

## Approval Chart for Curriculum Changes

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Course Number \_\_\_\_\_ or Degree Plan(s) GLST, HSST

State the requested change and reason. A memo may be attached if more space is necessary.

We have proposed the addition of two new courses: HIST 330 and HIST 332, and we would like to add both to the menu of options in two major program:  
 Global Studies BA (GLST)  
 High School Teacher Certification - Social Studies BS (HSST)  
 Updated degree plans for each program are attached.

Circle the number that corresponds to the requested change. Degree plan changes are on the second page.

|     |                                                                                                                   | COUNCIL <sup>3</sup> |                  |       |     |      |      |      |         |           |
|-----|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------|-------|-----|------|------|------|---------|-----------|
|     | Change to a Course                                                                                                | Dept./School         | College Academic | Deans | TEC | UGEC | IUAC | GRAD | Provost | President |
| 1.  | Title (description unchanged)                                                                                     | A                    | A                | A     | I   |      |      |      | I       | I         |
| 2.  | Description (not affecting content)                                                                               | A                    | A                | A     | I   |      |      |      | I       | I         |
| 3.  | Course term(s)                                                                                                    | A                    | I                | A     | I   |      |      |      | I       | I         |
| 4.  | Content (substantive change)                                                                                      | A                    | A                | A     | I   |      |      |      | A       | A         |
| 5.  | Number of hours (lecture, lab, contact)                                                                           | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A         |
| 6.  | Course number within the hundred                                                                                  | A                    | A                | I     | I   |      |      |      | I       | I         |
| 7.  | Course number beyond the hundred                                                                                  | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A         |
| 8.  | Prerequisites                                                                                                     | A                    | A                | A     | I   |      |      |      | I       | I         |
| 9.  | Course fee(s)                                                                                                     | A                    | --               | A     | --  |      |      |      | A       | I         |
| 10. | From U to G <i>or</i> G to U                                                                                      | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A         |
| 11. | Cross list with another department: U or G level                                                                  | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A         |
| 12. | Department of record                                                                                              | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A         |
| 13. | Open or close a course                                                                                            | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A         |
| 14. | New course — See website for application and process.<br>This change includes combining or splitting a course(s). | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A         |

Note: When an academic unit does not have a council, the UGEC and/or UUAC will serve as its academic council, depending on the nature of the issue.

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|     | Change to a Degree Plan                                                                                     | Dept./School         | College Academic | Deans | TEC | UGEC | UUAC | GRAD | Provost | Faculty | President | Board of Trustees |
| 1.  | University Requirements — Change in approved course content <sup>6</sup>                                    | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | --      | A         | --                |
| 2.  | University Requirements — Add or drop a required course from the University Requirements chart <sup>6</sup> | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A       | A         | --                |
| 3.  | University Requirements — Add or drop a course from a menu within the University Requirements <sup>6</sup>  | A                    | --               | --    | A   |      |      |      | A       | --      | A         | --                |
| 4.  | University Requirements — Change hours within a menu on the University Requirements chart <sup>6</sup>      | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A       | A         | --                |
|     |                                                                                                             |                      |                  |       |     |      |      |      |         |         |           |                   |
| 5.  | Major — Revision of major <sup>4,5</sup>                                                                    | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | --      | A         | --                |
| 6.  | Major — Adopt or change admission requirements                                                              | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | --      | A         | --                |
| 7.  | Major — Add <sup>4,5</sup>                                                                                  | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A       | A         | I                 |
| 8.  | Major – Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)                                                 | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A       | A         | I                 |
| 9.  | Major – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)                                                               | See below.           |                  |       |     |      |      |      |         |         |           |                   |
|     |                                                                                                             |                      |                  |       |     |      |      |      |         |         |           |                   |
| 10. | GPA — Revise major or cumulative requirement                                                                | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A       | A         | --                |
|     |                                                                                                             |                      |                  |       |     |      |      |      |         |         |           |                   |
| 11. | Minor — Revise course selection                                                                             | A                    | A                | A     | I   |      |      |      | I       | --      | I         | --                |
| 12. | Minor — Add                                                                                                 | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | --      | A         | --                |
| 13. | Minor – Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)                                                 | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | --      | A         | --                |
| 14. | Minor – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)                                                               | See below.           |                  |       |     |      |      |      |         |         |           |                   |
|     |                                                                                                             |                      |                  |       |     |      |      |      |         |         |           |                   |
| 15. | Degree — Add                                                                                                | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A       | A         | I                 |
| 16. | Degree – Discontinue (proposed by the department or college)                                                | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | A       | A         | I                 |
| 17. | Degree – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)                                                              | See below.           |                  |       |     |      |      |      |         |         |           |                   |
| 18. | Any change to a graduate degree program                                                                     | A                    | A                | A     | A   |      |      |      | A       | --      | A         | --                |

