**THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS**

**Offers**

**Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Science Degrees in Integrative Studies**

**with a thematic concentration in**

**Latina/o and Mexican-American Studies (LMAS)**

As the U.S. demographics rapidly change and restructure the workforce, corporations, educational institutions, government agencies and other organizations are expected to seek personnel who understand the diversity, complexity, history, politics, sociology, and culture of LMAS communities to maintain a competitive edge in a globalized economy. In response to this projected need, the University of North Texas is offering the multidisciplinary Bachelor of Arts/Science in Integrative Studies degrees with a Latina/o and Mexican-Studies (LMAS) theme that provides students with:

1) **Interdisciplinary knowledge, awareness, and appreciation of the history, literature, anthropology, politics, and creative accomplishments of the Latina/o and Mexican-American culture.**

**2) The option of obtaining a working knowledge and understanding of the Spanish language up to the 2050 level.**

**3) Pathways to achieve minors/certificates that will enhance job opportunities in the legal, business and community engagement environments and future double major pathways are being planned.**

**4) A foundation for future graduate work in Latina/o and Mexican-American Studies.**

This theme starts in the Spring 2014 semester as a joint effort between University of North Texas and Texas Woman’s University. The degree program will include a minimum of 12 specific LMAS-oriented classes (36 hours) that come mostly from six different areas: History, Anthropology, Political Science, Sociology, Spanish and English as listed from the table below.

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| **BACHELOR OF ARTS IN INTEGRATIVE STUDIES** | | |
| **SELECT THREE FIELDS (12 credit hours each; at least 6 hours in each field must be advanced)** | | |
| **HISTORY FIELD:** |  | **POLITICAL SCIENCE FIELD:** |
| **From UNT: HIST 3150\*, HIST 4155, HIST 4190, HIST 4171, HIST 4160, HIST 4150, HIST 4172 , HIST 4180, Optional HIST 4261\*\*\* From TWU: HIST 3753, HIST 3763** | **PSCI 3100\*\*: American Government (Topics: Latino Politics, U.S. Immigration Policies, and Race/Ethnic Relations. PSCI 3700\*\*: Area Politics: Topic: Latin American Politics.** |
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| **SPANISH FIELD:** | **ANTHROPOLOGY FIELD:** |
| **SPAN 3130, SPAN 3140, SPAN 3160, SPAN 3180, SPAN 4010, SPAN 4385** | **ANTH 3210, ANTH 4300, ANTH 4550, ANTH 3140\*, ANTH 4701 (Com Eng Action Rsch); ANTH 3200, ANTH 3220** |
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| **ENGLISH FIELD:** | **SOCIOLOGY FIELD:** |
| **ENGL 3922\*, ENGL 3912, ENGL 3920, ENGL 3850, ENGL 3846** | **FROM UNT: SOCI 2010, SOCI 4540, SOCI 2070, SOCI 4620; From TWU: SOCI 3093, SOCI 3193** |
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| **LMAS ELECTIVES: (LMAS Field course that has not been previously selected in a field.) FROM UNT: ECON 3150, THEA 4370 FROM TWU: WS 3023, WS 2053, and WS 3143** | | |
| **\*LMAS RECOMMENDED COURSE \*\*REPEATABLE COURSE; Topic must be LMAS oriented.** | | |

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