

General Education and Other Graduation Requirements – Fall 2023

AIMS – Achieving Integration & Mastering Skills

First Year Seminar

FYS - General (Take One Course)

CSUB 1029 First Year Seminar (P)

FYS - Business (Take One Course)

BA 1028 FYS for Business Majors (SELF, P)

FYS – Engineering (Take two courses)

ECE/ENGR 1618 Intro to Engr I (P)

ECE/ENGR 1628 Intro to Engr II(P)

Area A and B4: Foundational Skills: Take one course from each sub-area. Must be completed with a grade of C- or higher.

A1 Oral Communication:

COMM 1008 Strat for Public Speaking (P)

THTR 1009 The Art of Presentation (P)

A2 Written Communication:

ENGL 1109 Writing and Research (P)

A3 Critical Thinking:

PHIL 1019 Critical Thinking (P, HY, OL)

PHIL 2019 Ethical Reasoning(P)

SOC 1018 Contemp. Social Problems (P)

B4 Quantitative Reasoning:

MATH 1209 Stats in Modern World (P)

KINE 2018 Intro to Stats Health Sciences (P)

PSYCH 2018 Stat Method of Research (P, OL)

SOC 2208 Intro to Stats for Research (OL)

Area B: Natural Sciences and Mathematics: Take one course from each sub-area

B1 Physical Science:

CHEM 1019 Chemistry of Wine and Beer (P)

GEOL 1009 How the Earth Works (P)

GEOL 1209 Natural Disasters (P)

PHYS 1609 Intro to Astronomy (P)

B2 Life Science:

BIOL 1009 Perspectives in Biology (P)

BIOL 1039 Principles of Ecology (P)

American Institutions: Take one course in American Institutions-Government and American Institutions-History

AI-Government

PLSI 1018 Am Govt and Politics (CT)(P, OL)

PPA 2008 Am Govt and Pub. Admin (CT, WC)(P, OL)

AI-History

HIST 1218 US History to 1877 (WC)(P,OL,HY)

HIST 1228 US History since 1865 (WC)(P,HY)

Area C: Arts and Humanities: Take one course from each sub-area

C1 Arts:

ART 1009 Practice & App. of Visual Art (WC-co){R}(P)

ART 1019 Art in Context (OL)

ART 2608 Art 1400 to Present (WC){R}(OL)

ART 2708 Art of the Americas (WC){R}(P)

MUS 1019 Music Appreciation (OL)

MUS 1039 Jazz Appreciation (WC-co){R}(P)

THTR 1008 Beginning Acting (P) [SELF]

THTR 1019 Dynamic Leader through Improv. (P)[SELF]

THTR 1109 Intro to Theatre (WC){Q}(P)

C2 Humanities:

COMM 2518 Intro to Film Studies (HY)

ENGL 1208 Intro to Literature (P)

ENGL 2308 British Lit Survey I (WC){R}(OL)

ENGL 2518 Intro to Film Studies (HY)

HIST 1418 World History Pt. 1 (WC-co){R}(P, OL)

HIST 1428 World History Pt. 2 (WC-co){R}(HY)

MODL 2318 International Film & Culture (OL)

PHIL 1119 Intro to Philosophy (OL)

PHIL 1319 Cont. Moral Problems (CT){S}(HY)

PHIL 2129 Philosophy of Self Human Nature (WC){Q}(P)

PHIL/INST 2329 Sexual Ethics [SELF] {Q}(P)

RS 1108 Jesus, Buddha, & Mod. Life (OC){S}(OL)

RS 1128 A History of God (WC-co){R}(P)

RS 1138 Religions of Asia (WC-co){R}(OL)

RS 2018 Anime Spirituality (CT){Q}(P)

RS 2108 Latinx Spiritualities (WC){Q}(P)

Area D: Social and Behavioral Sciences: Any catalog prior to 2021-22, take two courses in different disciplines. Catalog year 2021-22 or later, take one course. Must have completed Area A2 or concurrently in Area A2

D Social and Behavioral Sciences

ANTH 1109 World Archaeology (A2-co){Q}(P)

ANTH 1118 Intro to Anthropology (OL)

ANTH 1318 Intro to Cultural Anthropology (P)

ANTH 2308 Native Peoples of North Am. (A2-co){S}(OL)

CRJU 1108 Intro to Criminal Justice (OL, P)

ECON 2018 Principles of Microeconomics (P)

ECON 2028 Essentials of Macroeconomics (P)

PSYCH 1018 Explorations in Psychology (OL, P)

SOC 1008 Introductions to Sociology (OL, P)

Area F: Ethnic Studies: Catalog year 2021-22 or later,

F Ethnic Studies

ETHS 1208 Intro to Ethnic Studies (OC){R}(P,HY,OL)

ETHS 1308 PAAI Studies (WC){R}(HY)

take one course. Any earlier catalog, no course is required.

