

# **Bachelor of Science APPLIED INDIGENOUS STUDIES**

2010-2011 Undergraduate Catalog

## **Degree Progression Plan**

Freshman Year							
1 <sup>st</sup> term			2 <sup>nd</sup> term				
AIS 101	Introduction to Indigenous Studies	3	AIS 201	American Indian Expression	3		
MAT 114 or	Quantitative Reasoning or (FNRQ)	3	MAT 114 or	Quantitative Reasoning or (FNRQ)	3		
ENG 105	Critical Reading/Writing (FNRQ)	4	ENG 105	Critical Reading/Writing (FNRQ)	4		
NAU 100	Transition to College	1	LS	Liberal Studies (SCI:SAS) 3			
FS Seminar	Liberal Studies	3	LS	Liberal Studies			
GE	General Elective	4	AIS/POS 210	Current American Indian Government	3		
Total units 14-15 Total				Total units	15-16		

Sophomore Year						
3 <sup>rd</sup> term			4 <sup>th</sup> term			
AIS 202	Roots Fed American Indian Policy	3	AIS elective	See Catalog or Advisor	3	
AIS elective	See Catalog or Advisor	3	Minor Course	See Catalog or Advisor	3	
LS	Liberal Studies	3	LS	Liberal Studies	3	
Minor Course	See Catalog or Advisor	3	LS	Liberal Studies (SCI:LAB)	4	
GE	General Elective	3	GE	General Elective	2	
	Total units	15		Total units	15	

Junior Year						
5 <sup>th</sup> term			6 <sup>th</sup> term			
AIS 304	Indigenous-State Relations	3	AIS 350	Research Methods for AIS	3	
AIS 301W	Communication Skills for AIS	3	Minor Course	See Catalog or Advisor	3	
Minor Course	See Catalog or Advisor	3	Minor Course	See Catalog or Advisor	3	
LS	Liberal Studies	3	LS	Liberal Studies	3	
GE	General Elective	3	GE	General Elective	3	
Total units				Total units	15	

Senior Year						
7 <sup>th</sup> term			8 <sup>th</sup> term			
AIS 404	Indigenous Nation-building	3	AIS 490C	Indigenous Nations in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century	3	
AIS 408	Fieldwork or Internship (traditionally offered during summer before or after senior year)	3	AIS elective	See Catalog or Advisor	3	
AIS elective	See Catalog or Advisor	3	Minor or GE	See Catalog or Advisor	3	
Minor Course	See Catalog or Advisor	3	Minor or GE	See Catalog or Advisor	3	
LS	Liberal Studies	3	GE	General Elective	3	
Total units		15		Total units	15	

- This degree progression plan is to be used in conjunction with the academic catalog and degree progress report.
- Students should see an academic advisor regularly to confirm their academic progress.
- Students must see an academic advisor before enrollment for the 7<sup>th</sup> term in preparation for graduation.
- Many courses have pre-requisites. Please check the academic catalog for pre-requisite and placement information.
- Submit graduation application during 7<sup>th</sup> term.

#### Liberal Studies Distribution blocks

AHI (6 units)	AHI (6 units) SPW (6 units)		Science (7 units)	Additional 3 units	
				to reach 35 total	

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#### **PROGRAM INFORMATION**

Individualized coursework (AIS 408 and AIS 497) may be used toward your Applied Indigenous Studies Degree with prior written approval from your Applied Indigenous Studies faculty advisor and the department chair. Only individualized coursework with an AIS prefix may be used. Individualized coursework includes the following: (AIS 408 Field Work 1-12 units maximum) and AIS 497 (Independent Study, 1-6 units maximum). It is highly recommended for students to plan on enrolling in AIS 408 during the summer term. Students must speak with a faculty advisor early in the term before the one they plan to do the AIS 408 in to complete all necessary arrangements. Failure to do so may result in not earning credit for the internship which may delay graduation.

Students may select from the following areas of interest: tribal policy, politics and administration; indigenous environmental and human health sciences, policy and management, cultural resource management and indigenous knowledge, and sustainable community economic development and indigenous entrepreneurship.

You may also use AIS 299, AIS 399 or AIS 499 toward your plan requirements. These are topics courses that provide in-depth study of an aspect, concept, or issue within this plan. May be repeated for a maximum of 6 units of credit. A grade of "C" or better is required in all coursework (42 units) applied toward this plan to earn your degree in Applied Indigenous Studies.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- This 8-term plan is to be used in conjunction with the academic catalog and degree progress report.
- Honors students complete different requirements to meet NAU's Liberal Studies program. Students should consult an Honors Program advisor for complete information on fulfilling Honors Liberal Studies requirements.
- Students should see an academic advisor regularly to confirm their academic progress.
- Students must see an academic advisor before enrollment for the 7<sup>th</sup> term in preparation for graduation.
- All students are required to complete at least 120 total units which includes:
  - 35 units of liberal studies courses: <a href="http://www4.nau.edu/aio/LScourselist.htm">http://www4.nau.edu/aio/LScourselist.htm</a>
  - 6 units of diversity courses: (3 units in Global & 3 units in Ethnic): http://www4.nau.edu/aio/DiversityCourseList.htm
  - 30 units of upper division courses (300-400 level), 18 of these units must be taken at NAU
- English placement: http://testing.nau.edu/exams/placement.html
- Math placement:

http://www.cefns.nau.edu/Academic/Math/studentInformation/Placement/Placement.shtml

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