

Social Justice

AWARD

Social Justice A.A. with Emphasis Degree..... 60 cr
Social Justice Certificate..... 15-16 cr

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SOCIAL JUSTICE

A.A. WITH EMPHASIS, 60 CREDITS

Social Justice Curriculum 15-16 cr
General Electives 18 cr
Health & PE Course 2 cr
General Education 24-25 cr

PURPOSE

The AA with Emphasis in Social Justice prepares students to articulate conceptions of social justice across multiple perspectives, understand forms of oppression, and develop skills and knowledge to become effective social change agents. The A.A. with Emphasis prepares students for transfer to a four-year degree to pursue a wide variety of majors, such as anthropology, communication studies, gender and women’s studies, ethnic studies, social justice, public policy, political science, sociology, criminal justice, and pre-law.

TRANSFER AGREEMENTS

Students completing an A.A. degree with emphasis in Social Justice who plan to transfer to a four-year university to complete a B.A. degree may benefit from a transfer agreement with one of the following:

- Metropolitan State University
Social Science – BA
- Hamline University
Social Justice – BA

Required Social Justice Curriculum 15-16 credits

- 1. Introduction to Social Justice 3
 - SJS 1100 Introduction to Social Justice (Goal 5, 7)
- 2. Social Justice in Action 3
 - SJS 1200 Social Justice in Action: Methods, Skills, and Practice (Goal 5, 9)
- 3. Social Justice Communication Skills (choose one) 3
 - COMM 1110 Public Speaking (Goal 1c, 2)
 - COMM 2240 Intercultural Communication (Goal 5, 8)
- 4. Social Justice Breadth Courses (choose two) 6-7
 - ANTH 1160 Migrants and Refugees (Goal 5, 8)
 - ENG 1180 World Literature (Goal 6b, 8)
 - GWS 1100 Gender Race and American Culture (Goal 5, 7)
 - HUM 1115 Holocaust and Genocide in Film (Goal 6b, 8)
 - HUM 1140 Latin American Culture and Civilization (Goal 6b, 8)
 - MUSC 1160 Music and Protest (Goal 6b)
 - PHIL 1112 Ethics (Goal 6b, 9)
 - POLS 1121 State and Local Government (Goal 5, 9)
 - SOC 1127 Social Inequalities: Race, Class, and Gender (Goal 5, 7)

General Electives 18 credits

Electives may be courses numbered 1000 level or higher from any discipline. Additional Social Justice Breadth Courses for the emphasis are recommended. Examples of non-MnTC courses that may be taken include the following disciplines: ACCT, BUS, CJS, CS, CRDV, EDU, EMS, ENGR, HLTH, HSER, ITC, PA and PE.

Health/Physical Education 2 credits

- For a list of the requirements and courses, go to: inverhills.edu/MnTC
- Health 1
 - Physical Education 1

General Education Requirements 24-25 credits

The Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC) requires a minimum of 40 credits, some of which will be satisfied by the required Social Justice curriculum. You must complete the MnTC courses that are specifically designated below. You may choose the other courses from each goal area from the list located at: inverhills.edu/MnTC

To streamline your degree, you are encouraged to choose MnTC Goal 1-6 courses that also meet MnTC Goal areas 7-10.

- Goal 1 Communication 3 courses
 - ENG 1108 Writing & Research Skills
 - ENG 1111, 1114 OR 1130
 - Goal 1c course (COMM 1110 recommended)
- Goal 2 Critical Thinking
 - Satisfied by First Year Experience course or MnTC Completion
- Goal 3 Natural Science (1 course must include lab) 2 courses
 - Goal 3a (Life Science) course
 - Goal 3b (Physical Sciences) course
- Goal 4 Mathematical/Logical Reasoning 1 course
 - Goal 4 course (MATH 1101, MATH 1103 or PHIL 1115 recommended)
- Goal 5 History/Social Sciences/Behavioral Sciences 3 courses

Two courses met by Social Justice curriculum. Take one course from another department, recommend one of the following:

 - ANTH 1150 Migrants and Refugees
 - COMM 2240 Intercultural Communication
 - GWS 1100 Gender Race and American Culture
 - POLS 1121 State and Local Government
 - SOC 1127 Social Inequalities: Race, Class, and Gender
- Goal 6 Humanities/Fine Arts/Literature 3 courses
 - Goal 6a (Fine Arts) course
 - Goal 6b (Humanities/Literature) course
 - Any additional Goal 6 course

Two of the Goal 6b Social Justice breadth courses recommended:

 - ENG 1180 World Literature
 - HUM 1115 Holocaust and Genocide in Film
 - HUM 1140 Latin American Culture and Civilization
 - MUSC 1160 Music and Protest
 - PHIL 1112 Ethics
- Goal 7 Human Diversity
 - Goal 7 course - satisfied by required curriculum
- Goal 8 Global Perspective. 1 course

