

Qualifying elective courses with an Indigenous focus

SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER DIPLOMA INDIGENOUS FOCUS

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Anthropology

<p>ANTH 111</p>	<p>First Nations of British Columbia — Traditional Cultures</p> <p>An introduction to the anthropological literature on the indigenous cultures of the coast and interior of British Columbia. Topics include the archaeological record, languages, resource use, social structure, ceremonies, culture changes following the arrival of Europeans and the expansion of the Canadian state, and the relationship between colonialism and colonization</p>	
<p>ANTH 211</p>	<p>Aboriginal Peoples in BC: Contemporary Issues</p> <p>This course will focus on issues of importance to aboriginal communities in BC related to land claims, self-government, and various aspects of community development including education, family, health and wellness, and resource management, as well as urbanization. Relevant historical events, circumstances, and/or current initiatives will be explored using key concepts and methods of analysis used by social scientists. Significant aspects of aboriginal/nonaboriginal interactions, relationships, and experiences will be examined</p>	

ANTH 387 **Aboriginal**

Criminology

CRIM 211	Indigenous Peoples, Crime and Criminal Justice Examines historical and contemporary issues regarding Indigenous Peoples crime, and the criminal justice system, including the impact of colonization, government policies and programs, and the increasing role of Indigenous communities in implementing justice initiatives	
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English

ENGL 253	Introduction to Storytelling in Indigenous, Theatrical, and Global Communities This course introduces students to storytelling by exploring the relationship between community, (auto) biography, and performance. Students learn protocols, creative processes, and storytelling techniques. The course includes an introduction to Stó:lō stories. Students will create and perform their own stories.	
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Geography

GEOG 447	Aboriginal Geography Using geographical models and methods of analysis, this course will explore the different human geographies created by, and the various geographical imaginations of, aboriginal, indigenous, and/or non-aboriginal Peoples and cultures before, during, and after contact with Europe. Field trips outside of class time are required.	
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History

HIST 103	Stó:lō History Examines key themes in the history of the Stó:lō Peoples from the pre contact era to the present. Emphasis will be given to oral history as a way of accessing and documenting a community's knowledge of its own past	
HIST 327		

interpersonal skills. Develops a sense of belonging in a post secondary setting while respecting Indigenous identities and world

Political Science

POSC 336	History of Indigenous Leadership An exploration of colonial and pre-colonial styles of Indigenous Leadership, with a focus on the Stó:l Sí:yá:m system. This course focuses on the ways in which Indigenous leaders have shaped, and continue to shape, the political, and economic fabric of modern Canada and First Nations in Canada.	
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Social Work

SOWK 392	Indigenous Social Work Students examine allyship between Indigenous Peoples (First Nation, Metis, and Inuit) and social work practitioners. Students critically reflect on their social location, values, and beliefs about working with Indigenous Peoples so that they develop a practice framework based on social justice.	
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Sociology

SOC 387	Aboriginal Peoples of Canada This course looks at selected studies of cultural patterns and contemporary issues of Aboriginal Peoples in Canada (including First Nations, Inuit, and Metis).	
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