

# Native American Studies (NATAMST)

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## **NATAMST R1A Native American Studies Reading and Composition 4 Units**

**Department:** Native American Studies

**Course level:** Undergraduate

**Terms course may be offered:** Fall, spring and summer

**Grading:** Letter grade.

**Hours and format:** 10 hours of lecture/writing workshop per week for 6 weeks. 3 hours of lecture and 1 hour of writing workshop per week for 15 weeks.

**Prerequisites:** Satisfaction of UC Entry Level Writing Requirement.

This course introduces students to the genres of Native American literature (written and oral traditions), provides historical and cultural frameworks for understanding, appreciating, and interpreting Native American writings, and develops basic skills in expository and creative writing. Satisfies the first half of the Reading and Composition requirement.

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## **NATAMST R1B Native American Studies Reading and Composition 4 Units**

**Department:** Native American Studies

**Course level:** Undergraduate

**Terms course may be offered:** Fall, spring and summer

**Grading:** Letter grade.

**Hours and format:** 8 hours of lecture and 2 hours of writing workshop per week for 8 hours of lecture and 2 hours of writing workshop per week for 3 hours of lecture and 1 hour of writing workshop per week. 3 hours of lecture and 1 hour of writing workshop per week. 6 weeks. 6 weeks.

**Prerequisites:** 1A.

Course examines Native American written and oral traditions in historical and cultural contexts. Emphasis on literary interpretation and creative and analytical writing, so that students increasingly write from positions of strength. Satisfies the second half of the Reading and Composition requirement.

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## **NATAMST 20A Introduction to Native American Studies 4 Units**

**Department:** Native American Studies

**Course level:** Undergraduate

**Terms course may be offered:** Fall and summer

**Grading:** Letter grade.

**Hours and format:** 3 hours of Lecture and 1 hour of Tutorial per week for 15 weeks. 7.5 hours of Lecture and 2.5 hours of Tutorial per week for 6 weeks.

This course explores the interactions, from friendship treaties and land deals to contemporary American governmental policies, between America's original inhabitants with Europeans and Euro-Americans. Emphasis will be placed on how tribal peoples continue to react to the national myths and policies created by Europeans and Euro-Americans.

## **NATAMST 20B Introduction to Native American Studies II: Cultural Practice, Art, and Identity 4 Units**

**Department:** Native American Studies

**Course level:** Undergraduate

**Terms course may be offered:** Spring and summer

**Grading:** Letter grade.

**Hours and format:** 3 hours of Lecture and 1 hour of Discussion per week for 15 weeks. 7.5 hours of Lecture per week for 6 weeks.

This course explores Native American identity practices in written and oral traditions in literature, art, dance, theatre, ceremony, and song. The place of these traditions in the contemporary day will be emphasized as creative