

BLACK CANADIAN STUDIES (BLCK)

BLCK*1000 Introduction to Black Studies in Canada Fall Only (LEC: 3) [0.50]

This course offers a broad introduction to Black Studies in Canada. This course will introduce students to themes and debates that have occupied Black Studies as a field of academic inquiry. The course connects the issues and investments central to Black Studies to the examination of Black lives and communities, social movements and expressive cultures in Canada. Students will develop critical tools, frameworks, and vocabulary for further study in the field.

Restriction(s): This is a Priority Access Course. Enrolment may be restricted to particular programs or specializations. See department for more information.

Department(s): Dean's Office, College of Arts

Location(s): Guelph

BLCK*2000 Black Canadian History Fall Only (LEC: 3) [0.50]

This course offers a general introduction to the history of Black Canada from the era of slavery to the present. This course will reveal how Black Canadians actively shaped their history and the history of the Canadian nation, all in the midst of tremendous challenges. Topics of exploration will include slavery and the slave trade, segregation and organized white supremacy, gender and sexuality, the long civil rights movement, and the rise of the prison industrial complex.

Prerequisite(s): 2.00 credits

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Department(s): Dean's Office, College of Arts

Location(s): Guelph

BLCK*2020 Black Canadian Studies: Research Methodologies Winter Only (LEC: 3) [0.50]

In this course, we will examine the methodologies and method-making of a range of Black scholars, artists, and writers, who disrupt disciplinary projects and normative knowledges, illuminate narratives of Black life and humanity, and think about the possibilities of liberation.

Offering(s): First Offering W24

Prerequisite(s): BLCK*1000 or BLCK*2000

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Department(s): Dean's Office, College of Arts

Location(s): Guelph

BLCK*3000 Theorising Race and Racism Fall Only (LEC: 3) [0.50]

This course explores critical conceptual discussions of the social formation of race and racism, traces the long history of anti-Black racism in Canada, explores the relationship between anti-Black and anti-Indigenous racism, and imagines what would have to occur to achieve a world without racism.

Offering(s): First Offering F24

Prerequisite(s): BLCK*2020

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Department(s): Dean's Office, College of Arts

Location(s): Guelph

BLCK*3010 Experiential Learning in Black Studies Winter Only (LEC: 3) [1.00]

This capstone course for students in the Black Canadian Studies minor will involve a community-engaged learning (CEL) project or an experiential learning (EL) placement in the surrounding community of Guelph/Wellington County. The CEL project or EL placement will focus on some dimension of community involvement that complements the courses completed for the minor.

Prerequisite(s): BLCK*2020

Restriction(s): This is a Priority Access Course. Enrolment may be restricted to particular programs or specializations. See department for more information.

Department(s): Dean's Office, College of Arts

Location(s): Guelph