



BA in LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES (570125) MAP Sheet
 International and Area Studies
 For students entering the degree program during the 2016–2017 curricular year.

UNIVERSITY CORE AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS				PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (36–52 total hours)	
UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Courses cannot be double counted between the different requirements sections in the major. 	
<u>Requirements</u>	<u>#Classes</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Classes</u>		
Religion Cornerstones					
Teachings and Doctrine, Book of Mormon	1	2.0	Rel A 275		
Jesus Christ & the Everlasting Gospel	1	2.0	Rel A 250		
Foundations of the Restoration	1	2.0	Rel C 225		
The Eternal Family	1	2.0	Rel C 200		
The Individual and Society					
Citizenship					
American Heritage	1–2	3–6.0	from approved list		
Global & Cultural Awareness	1	3.0	IHum 260*, or Port 321* or 355*, or Span 321 or 355*		
Skills					
Effective Communication					
First-Year Writing	1	3.0	Wrtg 150 recommended		
Adv Written & Oral Communication	1	3.0	from approved list		
Quantitative Reasoning	0–1	0–3.0	from approved list		
Languages of Learning (Math or Language)	1	3–16.0	Port 321 or 355*, or Span 321 or 355*		
Arts, Letters, and Sciences					
Civilization 1 and 2					
Arts	1	3.0	from approved list		
Letters	1	3.0	IHum 260*, Port 339* or Span 339* recommended		
Scientific Principles & Reasoning					
Biological Science	1–2	3–5.0	from approved list		
Physical Science	1–2	3–7.0	from approved list		
Social Science	1	3.0	Lt Am 495		
Core Enrichment: Electives					
Religion Electives	3–4	6.0	from approved list		
Open Electives	Variable	Variable	personal choice		
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:					
Minimum residence hours required		30.0			
Minimum hours needed to graduate		120.0			
				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete the following: Lt Am 211 Intro to Latin American Studies 3.0 Complete the following prerequisite courses or equivalents: Either Port 101 First-Year Portuguese 4.0 Port 102 First-Year Portuguese 4.0 Port 201 Third-Semester Portuguese 4.0 Port 202* 4th-Sem Portug. Reading/Comprehension 4.0 Or Span 101 Foundational Spanish 1 4.0 Span 102 Foundational Spanish 2 4.0 Span 105 University Spanish 1 4.0 Span 106 University Spanish 2 4.0 Span 205* University Spanish 3 4.0 Span 206 Intensive Spanish Skills Development 4.0 Complete one of the following options: Either Port 321* 3rd-Year Portug. Grammar & Composition 3.0 Port 355* Brazilian Civilization 3.0 (Prerequisite: Port 321 or equivalent) Or Span 321* 3rd-Year Spanish Reading, Grammar, and Culture 3.0 Span 355* Spanish-American Culture and Civilization 3.0 (Prerequisite: Span 321 or equivalent) Complete three social science courses from the following: (No more than one course from each discipline) Geog 255 Middle and South America 3.0 Hist 251 Conquest & Colonization of Latin Amer. 3.0 Or Hist 252 Modern Latin America (3.0) Poli 358 Latin American Politics 3.0 Or Poli 380 International Relations of Latin America (3.0) Soc 345 World Populations 3.0 Complete two humanities courses from the following: IHum 260* Humanities of Latin America 3.0 Port 356R Special Topics in Brazilian Culture 3.0 Port 439R Lusio-Brazilian Theatre Production 3.0 Port 451 Survey of Brazilian Literature 3.0 Port 339* Intro to Portuguese & Brazilian Literature 3.0 Span 339* Introduction to Spanish Literature 3.0 Span 356R Special Topics in Spanish American Culture 3.0 Span 423 Border Spanish 3.0 Span 451 Survey of Hispanic-American Literature 3.0 Span 461 Spanish-Speaking Am. (Mexican-Am.) Lit. 3.0 Complete 6 elective hours from the attached list. 6.0 Complete the following: Lt Am 495 Senior Seminar in Latin American Studies 3.0 Complete 3 hours of an internship course, a service learning course, or Study Abroad program course. 3.0 a. Internship students (field study or service learning) will register for IAS 399R; b. Study Abroad programs shall be in a Latin American venue, either Portuguese speaking or Spanish speaking; students must enroll in a 3.0 credit hour international or cross-cultural course during their program (e.g., IAS 380R). Note: The hours used for this requirement cannot double count for previous requirements. Note: All Spanish and Portuguese courses may double count toward a minor or second major in Spanish and Portuguese. Please see the Department of Spanish and Portuguese for more information. Foreign Culture: All students majoring in International and Area Studies programs are encouraged to seek a meaningful experience with a foreign culture as part of their academic program. With prior approval, credit earned while participating in a university-sponsored Study Abroad program, the Washington Seminar, international internships, or other supervised foreign experience may be applied toward major requirements. For further information see the faculty coordinator. Individual considerations or problems will be referred to the program's advisory committee. 	

