

LATIN AMERICAN, CARIBBEAN, AND US LATINX STUDIES MINOR

Latin America and the Caribbean are home to more than 650 million people of different ethnic, linguistic, and religious backgrounds. These areas are also the origin of more than 62 million Latinos in the United States. Our program (a.k.a. Latin American, Caribbean and US Latinx studies) offers students the opportunity to learn more about these communities, their everyday lives, literary cultures, politics, history, and economics.

In this interdisciplinary curriculum, students select from an array of courses that enable them to explore Latin America from a variety of perspectives while also having the opportunity to focus on a specific area. Students will also gain proficiency in Spanish or Portuguese and explore the ethnic, linguistic, and religious backgrounds of those who call the region home.

The minor complements primary majors in fields such as anthropology, business, geography, political science, history, journalism and Spanish, to name only a few. Latin American studies is one of six interdisciplinary minors focused on international regions and global themes.