending on previous units earned. The Financial Aid Office will notify each student on warning of the units that must be completed for the student to meet SAP standards. All SAP requirements must be cumulative and include all periods of enrollment, but can be reviewed at the discretion of the Financial Aid Office. If the SAP standard is not met, all financial aid will be cancelled for the semester following the warning term.

Students on Financial Aid Warning will not be considered eligible for financial aid for the next academic term until all conditions of their warning status have been met.

Illustrated below is the minimum SAP standard full-time students will be expected to meet in any given semester:

1st Semester	2nd Semester	3rd Semester	4th Semester
12 cumulative units	24 cumulative units	36 cumulative units	48 cumulative units
2.00 cumulative GPA	2.00 cumulative GPA	2.00 cumulative GPA	2.00 cumulative GPA

5th Semester	6th Semester	7th Semester	8th Semester
60 cumulative units	72 cumulative units	84 cumulative units	96 cumulative units
2.00 cumulative GPA	2.00 cumulative GPA	2.00 cumulative GPA	2.00 cumulative GPA

#### **Termination and Reinstatement of Financial Aid**

A student who fails to meet the SAP standards after the one semester warning period will have all forms of financial aid (including veteran's benefits) terminated. Reinstatement of financial aid is possible by completing the required number of units and/or raising the cumulative GPA in accordance with SAP standards. With the Associate Dean's permission, a student may complete the required additional units and/or raise his or her GPA by attending Marymount. However, financial aid will not be available to such a student. He or she may also attend another approved institution and forward the final grade(s) to Marymount. Once the student is again maintaining satisfactory academic progress, the student's eligibility will be re–evaluated.

#### **Appealing Termination of Financial Aid**

A student who wishes to present extenuating circumstances as a reason for not maintaining satisfactory academic progress may appeal the termination decision in writing to the Financial Aid Office. The appeal must document specifically extenuating circumstances as well as an academic plan approved by their advisor that the student feels should be taken into consideration. A decision on the appeal will be made by the Financial Aid Appeals committee. Extenuating circumstances will not necessarily lead to a reinstatement of financial aid. All appeal responses will be in writing. All communication about termination, appeal and reinstatement of financial aid must be in writing. Some appeals may be approved with special conditions or probationary conditions attached. If appears are approved, the student will receive one subsequent term of Financial Aid assistance and be placed on Financial Aid

probation. The student's academic progress will be reviewed again at the conclusion of the probationary term.

Questions about the Satisfactory Academic Progress standards, the appeal process, aid termination and reinstatement should be forwarded to the Office of Financial Aid.

# **Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy**

In accordance with federal regulations, Marymount California University maintains a Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) policy for all students receiving Federal, State, and Institutional financial aid funding. In order to maintain financial aid eligibility, students must show that they are making progress towards the successful completion of at least 70% of cumulative credits attempted per semester (fall and spring) with a term and cumulative grade point average of 2.00 or greater.

Student must also complete their degree requirements with a maximum time frame of credit hours allowed. Students must complete their degree within 150% of the published credit hours required to graduate. For example, an undergraduate student in a program requiring 120 units to complete must meet all graduation requirements by 90 units or 3.5 years.

Courses completed during the summer terms may be used to determine compliance with this SAP policy. It is important to note, however, that SAP compliance is only checked twice per year; immediately following the fall and spring terms. Students wishing to have their compliance evaluated at any other time must file a formal appeal with the Office of Financial Aid.

The requirements are also listed on the Marymount website.

#### **Financial Aid Warning**

Students who do not meet the SAP standard will be placed on a one term Financial Aid Warning. Students will receive a letter detailing the terms of their Financial Aid Warning. Students are responsible for maintaining SAP even if their Financial Aid Warning letter is not received. During the one term Warning, students are expected to complete a mininum of 70% of cumulative hours attempted with a 2.00 grade point average or better unless otherwise noted. It is important to note that classes that are only considered once in determining SAP compliance may impact a student's total completed units.

Students on Financial Aid Warning will not be considered eligible for financial aid for the next academic term until all conditions of their Financial Aid Warning have been met.

#### **Termination**

A student who fails to meet the conditions of their Financial Aid Warning will have all forms of financial aid terminated and will lose eligibility for financial aid in future terms. Students may regain eligibility by complying with SAP standards including raising his or her cumulative grade point average and completing the necessary units. With the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs permission, a student may complete the the required additional units and/or raise his/her GPA by attending Marymount. However, financial aid will not be available during this time. The

student may also attend another approved institution and forward the final grades to Marymount. The Office of Financial Aid will determine if the student is meeting SAP requirements once grades are received and evaluated. The Office of Financial Aid does not guarantee that previously awarded financial aid will be available for the student. Please note that a student may be academically eligible to attend Marymount; however not meet the conditions of SAP.