SELF: Student Enrichment & Lifelong Fulfillment: Take one course that can double count in another area or a stand-alone course

SELF

BA 1008 Perspectives of Business (P)

BA 1028 FYS for Business Majors (FYS, P)

KINE 1018 Lifetime Fitness (P)

PHIL/INST 2319 Sexual Ethics [C2] (P,)

PSYC 3648 Environmental Psychology (P)

SOC 2018 Self and Society (P, OL)

THTR 1008 Beginning Acting (P) [C1]

THTR 1019 Dynamic Leader through Improv. (P)[C1]

JYDR: Junior Year Diversity and Reflection: Take one course

JYDR

BA 3008 Diversity in Business Org. (WC)(P)

COMM 3088 Gender and Communications (WC,CT)(OL)

ECON 3009 Gender & Diversity in Workplace (P)

EDSP 3268 People with Disabilities & Am Edu (WC)(OL)

EDTE 3308 Sociocultural Foundation of Edu (WC)(OL)

ENGL 3119 Advanced Writing (WC)/GWAR/(P)

INST 3128 Gender and Sexuality (WC)(P)

INST 3138 Ethnicity and Culture (WC)(OL)

KINE 3338 Woman, Sport, and Physical Act. (WC)(OL)

PH 3218 Health Equity (WC)(P)

PHIL 3548 Race, Class, Gender and Sexuality (WC)(OLY)

PSYC 3638 The Psyc of Sexual Orientation (WC)(P)

SOC 3208 Jr Divers. and Research Ethics (WC)(P, OL)

KEY

OC-Oral Communication (A1)
 WC-Written Communication (A2)
 CT-Critical Thinking (A3)
 QR-Quantitative Reasoning (B4)
 '-co'-Co-Requisite
 P Face-to-Face Instruction
 OL Asynchronous Online Instruction
 HY Part Face-to-Face, part synchronous online



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Upper Division Thematic Courses: Take two courses (one course from each of the Areas outside of the area represented by the student's major). Students must have completed at least 60 units and completed or currently be in JYDR before taking UDB, UDC, or UDD.

Upper Division Area B: Junior or higher and completion of Area A and B.

UDB (QR)

GEOL3318 California Geology & Society (WC){R}(P)
GEOL 3328 Water and the West (WC){S}(OL)
SCI 3018 Rev. Ideas in Human Bio (CT){R}(P)
SCI 3209 Computers & Society (WC) {R}(P)
SCI 3609 Intro to Modern Cosmos (WC){R}(P)
SCI 3639 Intro to Weather Dynamics (CT) {S}(OL)

Upper Division Area C: Junior or higher and completion of Area A and C.

UDC (CT)

ART 3618 Rev. Art of 19th Cent. (WC){R}(OL)
ART 3648 Hist of Photography (WC){R}(OL)
COMM 3038 Video Game Analysis (WC){R}(HY,OL)
COMM 3058 Intercultural Comm. (WC){S}(HY)
COMM 3078 Mass Media & Soc. (WC){R}(HY)
COMM 3089 Comm. & the Environment. (WC){S}(OL)
COMM 3098 World Film History (WC){R}(HY)
ENGL 4708 Studies in Genre (WC){R}(P)
HIST 4528 Plagues & Public Health (WC){Q} (P)
MUS 3019 Musical Drama (WC){Q}(OL)
PHIL 3258 Existentialism (WC){Q}(P)
PHIL 3318 Prof Ethics (WC){Q}(OL) [GWAR]
PHIL 3338 Business Ethics (WC){S}(OL)
PHIL 3358 Phil. Tech. & Our Future (WC){R}(P)
PHIL 3368 Enviro. Philosophy (WC){S}(HY)
PHIL 3528 Personhood (WC){S}(P)[UDD]
RS 3208 Explorations in Scripture (WC){R}(OL)
RS 3518 The American Dream (WC){R}(HY,P)
RS 3528 Holocaust & Impact (WC){S}(P, OL)
RS 3538 Religion & Human Right (WC){R}(P)
RS 3548 Spiritual Quest (WC){Q}(P, OL)
RS 4518 The Meaning of Death (WC){Q}(P)
RS 4528 Rel., Ethics Social Justice (WC){S}(OL,P)
THTR 3108 Antiquity to Rebirth (OC){Q}(P)

Upper Division Area D: Junior or higher and completion of Area A and D.