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|                      | Provost-Proposed Change                                        | Provost | Department | Dean | TEC | UUAC | Graduate | Faculty | President | Board of Trustees |
| 1.                   | Major/Graduate Program – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost) | A       | R          | R    | A   |      |          | A       | A         | I                 |
| 2.                   | Minor – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)                  | A       | R          | R    | A   |      |          | --      | A         | --                |
| 3.                   | Degree – Discontinue (proposed by the Provost)                 | A       | R          | R    | A   |      |          | A       | A         | I                 |

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| 1. | General requirements for graduation including course requirements that are common to all majors for all degrees <sup>7</sup> | --           | --               | --    |      | A    |      | A       | A       | A         |
| 2. | Admission requirements                                                                                                       | --           | --               | --    |      | A    |      | A       | A       | A         |
| 3. | Policies governing academic probation and suspension                                                                         | --           | --               | --    |      | A    |      | A       | A       | A         |
| 4. | Requirements for graduating with honors                                                                                      | --           | --               | --    |      | A    |      | A       | A       | A         |
|    |                                                                                                                              |              |                  |       |      |      |      |         |         |           |
| 5. | Other academic policy changes                                                                                                | --           | --               | --    |      | A    |      | A       | --      | A         |

<sup>1</sup> Councils may request additional information about “Information” items. These items are approved as “Consent Agenda.”

<sup>2</sup> The Dean and Department should respond to the Provost’s recommendation to close a program in writing. Advise & Respond (R) requires that the voting body should receive the written responses at least one week prior to the vote.

<sup>3</sup> All courses that meet University Requirements for general education must go through UGEC. Courses or degrees offered only to students seeking teacher certification must go through the Teacher Education Council. All undergraduate changes must go before the UUAC. All graduate degree plan changes must go through the Graduate Council.

<sup>4</sup> A minimum of 30 hours is required for a major. A maximum is specified for each degree (e.g., BA, BS). The university minimum for elective hours is 6, unless the requirements of external accrediting bodies make it impossible.

<sup>5</sup> Program or course changes that apply to any major that includes Teacher Certification will be reviewed by the college, the Teacher Education Council (TEC), and then the UUAC.

<sup>6</sup> Courses that satisfy ACU’s University Requirements (General Education) will normally have lower-level numbering, be free of prerequisites and co-requisites, appeal to more than one or two majors, and “not narrowly focus on those skills, techniques, and procedures specific to a particular occupation or profession” (SACS 2.7.3). Departments may request exceptions to the first three criteria.

<sup>7</sup> The UUAC approved the clarification that “general requirements for graduation” means the enumerated items in the “General Requirements for Bachelor’s Degrees” section of the catalog.

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# Global Studies, BA (GLST)

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## University Requirements

Please see the [University Requirements](#) section of this catalog.

## Major Requirements

### Global Studies Core Courses

[ECON 260 - Principles of Macroeconomics](#) Credit Hours: 3 \*

[ENGL 231 - World Literature I](#) Credit Hours: 3

or

[ENGL 232 - World Literature II](#) Credit Hours: 3

[ANTH 101 - Introduction to Anthropology](#) Credit Hours: 3 \*

[GLST 120 - Introduction to Global Issues](#) Credit Hours: 3 \*

[GLST 499 - Global Studies Seminar](#) Credit Hours: 3 (capstone and writing-intensive course)

[HIST 131 - World History: Cultures and Connections since 1400](#) Credit Hours: 3 \*

[POLS 227 - Introduction to International Relations](#) Credit Hours: 3

\*Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours

**Total: 9 Credit Hours**

## Global Selections

### Global Culture & Communication:

#### Select two courses

(must be from two different prefixes).

[COMM 345 - Intercultural Communication](#) Credit Hours: 3

[GEOG 354 - Cultural Geography](#) Credit Hours: 3

GLST 200-480

[SPAN 342 - Peninsular Spanish Culture](#) Credit Hours: 3

[SPAN 343 - Latin American Culture](#) Credit Hours: 3

[SPAN 345 - Culture of South American Southern Cone](#) Credit Hours: 3

[SPAN 360 - Survey of Peninsular Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 361 - Survey of Latin American Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 365 - Survey of South American Southern Cone Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 444 - Revolution and Insurrection in Latin America](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 460 - Drama](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 461 - Novel](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 462 - Short Story](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 470 - Christian Expression in Hispanic Writings](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 471 - Borges and Cortázar](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 480 - Methods of Spanish Acquisition](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SPAN 499 - Spanish Capstone](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[FREN 341 - Introduction to French Culture](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[FREN 461 - Medieval and Renaissance Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[FREN 462 - Twentieth-Century French Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3

## Social Issues:

Select two courses from this menu.

