

COLLEGE OF

American Studies



MAJORS

American Studies, BA American Studies, BS American Studies: Pre-Law, BS American Studies: Pre-Law, BA

Instead of preparing you for a single occupation, American Studies coursework prepares you to think, explore and put knowledge into practice. Our graduates have pursued successful careers in a variety of fields, including publishing, public relations, law, public policy, community service and education. **American Studies** examines

- How national identity has been formed and transformed over time
- How issues of race, class, gender, sexuality and embodiment have shaped the nation
- How the United States affects and is affected by other nations in a global system
- How culture impacts political and social relations and influences historical interpretation In addition to a solid foundation in American history, politics, culture and social relations, American

Studies courses help you hone your research and reasoning skills.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Small, discussion-based classes
- Preparation for the pursuit of advanced degrees in Literature, History, and the Law, among other areas

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CAREER & INDUSTRY

- Fire Protection
- Attorney/Judge
- Public Safety
- Banking & Finance
- Politics
- Library Sciences
- Education
- International Relations
- Communications and Media

SALARY

up to

\$53,000*

Students majoring in American Studies make on average between \$32,000 and \$53,000 annually. *Figured based on figures from NACE

GET INVOLVED

Stay active on campus while making lifelong friends. Get involved with groups like CAS Ambassadors, CAS Student Council, Quiz Bowl Team, or Gamers of OSU.

COURSES TO EXPECT

- Era of the American Revolution
- Women in the American West
- History and Film
- Theories and Methods of American Studies

RESEARCH AND OPPORTUNITIES

- U.S. Foreign Relations
- Law and Society
- War and Militarism
- TV and Media Studies
- Community Outreach, including service learning courses
- Research Assistantships with AMST faculty
- Internships

STUDENT INTERNSHIPS

- Legal File Clerk for Zynga San Francisco, CA
- Foreign Trade Intern for Lam Research Fremont, CA
- Intern in the Office of the Secretary for U.S. Department of Commerce - Washington D.C.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Many scholarships are available for prospective freshmen, transfer students, current students and continuing students. For more scholarship information, please visit cas.okstate.edu/scholarships



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