The World of Society and Civics

Description: Humans behave and interact in complex and consequential ways. Their ability to govern effectively themselves through political and civil institutions requires knowledge of history, political structures, and democratic principles; a commitment to civility, mutual respect, and civic responsibility; and skills in critical inquiry, reasoning, deliberating, collaboration, and civic problem-solving. The motives and consequences of human behavior and interaction are explained from biological, psychological, political, economic, social, cultural, and philosophical perspectives, among others. Students must examine human behavior through theories that address individual and collective behaviors.

Students will be able to:
1. Explain individual or collective human behavior from economic, political, psychological, sociological or other socially important perspectives, or
2. Demonstrate knowledge of the diverse ways that humans define and enforce boundaries and rules on their behavior and interactions, or
3. Demonstrate knowledge of the importance of civic engagement and the organizations of civic institutions.

**ACCOUNTING**
- ACCT 1315 Personal Financial Planning (cross listed w/ FIN 1315)

**COMMUNICATION**
- COMMRC 0030 Introduction to Communication
- COMMRC 0230 Mass Communication Process
- COMMRC 0650 Theories of Interpersonal Comm
- COMMRC 1107 Gender and Communication
- COMMRC 1131 Organizational Communication
- COMMRC 1132 Political Communication
- COMMRC 1134 Small Group Communication
- COMMRC 1135 Medical Communication
- COMMRC 1136 Nonverbal Communication
- COMMRC 1176 Media Effects

**ECONOMICS**
- ECN 0105 Intro to Microeconomic Theory

**ENGLISH LITERATURE**
- ENGLIT 0345 Literature and the Environment
- ENGLIT 0361 Women and Literature
- ENGLIT 0557 Intro to Literature for Adolescents
- ENGLIT 0561 Introduction to Shakespeare
- ENGLIT 0621 African-American Literature
- ENGLIT 0690 Literature of Terrorism
- ENGLIT 0695 Literature of War
- ENGLIT 1248 Literature of Minority Women
- ENGLIT 1363 Spy Fiction
- ENGLIT 1647 Literature for Adolescents

**FINANCE**
- FIN 1315 Personal Financial Planning (cross listed w/ ACCT 1315)

**FOUNDATIONS OF EDUCATION**
- FDSED 1171 Educ Law, Policy, and Ethical Leadership

**GEOGRAPHY**
- GEOG 0310 Geography of the United States

**HISTORY**
- HIST 0610 US History to 1877
- HIST 0620 US History 1877 to Present
- HIST 0760 Intro to Public History
- HIST 1409 The Early Republic: US 1783-1815
- HIST 1410 American Revolution 1763-1791
- HIST 1411 Antebellum America 1815-1865

**JUSTICE ADMINISTRATION & CRIMINOLOGY**
- JAC 0200 Corrections
- JAC 0265 Inequality, Crime & Justice (cross listed w/ SOC 0265)
- JAC 0715 Intro to Criminal Justice (cross listed w/ SOC 0715)
- JAC 0720 Criminal Justice (cross listed w/ SOC 0720)
- JAC 0725 Criminal Court Procedure
- JAC 1433 Juvenile Delinquency (cross listed w/ SOC 1433)

**JOURNALISM**
- JRNLL 0053 Introduction to Journalism
- JRNLL 1132 Reporting 1
- JRNLL 1145 Broadcast Journalism
- JRNLL 1147 The Media & The Law

**MARKETING**
- MRKT 0600 Principles of Marketing

**PHILOSOPHY**
- PHIL 0013 Concepts of Human Nature
- PHIL 0083 Intro to Philosophy
- PHIL 0303 Introduction to Ethics
- PHIL 0353 Philosophy and Public Issues
- PHIL 0440 Minds and Machines
- PHIL 0841 Science and Religion
- PHIL 1157 Philosophy of Language

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**
- PS 0066 American Political Process
- PS 0210 National Policymaking
- PS 1206 Free Speech in America
- PS 1207 American Constitutional Law
- PS 1209 Media, Politics and the Law
- PS 1214 US Congress
- PS 1215 American Presidency
- PS 1237 Political Parties and Elections
- PS 1245 Environmental Politics & Policy
- PS 1700 Political Science Research

**PSYCHOLOGY**
- PSY 0210 Social Psychology
- PSY 0230 Child Development
- PSY 0240 Theories of Personality
- PSY 0260 Adolescent Development
- PSY 0384 Adult Development & Aging
- PSY 1141 Psychopathology
- PSY 1636 Organizational Psychology

**SOCIOMETRY**
- SOC 0070 Social Problems
- SOC 0100 Introduction to Sociology
- SOC 0202 Sociology of Sports
- SOC 0221 Social Psychology
- SOC 0265 Inequality, Crime & Justice (cross listed w/ JAC 0265)
- SOC 0340 Political Sociology
- SOC 0440 Urban Sociology
- SOC 0409 Sociology of Gender
- SOC 0600 Sociology of Diversity
- SOC 0710 Deviance and Social Control
- SOC 0715 Intro to Criminal Justice (cross listed w/ JAC 0715)
- SOC 0720 Criminology (cross listed w/ JAC 0720)
- SOC 1433 Juvenile Delinquency (cross listed w/ JAC 1433)

**THEATRE**
- THEA 0045 Stage Management
- THEA 1500 Voice and Movement
- THEA 1502 Acting 1

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