#### **Appeals and Probation**

A student who wished to present extenuating circumstances as a reason for not maintaining satisfactory academic progress may appeal the termination decision in writing to the Director of Financial Aid. The appeal must document specific extenuating circumstances as a reason for not maintaining satisfactory academic progress may appeal the termination decision in writing to the Director of Financial Aid. The appeal must document specific extenuating circumstances as well as an academic plan approved by the student's advisor that he/she feels should be taken into consideration. A decision on the appeal will be made by the Director of Financial Aid and/or Financial Aid Appeals Committee. Extenuating circumstances will not necessarily lead to a reinstatement of financial aid. All appeal responses will be in writing and will be considered final. All communication about termination, appeal and reinstatement of financial aid must be in writing. Some appeals may be approved with special conditions or probationary conditions attached. If appeals are approved, the student will receive one subsequent term of Financial Aid assistance and will be placed on Financial Aid Probation. At the conclusion of the Financial Aid Probation semester, the student's academic progress will be reviewed again to determine if financial aid assistance will be given in subsequent terms.

#### Academic, Athletic, and Fine Arts Scholarships

Please note that the following scholarships awarded by the college, i.e., President's, Dean's, Achievement, Fine Arts and Soccer have additional requirements for renewal of the scholarship that may or may not be tied to Satisfactory Academic Progress. Recipients of these scholarships are notified of the requirements to maintain their eligibility.

# **Tuition and Fees Academic Year 2013-14**

All monies are to be paid in U.S. dollars drawn on a U.S. bank. See Tuition and Fee Information for more details. Tuition and fees are subject to change.

#### Fall 2013 & Spring 2014

# Full-time Student (12-17 semester units) — Full Academic Year Expenses Domestic and International Students

Application Fee\$	50.00	all students,
		non-refundable
Commitment Deposit	200.00	applied to tuition
Tuition: (12-17 units semester load)	29,914.00	per year
	14,957.00	per semester
Unit charge above 17/semester	400.00	per unit
Orientation Fee	275.00	required of all
		new students
		non-refundable,
		re-admits \$100
Campus Services Fee	780.00	per year, non-refundable
International Services Fee	3,000.00	per year, non-refundable
		International students only
Technology Fee	200.00	per year, non-refundable
Credit by Examination	400.00	per course
Graduation Fee	150.00	non-refundable
Late Payment Fee	30.00	

### Lab fees are required for some classes. Please reference lab fees as noted under the course listings.

#### Residential Life-Room and Board:

Housing Application & Placing Fee\$	150.00	non-refundable,
		due with application
Two Bedroom Suite (double occupancy)	12,750.00	per academic year -
		utilities included
Private Bedroom Option	15,750.00	per <u>academic</u> year –
		utilities included
Fee per night\$	50.00	per night outside
		of contract period
Part-time Student (under 12 units)		
Application Fee\$	50.00	all students,
		non-refundable

Tuition: Unit charge under 12 units		per unit per unit required of all new students non-refundable
Campus Services Fee		
Students enrolled in 7-11 units	250.00	per semester
		non-refundable
Students enrolled in 6 units or less	100.00	per semester
		non-refundable
Technology Fee		
Students enrolled in less than 12 units	100.00	per semester
		non-refundable
Room and Board	N/A	not available to
		part-time students
Late Payment Fee	30.00	•

# Lab fees are required for some classes. Please reference lab fees as noted under the course listings.

Marymount London 2013		
Semester Fee\$	21,432.00	includes tuition, room and board for Fall semester (excludes air fare)
Application Fee\$	250.00	non-refundable
International Study 2013		
Semester Fee\$	21,432.00	(reduced if no meal plan offered, excludes air fare, and other personal expenses)
Application Fee\$	250.00	non-refundable
Summer Term		
Summer 2014 London Session	TBD	includes tuition, room and board for four weeks (excludes air fare)
Summer 2014 Tuition	650.00	per unit
Summer 2014 Room	350.00	per week; does not include meal plan

Other study travel programs are offered from time to time. Tuition and fees for these programs are based on costs associated with the program. Contact Academic Affairs for further information.