FOR MORE INFORMATION, SEE YOUR COLLEGE ADVISEMENT CENTER.
 *These classes fill both University Core and program requirements (6–22 hours overlap)

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International Internships: The internship program in the International and Area Studies department is designed to assist students in locating and tailoring an internship that fits their academic needs. It is a program for serious students who, seeing beyond the academic credit, are ready to give service and make a contribution while preparing for a career. A student may earn up to 9 credit hours depending on the length of the internship. Complete information on requirements and current internships can be obtained in the Study Abroad Office (101 HRCB) or see www.kennedy.byu.edu.

Study Abroad: Study Abroad programs are open to students from all university majors. Students need not be formally admitted to BYU to participate in Study Abroad, and BYU credit may be transferred to their home institution. In these programs students are able to further their General Education; pursue specialized courses in languages, the social sciences, humanities, fine arts, and other fields; gain valuable insights into their own country; and further international understanding.

Note: Some university departments accept Study Abroad course credits toward their major. Several Study Abroad courses fill GE requirements in Arts and Sciences or the Foreign Language or Mathematics option. See the list of approved courses in the General Education section of the BYU Undergraduate Catalog or the current class schedule and counsel with the directors regarding specific courses.

Suggested Sequence of Courses:

FIRST YEAR

1st Semester

First-year Writing or A Htg 100	3.0
Religion Cornerstone course	2.0
Span 105(FWSpSu) or Port 101 (FW)	4.0 (4.0)
Quantitative Reasoning (if needed)	0–3.0
General electives	3–6.0
Total Hours	15.0

2nd Semester

A Htg 100 or First-year Writing	3.0
Religion Cornerstone course	2.0
Span 106 (FWSpSu) or Port 101 (FW)	4.0 (4.0)
General electives	6.0
Total Hours	15.0

SECOND YEAR

3rd Semester

Lt Am 211	3.0
Civilization 1	3.0
Religion Cornerstone course	2.0
Span 205 (FWSpSu) or Port 201 (F)	4.0 (4.0)
General electives	3.0
Total Hours	15.0

4th Semester

Civilization 2	3.0
Span 206 (FWSpSu) or Port 202 (W)	3.0 (3.0)
Biological or Physical Science elective	3.0
Religion elective	2.0
General electives	4.0
Total Hours	15.0

THIRD YEAR

5th Semester

Biological or Physical Science elective	3.0
Religion Cornerstone course	2.0
Span or Port 321 (FWSp)	3.0
Lt Am Humanities elective	3.0
Arts or Letters elective	3.0
General electives	2.0
Total Hours	16.0

6th Semester

Span or Port 355 (FW)	3.0
Lt Am Humanities elective	3.0
Latin American Studies elective	3.0
Advanced Written & Oral Communications	3.0
Religion elective	2.0
Total Hours	14.0

FOURTH YEAR

7th Semester

Arts or Letters elective	3.0
Internship/Study Abroad requirement	3.0
Religion elective	2.0
Lt Am Social Science electives (2)	6.0
General electives	2.0
Total Hours	16.0

8th Semester

Lt Am 495	3.0
Latin American Studies elective	3.0
Latin American Studies elective	3.0
Lt Am Social Science elective	3.0
GE Social Science elective	3.0
Total Hours	15.0

Note: Contact the advisement center for help in outlining an efficient schedule.

THE DISCIPLINE:

Designed to give a rich background in the languages, culture, and conditions of Latin America, the Latin American Studies program provides a multidisciplinary approach to university education. Courses from BYU's various academic departments (anthropology, Spanish and Portuguese, political science, sociology, history, etc.) teach skills in perceptive reading, analytical thinking, and clear and forceful writing, as well as provide in-depth understanding of Latin American cultures, languages, and history.