Take one course. One of the following breadth courses recommended:

 - ANTH 1150 Migrants and Refugees
 - COMM 2240 Intercultural Communication
 - ENG 1180 World Literature
 - HUM 1115 Holocaust and Genocide in Film
 - HUM 1140 Latin American Culture and Civilization
- Goal 9 Ethical and Civic Responsibility
 - Goal 9 course - satisfied by required curriculum
- Goal 10 People and the Environment 1 course
 - Goal 10 course

TOTAL CREDITS 60

FULL-TIME RECOMMENDED COURSE OF STUDY

Note: Not all courses will be available every semester. For a complete list of Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC) Goal Area course choices, please visit: inverhills.edu/MnTC

Semester 1 14-15 credits

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| First Year Experience Course (Goal 2) | 1-2 |
| SJS 1100 Introduction to Social Justice. | 3 |
| Social Justice breadth course | 3 |
| ENG 1108 Writing & Research Skills (Goal 1a, 2). | 4 |
| COMM 1110 Public Speaking (Goal 1, 2) OR COMM 2240 Intercultural Communication (Goal 5, 8). | 3 |

Semester 2 15-16 credits

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| SJS 1200 Social Justice in Action (Goal 5, 9) | 3 |
| Social Justice breadth course | 3 |
| ENG 1111, 1114 OR 1130 (Goal 1b) | 2-3 |
| MnTC Goal 4 course (MATH 1101, 1103 or PHIL 1115 recommended) | 3-4 |
| MnTC Goal 6a/8 course. | 3 |

Semester 3 15 credits

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| Social Justice breadth course OR general elective ¹ | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 3a | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 1c, 5 OR general course ¹ | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 5, 6b OR general course ¹ | 3 |
| General elective ¹ | 3 |

Semester 4 14-16 credits

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| Social Justice breadth course OR general elective ¹ | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 3b/10 course. | 4 |
| MnTC Goal 5, 6b OR general course ¹ | 3 |
| Health and Physical Education | 2 |
| General elective ¹ | 2-4 |

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PART-TIME RECOMMENDED COURSE OF STUDY

Note: Not all courses will be available every semester. For a complete list of Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC) Goal Area course choices, please visit: inverhills.edu/MnTC

Semester 1 8-9 credits

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| First Year Experience Course (Goal 2) | 1-2 |
| SJS 1100 Introduction to Social Justice. | 3 |
| ENG 1108 Writing & Research Skills (Goal 1a, 2). | 4 |

Semester 2 9 credits

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| Social Justice breadth course | 3 |
| ENG 1111, 1114 OR 1130 (Goal 1b) | 2-3 |
| MnTC Goal 3a course | 3-4 |

Semester 3 9-10 credits

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| COMM 1110 Public Speaking (Goal 1, 2) OR COMM 2240 Intercultural Communication (Goal 5, 8). | 3 |
| Social Justice breadth course | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 4 course (MATH 1101 or PHIL 1115 recommended) | 3-4 |

Semester 4 9 credits

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| SJS 1200 Social Justice in Action (Goal 5, 9) | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 6a/8 course. | 3 |
| Social Justice breadth course OR general elective ¹ | 3 |

Semester 5 10 credits

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| MnTC Goal 1c, 5 OR general course ¹ | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 5, 6b OR general course ¹ | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 3b/10 course | 4 |

Semester 6 9 credits

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| Social Justice breadth course or general elective ¹ | 3 |
| MnTC Goal 5, 6b OR general course ¹ | 3 |
| Health and Physical Education | 2 |

Semester 7 4-6 credits

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| General electives ¹ | 4-6 |
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CERTIFICATE, 15-16

PURPOSE

The Social Justice Certificate prepares students to articulate conceptions of social justice across multiple perspectives, understand forms of oppression, and develop skills and knowledge to become effective social change agents. This certificate may complement work experience, a previous college degree, or build a foundation for the A.A. or A.A. with Emphasis in Social Justice.

Social Justice Curriculum 15-16 credits

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| <i>Social Justice Theory and Action</i> | 6 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>SJS 1100 Introduction to Social Justice</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>SJS 1200 Social Justice in Action: Methods, Skills, and Practice</i> . . . | 3 |
| <i>Social Justice Communication Skills (choose one)</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>COMM 1110 Public Speaking</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>COMM 2240 Intercultural Communication</i> | 3 |
| <i>Social Justice Breadth Courses (choose two)</i> | 6-7 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>ANTH 1160 Migrants and Refugees</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>ENG 1180 World Literature</i> | 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>GWS 1100 Gender Race and American Culture</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>HUM 1115 Holocaust and Genocide in Film</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>HUM 1140 Latin American Culture and Civilization</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>MUSC 1160 Music and Protest</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>PHIL 1112 Ethics</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>POLS 1121 State and Local Government</i> | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>SOC 1127 Social Inequalities: Race, Class, and Gender</i> | 3 |

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