[HIST 330 – African American History: From Emancipation to Civil Rights](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[HIST 332 – The Early Modern Atlantic World](#) Credit Hours: 3  
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~~[HIST 332 – The Early Modern Atlantic World](#) Credit Hours: 3~~  
[BIBL 342 - Christianity in Culture](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[ENGL 328 - Social Justice: A Rhetoric](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[HIST 455 - Social and Ethnic History in U.S.](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[PHIL 451 - Philosophy and Social Justice](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[POLS 393 - Peace, Power and Politics](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[PSYC 305 - Peacemaking](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[PSYC 345 - Sexual Minorities: Identities and Communities](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SOCI 442 - Cultural Diversity](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[SOCI 480 - Inequality and Social Justice](#) Credit Hours: 3

## Global Politics:

Select two courses from this menu.

[POLS 344 - Comparative Politics](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[POLS 345 - Comparative Public Policy](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[POLS 357 - West European Politics](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[POLS 358 - CIS and East European Politics](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[POLS 360 - Politics of Developing Countries](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[POLS 361 - Politics of the Middle East](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[POLS 385 - American Foreign Policy](#) Credit Hours: 3  
[POLS 484 - International Law and Organizations](#) Credit Hours: 3

[POLS 485 - International Political Economy](#) Credit Hours: 3

[POLS 487 - Terrorism Studies](#) Credit Hours: 3

[POLS 488 - Topics in International Politics](#) Credit Hours: 3

## Global Structures:

Select two courses from this menu.

[BLAW 363 - Legal Environment of Business](#) Credit Hours: 3

[BUSA 419 - International Business](#) Credit Hours: 3

[ECON 438 - International Poverty and Development](#) Credit Hours: 3

[ENVR 320 - Energy Resources](#) Credit Hours: 3

[ENVR 410 - Environmental Law and Policy](#) Credit Hours: 3

[ENVR 420 - Environmental Thought](#) Credit Hours: 3

[GEOG 235 - World Geography](#) Credit Hours: 3

[GEOG 354 - Cultural Geography](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 451 - American Diplomacy](#) Credit Hours: 3

## Global History:

Select one course from this menu.

[HIST 414 - Islam and the West](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 418 - Britain and Empire, 1689-present](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 419 - Revolution and Empire: Europe in the Long Nineteenth Century](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 436 - Africa in Global Context](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 451 - American Diplomacy](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 474 - Europe in Crisis: Dictatorship and Division since 1914](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 478 - Encounters: Latin America to 1830](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 479 - Revolutions: Latin America, 1810 to Present](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 490 - The Cosmic Race: A History of Mexico](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 491 - China, India, and the West since the 14th Century: Mongols, Poppies, & Satyagraha](#) Credit Hours: 3

## Global Religion:

Choose one course from this menu.

[BMIS 245 - Understanding Culture for Global Service](#) Credit Hours: 3

[BMIS 371 - Religion in Global Contexts](#) Credit Hours: 3

[BMIS 391 - Service in Global Contexts](#) Credit Hours: 3

[BMIS 420 - Gospel in a Multicultural World](#) Credit Hours: 3

[BMIS 458 - Focused Training in Missions](#) Credit Hours: 3

[ENGL 471 - Literature and Belief](#) Credit Hours: 3

[PHIL 478 - Philosophy of Religion](#) Credit Hours: 3

[SOCI 477 - Sociology of Religion](#) Credit Hours: 3

## Global Elective:

### Choose three additional courses

(not previously taken) from the above Global Selections menus (must be from three different prefixes) Credit Hours: 9

**Total: 39 Credit Hours**

## Study Abroad

It is highly recommended that each student "Study Abroad" at least once in order to gain practical cross-cultural learning experiences.

## Foreign Language Proficiency

Sophomore level proficiency in a second language must be demonstrated by students whose first language is English

**Total: 6 Credit Hours**

## Electives

Students are strongly encouraged to use electives to pursue a complementary minor Credit Hours: 18

**Total Major Hours: 72**

## Other Graduation Requirements

Minimum GPA in major: 2.75  
Minimum GPA for Graduation: 2.00  
Minimum advanced hours: 33  
Minimum total hours: 128

*Courses numbered 0\*\* do not count in minimum hours required for degree.*



# High School Teacher Certification - Social Studies, BS (HSST)

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## University Requirements

Please see the [University Requirements](#) section of this catalog.