HONORARY SOCIETIES AND CLUBS

International Student Association, Salsa Club, Intercultural Outreach (IAS 353R), Model U.N. (IAS 351R), Sigma Iota Rho, and Student Association for Latin American Studies (SALAS).

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:

Excellent career opportunities exist for those who prepare well in Latin American Studies. The degree offers a broad, general background in the liberal arts, and graduates are well-prepared for careers in government, private industry, nonprofit organizations, some domestic and foreign teaching opportunities, the Peace Corps, the military, and other professions in which an understanding and appreciation of Latin America are required. Many graduates go into law, medicine, business, journalism, editing, advertising, etc. Others have had success in government, such as working for the State Department, immigration, the FBI, and other agencies.

Students are encouraged to pursue a strong minor in a single academic discipline to enhance their career objectives. The combination of another discipline and Latin American Studies makes the student attractive to employers desiring specific job skills as well as cultural understanding and appreciation.

Note: Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the cost and the number of semesters to graduate.

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Elective Course List

Anthr 326	Guatemalan Society and Culture	3.0
Anthr 355	Mesoamerican Archaeology	3.0
Bus M 596R	Business Language (Spanish or Portuguese)	3.0
Hist 251	Conquest and Colonization of Latin America	3.0
Hist 252	Modern Latin America	3.0
Hist 326	History of Mexico	3.0
Hist 355	History of Argentina	3.0
Hist 356	Brazil	3.0
Hist 357	The Indian in Latin American History	3.0
Hist 358	Gender and History in Latin America	3.0
Hist 359	Inter-American Relations	3.0
Hist 363	The Spanish Frontier in North America	3.0
Hist 385	Latinos in the United States	3.0
Hist 424	Romance Language Handwriting & Documents	3.0
IAS 399R	Academic Internship: International	9.0V
Poli 379R	Topics in International Relations (Must be Latin American relevant.)	3.0V
Poli 380	International Relations of Latin America	3.0
Port 325	Survey of Luso-Brazilian Linguistics	3.0
Port 326	Portuguese Phonetics and Pronunciation	3.0

Port 339*	Intro to Portuguese and Brazilian Literature	3.0
Port 355*	Brazilian Civilization	3.0
Port 356R	Special Topics in Brazilian Culture	3.0
Port 395R	Contemporary Culture	3.0V
Port 438	Luso-Brazilian Cinema	3.0
Port 439R	Luso-Brazilian Theatre Production	3.0
Port 451	Survey of Brazilian Literature	3.0
Port 452	Machado de Assis	3.0
Port 453	Twentieth-Century Brazilian Literature	3.0
Port 459R	Special Topics in Brazilian Literature	3.0
Port 520	Advanced Portuguese Grammar	3.0
Port 521	Romance Philology	3.0
Port 522	History of the Portuguese Language	3.0
Port 529R	Special Topics in Portuguese Linguistics	3.0
Port 599R	Academic Internship: Portuguese Internship	3.0V
Soc 345	World Populations	3.0
Span 325	Survey of Hispanic Linguistics	3.0
Span 326	Spanish Phonetics and Pronunciation	3.0

Span 339*	Introduction to Spanish Literature	3.0
Span 355*	Spanish American Culture and Civilization	3.0
Span 356R	Special Topics in Spanish American Culture	3.0
Span 395R	Contemporary Culture	3.0V
Span 423	Border Spanish	3.0
Span 425	Contrastive Analysis of the Structures of Span & Engl	3.0
Span 438	Hispanic Cinema	3.0
Span 450R	Early Spanish-American Literature	3.0
Span 454R	The Spanish American Novel	3.0
Span 455R	Spanish American Poetry	3.0
Span 456R	Spanish American Drama	3.0
Span 458R	Hispanic-American Short Story	3.0
Span 459R	Special Topics in Spanish American Literature	3.0
Span 461	Spanish-Speaking American (Mexican-American) Lit.	3.0
Span 520	Problems in Spanish Grammar	3.0
Span 521	Romance Philology	3.0
Span 522	History of the Spanish Language	3.0
Span 529R	Special Topics in Spanish Linguistics	3.0

Other courses with Latin American topics may also be used with prior approval from the program coordinator.