#### **Other Costs:**

Food Service, 14-Meals/Week Plan\$	2,355.00	per semester
		non-resident
		students only
Commuter Meal Cards\$	25.00	
Or	100.00	
Student Injury and Sickness Insurance Plan	1,100.00	per year (mandatory for all international students; optional for domestic students)
Mariner Academic Strategies and	8,000.00	per year
Techniques (MAST) Program		
Mariner Academic Assistance		
Program (MAAP)	1,950.00	2 appointments per week
	2,875.00	3 appointments per week
	3,700.00	4 appointments per week
Proctoring of distance learning exams for		
non-Marymount California University stud	ents 45.00	per session
Transcripts		
Official Copy	5.00	each
Unofficial Copy	1.00	each
Special Handling, same day service	10.00	per copy
Special Handling, Fed Ex Overnight	20.00	per copy
		(subject to change)
Parking Permit	15.00	

All international students are required to purchase the Student Accident and Health Insurance Program designed for Marymount. This policy assures that the international student's medical coverage is in compliance with the new mandates of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP).

# **Tuition and Fee Information**

Students are responsible for payment of all fees associated with enrollment including tuition, room and board fees, lab fees, and related costs. Students may view their statement through the Student Portal. Email and text reminders are sent out monthly as a courtesy. Tuition is based on the dates listed below, even if you fail to receive notice.

All monies due are to be paid in U.S. dollars and checks must be drawn through a U.S. bank and made out to Marymount California University. Credit cards are accepted and payment can also be processed through the Student Portal at https://estudents.MarymountCalifornia.edu/login.asp (login & password needed).

Marymount California University offers the following options for paying your tuition and fees.

Option 1: Payment in full by due dates as noted below.

Option 2: Semester-Based 4-Payment Plan (domestic students only). \$80 enrollment fee; first payment for fall term due July 15; first payment for spring term due December 15 (re-enrollment required every semester to be on plan). To enroll in the payment plan, log into the student portal.

Statement information is also available to students through the student portal. Please contact the Institutional Technology department for more information about portal access. Tuition and fees itemized on the statement are subject to change. Such changes **may be applied after initial payment has been made**. Increases to the account balance due to financial aid adjustments, modification to number of enrolled units, Residential Life changes, and other changes are the responsibility of the student and are due and payable immediately.

#### **Returned Checks**

A \$25 service charge will be assessed on all checks returned for non-sufficient funds.

#### **Due Dates**

- Payment for the Fall semester is due July 15 each year.
- Payment for the Spring semester is due December 15 each year.
- Late registration does not change the payment due dates. A Late
  Registration Fee is charged to a student who has not paid or registered by
  the semester due date.
- Payments for all Summer sessions are due May 1.

# **Financial Registration Process**

All students must log into their student portal to complete their Online Financial Registration. The following actions are required of all students prior to clearance for enrollment:

- Payment for tuition and fees (utilizing one of the options listed above).
- Acceptance of the University's Terms & Conditions, available through the student portal.

Upon completion, a confirmation of your bill and schedule will be sent to your Marymount email address. Online Financial Registration is NOT complete until the Terms & Conditions have been agreed to and payment has been received by the due

dates noted above. A Late Fee will be charged and/or classes may be dropped for any student who does not complete these requirements. Any subsequent changes to the account balance must be paid by the student immediately. If on a payment plan, additional charges will automatically be added to the remaining monthly payments. You may view the status of your student account at any time by logging into the student portal and clicking on the 'My Ledger' link.

#### **Past Due Accounts**

Accounts with outstanding balances will be placed on tuition hold and can be subject to one or more of the following:

- Late fees
- Inability to view grades or receive transcripts
- Inability to register for future classes
- Prohibited University computer and Wi-Fi login and access to the student portal
- Suspension of meal plan and/or residential privileges
- Will not receive a diploma at the time of graduation or other certification of program completion.

A reduction of services due to holds does not entitle the student to a refund for lost services. Delinquent accounts are subject to referral to a collection agency. Students are responsible for all collection service fees, including legal fees resulting from collection proceedings. The University's collection agencies report to credit bureaus.

# **Textbooks and Supplies**

Textbooks and supplies are available at the Campus Bookstore. Marymount tuition does not cover the cost of books and other instructional materials (see the University's student handbook, *The Anchor* for Bookstore policies).

All Marymount students are required to have a laptop. Marymount has relationships with several vendors to provide discounted hardware and software. We encourage you to take advantage of the discounts they can offer. More information on laptop requirements can be found on our website at http://www.MarymountCalifornia.edu/institutional-technology.