## Requirements for Teaching Field

### Social Studies

[HIST 117 - Civilization I](#) Credit Hours: 3 \*\*

[HIST 118 - Civilization II](#) Credit Hours: 3

or

[HIST 131 - World History: Cultures and Connections since 1400](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 221 - American History I](#) Credit Hours: 3 \* \*\*

[HIST 222 - American History II](#) Credit Hours: 3 \* \*\*

[HIST 280 - Texas History](#) Credit Hours: 3

*\*All non-transfer students must take [HIST 221](#) and [HIST 222](#) in residence.*

*\*\*Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours*

### United States History (choose 1 course)

[HIST 330 - African American History: From Emancipation to Civil Rights](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 402 - Nation-Building, US Antebellum Era](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 404 - The Gilded Age/Progressive Era in the United States](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 405 - Coming of Age: The United States in the Twentieth Century](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 451 - American Diplomacy](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 455 - Social and Ethnic History in U.S.](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 458 - World War II: A Military and Social History](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 483 - Legacies of Conquest: Empire and the Growth of the American West](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 484 - A Clash of Cultures: The Civil War in Nineteenth Century America](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 486 - War and Society](#) Credit Hours: 3

## European History (choose 1 course)

[HIST 408 - Mesopotamia: Cradle of Civilization](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 409 - Homer's Children: The World of Ancient Greece](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 410 - The Ancient Roman World](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 413 - The Medieval Era](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 418 - Britain and Empire, 1689-present](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 419 - Revolution and Empire: Europe in the Long Nineteenth Century](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 458 - World War II: A Military and Social History](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 472 - Early Modern Europe: The Renaissance and Reformation Eras](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 474 - Europe in Crisis: Dictatorship and Division since 1914](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 486 - War and Society](#) Credit Hours: 3

## Non-western History (choose 1 course)

[HIST 332 - Early Modern Atlantic World](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 408 - Mesopotamia: Cradle of Civilization](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 414 - Islam and the West](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 436 - Africa in Global Context](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 478 - Encounters: Latin America to 1830](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 479 - Revolutions: Latin America, 1810 to Present](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 490 - The Cosmic Race: A History of Mexico](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 491 - China, India, and the West since the 14th Century: Mongols, Poppies, & Satyagraha](#) Credit Hours: 3

## Other Required Courses

[ECON 260 - Principles of Macroeconomics](#) Credit Hours: 3 \*

[ECON 261 - Principles of Microeconomics](#) Credit Hours: 3

[GEOG 235 - World Geography](#) Credit Hours: 3

[GEOG 354 - Cultural Geography](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 496 - History for Teachers](#) Credit Hours: 3

[HIST 353 - Historical Methods](#) Credit Hours: 3 (writing-intensive course)

[POLS 225 - National Government](#) Credit Hours: 3

or

[POLS 226 - States and Federal System](#) Credit Hours: 3

[POLS 384 - American Judicial Process](#) Credit Hours: 3

or

[POLS 432 - Constitutional Law: Civil Rights](#) Credit Hours: 3

[POLS 381 - American Political Process](#) Credit Hours: 3

or

[POLS 491 - Recent Political Theory](#) Credit Hours: 3

or

[POLS 492 - American Political Thought](#) Credit Hours: 3

or

[POLS 344 - Comparative Politics](#) Credit Hours: 3

[PSYC 120 - Introduction to Psychology](#) Credit Hours: 3

or

[SOCI 111 - Introduction to Sociology](#) Credit Hours: 3

\*Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours

**Total: 45 Credit Hours**

## Professional Education Requirements

[EDUC 211 - Educational Foundations and Multicultural Perspectives](#) Credit Hours: 3

[EDUC 221 - Educational Psychology](#) Credit Hours: 3

[EDUC 412 - Secondary Curriculum and Media](#) Credit Hours: 3 (capstone course)

[EDUC 432 - Secondary Management and Methods](#) Credit Hours: 3 (writing-intensive and capstone course)

[EDUC 476 - Effective Teaching Strategies for English Language Learners](#) Credit Hours: 3

[EDUC 490 - Clinical Teaching](#) Credit Hours: 6 (capstone course)

[READ 322 - Reading in Secondary Content Areas](#) Credit Hours: 3

[SPED 371 - Teaching Students with Special Needs](#) Credit Hours: 3

\*Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours

**Total: 24 Credit Hours**

## Electives

Minimum - 3 Credit Hours

**Total Major Hours: 72**

## Criteria for Admission to Teacher Education

In accordance with Texas state law, students must meet the [admission criteria](#).

# Other Graduation Requirements

Minimum GPA for graduation: 2.75

Minimum advanced hours: 33

Minimum total hours: 128

*Courses numbered 0\*\* do not count in minimum hours required for degree.*