UDD (CT)

ANTH 3308 Anth Through Film (WC){Q} (OL)
ANTH 3318 Peoples of Mexico (WC){S} (HY)
BA 3108 Business and Society. (OC){S}(P)
CRJU 3318 Women & CJ System (WC){S}(OL)
CRJU 3448 Drugs & Crime (WC){S}(OL)
CRJU 3608 Gangs in America (WC){Q}(OL,P)
CRJU 4638 Victims &Crim. Just. System (WC){S}(P)
ECON 3108 Econ of Health & Health Care (QR){Q}(P)
ECON 3118 The Pacific Rim Economies (WC){R}(HY)
ECON 3508 Econ of Envir & Safety Rgtns (QR){S}(P)
ENGL 4648 Sociolinguistics (WC){Q}(OL)
KINE 3118 Epidemiology & Wellness (OC){Q}(P)
PLSI 3428 California Politics (WC){S}(P)
PLSI3648 Food Politics and Policy (WC){S}(P)
PPA 3408 Policy Networks (WC,OC){S}(P)
PSYC 3528 Personhood (WC){S}(P)[UDC]
PSYC 3658 Psych. of Good and Evil (WC){S}(P)
PSYC 4358 Positive Psych (OC){Q}(S1)[SELF]
SCI 3409 Statistical Measures of Inequity (QR){S}(OL)
SOC 3408 Gender and Society (WC){S}(OL)
SOC 3658 Violence and Society (WC){Q}(OL)
SOC 4038 Technology and Society (WC){R}(OL)

GWAR: Graduate Writing Assessment Requirement: Junior or higher and completion of Area A2.

GWAR - General

COMM 3008 Tech and Rpt. Writing (P, HY, OL)
ENGL 3109 Modes of Writing (P)
ENGL 3119 Advanced Writing [JYDR] (P)
HIST 3008 Historical Writing (P)
PHIL 3318 Prof. Ethics Prof Ethics (UDC){Q}(OL)
PPA 4038 Public Policy Process (CT)(P)
GWAR – Major Specific
CHEM 3908 Seminar in Chemical Literature (HY)

Capstone: Student must complete at least 90 units and 2 of the following areas (UDB, UDC, UDD). The departments below offer Capstone as part of their senior seminar. Students whose department is not listed may choose any of the following 1-unit courses below.

Capstone – General (OC)

CSUB 4919 Capstone Theme Q (OL)

Capstone – Major Specific (OC)

BA 4908 Senior Seminar (OL)
BIOL 4918 Senior Seminar Biology (P)
BIOL 4928 Senior Seminar Human Biology (P)
CAFS 4908 Senior Seminar and Capstone (P,OL)
CHEM 4948 Senior Seminar for Biochemistry (P)
CMPS 4948 Senior Seminar (P)
COMM 4908 Senior Seminar (HY)
CRJU 4908 Senior Seminar (P)
ECE 4928 Senior Project II (P)
ERM 4908 Senior Seminar [SELF] (HY)
HIST 4908 Senior Seminar (P)
KINE 4868 Internship and Capstone (P)
LBST 4908 Senior Seminar (HY, OL)
MUS 4908 Senior Seminar (P)
NURS 4908 Leadership in Nursing (OL)
PH 4918 Senior Seminar in Pub. Health (P)
PHIL 4908 Senior Seminar (P)
PSYC 4908 Senior Seminar (P, OL)
RS 4908 Senior Seminar (P)
SOC 4988 Senior Seminar in Sociology (P,TV))
SPAN 4908 Senior Seminar/Capstone (P)

Academic Resources:

Review your academic progress on myCSUB
Departmental contacts and major requirements: www.csub.edu/academics
Major, minor, and GE requirements and course descriptions:
www.csub.edu/catalog
General Education Office: (661)654-3937
Arts and Humanities Student Center: (661)654-2221
Business and Public Admin. Student Center: (661)654-2326
Natural Sci., Math and Engr. Student Center: (661)654-6322
Nursing Student Center: (661)654-2505
Social Sci. and Edu. Student Center: (661)654-6807



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Thematic Minors

By completing four courses (12 units) of course work in the same theme, a student can earn a thematic minor. Two of the courses (6 units) must be at the upper division level.