# **Commitment Deposit**

All new students are asked to submit a commitment deposit of \$200 by the date specified. The deposit will be credited toward tuition. A refund of the deposit will be made only upon receipt of a written request postmarked on or before the commitment deposit due date. All commitment deposit written refund requests should be directed to the Office of Admission.

- For new incoming Fall term students, the deposit is due May 1.
- For new incoming Spring term students, the deposit is due with tuition on December 1.

Any deposits made after these dates will not be refunded.

#### **Institutional Schedule of Refunds**

The refund schedule applies to students who withdraw from enrollment at the University. Withdrawal dates for refunds are defined as the date a completed Withdrawal Form is received by the Registrar's Office. The refund schedule assumes that all tuition and fees have been paid in full prior to withdrawal. Any balance due at the time of withdrawal will be deducted from the refund amount. If there is a balance owed after the refund has been applied, the student is responsible for the immediate payment of the balance due. Financial aid may be adjusted when a student withdraws from the University. After the financial aid adjustment is applied to the account, it may result in a balance due to the University. Any balance owed after applying financial aid adjustments are due and payable immediately.

If a student withdraws from one or more courses, but does not withdraw completely from the University, no adjustment will be made to the student account. Students considering withdrawal from coursework should consult with their academic advisor.

All requests for refunds must be in writing and addressed to the Office of Business Services after the completed Withdrawal Form is submitted to the Registrar's Office.

Withdrawal Date	Refund %
On or before 1st Day of Classes	100%
During the 1st Week	80%
During the 2nd Week	60%
During the 3rd Week	40%
During the 4th Week	20%
During the 5th Week	20%
During the 6th Week	20%
During the 7th Week	20%
After the 7th Week	No Refund

For the purposes of calculating the refund percentage, a week is defined as Monday through Friday. The first week of the semester will begin with Monday of the week that classes begin – irrespective of whether the first day of classes falls on a Monday – and the weeks will run continuously with no break or delay due to instructional vacation days. Withdrawals submitted after Friday of any week will be considered as being made during the following week. Students who withdraw after the 7th week of class are not eligible for a refund.

# **Residential Fee Refunds**

Students who withdraw completely from the University will be eligible for a refund of Residential Life fees based on the above Institutional Schedule of Refunds assuming that all tuition and fees have been paid prior to withdrawal. If there is a

balance owed after the refund has been applied, that amount is immediately due and payable.

Students who are released from their Residential License Agreement while continuing enrollment at the University must retain their full meal plan for the remainder of the semester. Residential fees (room charges) will be subject to the Institutional Schedule of Refunds.

If at any time during the academic year a student is removed from residence due to disciplinary violations or voluntarily vacates the residence without written financial release from the Director of Residential Life, all fees are forfeited.

#### Return of Title IV Aid

All institutions that award federal aid to students must calculate the return of federal aid before calculating the institution's refund. This refund will be calculated using the number of days completed divided by the number of days in the period of enrollment (POE). Any unearned federal aid will be returned to the Department of Education based on this calculation. The Institutional Schedule of Refunds will be used to determine aid adjustments of internal aid after all federal aid is calculated and returned. This federal regulation applies to all programs.

Calculation based on the percentage of the term completed:

Number of days completed	
	_ = Percentage completed
Number of days in the term	

The refund percentage is the complement of the percentage completed. For example, 30% completed in the term would prompt a 70% refund. Refunds are valid through the 60% point of the term only (no refund at 60.1%). Refunds will not exceed 40%. A copy of the refund calculation worksheet may be obtained from the Office of Financial Aid.

Students should be warned that the return of Title IV aid could result in the student owing a repayment on a portion of the federal aid. If you are placed in a repayment status, NO FEDERAL AID may be awarded to you at any institution until the repayment issue is resolved. Contact the Office of Business Services at Marymount or the Department of Education to arrange a payment agreement.

Appeals to the above policies should be made in writing to the Vice-President of Finance and Administration.

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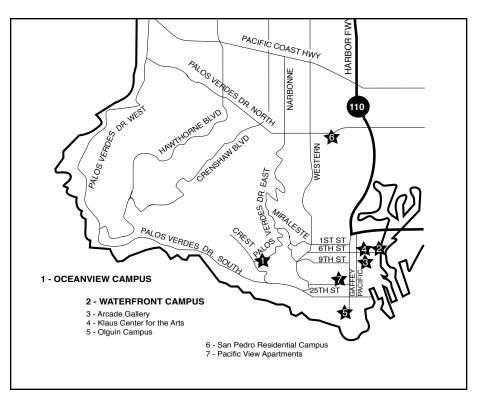
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