Theme Q: Quality of Life

B1 Physical Science & B2 Life Science:

None

C1 Arts:

THTR 1109 Intro to Theatre (WC){Q}

C2 Humanities:

PHIL 2129 Philosophy of Self Human Nature (WC){Q}

PHIL/INST 2329 Sexual Ethics [SELF] {Q}

RS 2018 Anime Spirituality (CT){Q}

RS 2108 Latinx Spiritualities (WC){Q}

D Social and Behavioral Sciences

ANTH 1109 World Archaeology (A2-co){Q}

F Ethnic Studies

None

UDB (OR)

None

UDC (CT)

MUS 3019 Musical Drama (WC){Q}

HIST 4528 Plagues & Public Health (WC){Q}

PHIL 3258 Existentialism (WC){Q}

PHIL 3318 Prof Ethics (WC){Q}/GWAR/

RS 3548 Spiritual Quest (WC){Q}

RS 4518 The Meaning of Death (WC){Q}

THTR 3108 Antiquity to Rebirth (OC){Q}

UDD (CT)

ANTH 3308 Anth Through Film (WC){Q}

CRJU 3608 Gangs in America (WC){Q}

ECON 3108 Econ of Health & Health Care (QR){Q}

ENGL 4648 Sociolinguistics (WC){Q}

KINE 3118 Epidemiology & Wellness (OC){Q}

PSYCH 4358 Positive Psych (OC){Q}/SELF/

SOC 3658 Violence and Society (WC){Q}

Theme R: Revolutionary Ideas and Innovations

B1 Physical Science & B2 Life Science:

None

C1 Arts:

ART 1009 Practice & App. of Visual Art (WC-co){R}

ART 2608 Art 1400 to Present (WC){R}

ART 2708 Art of the Americas (WC){R}(P)

MUS 1039 Jazz Appreciation (WC-co){R}

THTR 1019 Dynamic Leader through Improv. [SELF]

C2 Humanities:

ENGL 2308 British Lit Survey I (WC){R}(OL)

HIST 1418 World History Pt. 1 (WC-co){R}

HIST 1428 World History Pt. 2 (WC-co){R}

PHIL 2119 Great Philosophical Ideas (CT){R}

RS 1128 A History of God (WC-co){R}

RS 1138 Religions of Asia (WC-co){R}

D Social and Behavioral Sciences

None

F Ethnic Studies

ETHS 1208 Intro to Ethnic Studies (OC){R}

ETHS 1308 AAPI Studies (WC){R}

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GEOL3318 California Geology & Society (WC){R}

SCI 3018 Rev. Ideas in Human Bio (CT){R}

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COMM 3098 World Film History (WC){R}

ENGL 4708 Studies in Genre (WC){R}

PHIL 3358 Phil. Tech. & Our Future (WC){R}

RS 3208 Explorations in Scripture (WC){R}

RS 3518 The American Dream (WC){R}

RS 3538 Religion & Human Right (WC){R}

UDD (CT)

ECON 3118 The Pacific Rim Economies (WC){R}

SOC 4038 Technology and Society (WC){R}(OL)

Theme S Sustainability and Justice

B1 Physical Science & B2 Life Science:

None

C1 Arts:

None

C2 Humanities:

ENGL 2408 Intro to World Literature (WC){S}

PHIL 1319 Cont. Moral Problems (CT){S}

RS 1108 Jesus, Buddha, & Mod. Life (OC){S}

D Social and Behavioral Sciences

ANTH 2308 Native Peoples of North Am. (A2-co){S}(S2).

F Ethnic Studies

None

UDB (OR)

GEOL 3328 Water and the West (WC){S}

SCI 3639 Intro to Weather Dynamics (CT) {S}

UDC (CT)

COMM 3058 Intercultural Comm. (WC){S}

COMM 3089 Comm. & the Environment. (WC){S}

PHIL 3338 Business Ethics (WC){S}

PHIL 3528 Personhood (WC){S}RS 3528 Holocaust & Impact (WC){S}

UDD (CT)

ANTH 3318 Peoples of Mexico (WC){S}

BA 3108 Business and Society. (OC){S}

CRJU 3318 Women & CJ System (WC){S}

CRJU 3448 Drugs & Crime (WC){S}

CRJU 4638 Victims &Crim. Just. System (WC){S}

ECON 3508 Econ of Envir & Safety Rgltns (QR){S}

PLSI 3428 California Politics (WC){S}

PLSI3648 Food Politics and Policy (WC){S}

PPA 3408 Policy Networks (WC,OC){S}

PSYC 3528 Personhood (WC){S}

PSYC 3658 Psych. of Good and Evil (WC){S}

RS 4528 Rel., Ethics Social Justice (WC){S}

SCI 3409 Statistical Measures of Inequity (QR){S}(P)

SOC 3408 Gender and Society (WC){S}



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