

HIST 21 Ancient Americas: A History through Art**Units:** 3 **Hours:** 3 Lecture**Advisory:** Eligible for English 250.**Transferable:** CSU; UC; CSU-GE: C1, C2; IGETC: 3A; GAV-GE: C2, F

A critical survey of history through the arts of pre-Columbian natives of North, Central and South America. The course will cover major societies and events from the appearance of major civilizations through the initial colonization efforts of European nations. Due to the distinct history of the Americas, this course uses the arts - architecture, sculpture, ceramics and painting, among others - of ancient societies as a primary source material. This course has the option of a letter grade or pass/no pass. This course is also listed as ART 21.

HORTICULTURE**HORT 20 Principles of Horticulture****Units:** 3 **Hours:** 2 Lecture, 3 Laboratory**Transferable:** CSU

This course will become active for the fall 2007 semester.

This course will provide an introduction to horticulture and crop science. It will cover the biological principles of basic plant processes, classification, anatomy, physiology, and biotechnology. The course will also evaluate the global ecological/environmental and socioeconomic value of plants. Topics will also include the effect of the environment of plants and how we control it, an introduction to plant growth including propagation, media, irrigation, nutrition, management, harvest, and post harvest handling, and people's use of plants. Field trip required.

HUMANITIES**HUM 3 Introduction to the Cinema****Units:** 3 **Hours:** 3 Lecture**Advisory:** Eligible for English 250 and 260.**Transferable:** CSU; UC; CSU-GE: C2; IGETC: 3B; GAV-GE: C2

This course provides an introduction to the cinema. It includes a view of the inventors and the technological developments that led to the modern motion picture; an historical perspective on the growth and development of cinema including significant films that contributed to its establishment as an art form, a study of film genres such as the comedy, the musical, and the western; the technology of image and sound; and a look at the basic techniques of filmmakers when they attempt to convey meaning.

HUM 4 Introduction to American Cinema**Units:** 3 **Hours:** 3 Lecture**Advisory:** English 440**Transferable:** CSU; UC; CSU-GE: C2; IGETC: 3B; GAV-GE: C2

This introductory course in film studies is a survey of the American film industry as an art form, as an industry, and as a system of representation and communication. The course explores how Hollywood films work technically, aesthetically, and culturally to reinforce and challenge America's national self-image.

HUM 5 Humanities Through The Arts**Units:** 3 **Hours:** 3 Lecture**Advisory:** English 440**Transferable:** CSU; UC; CSU-GE: C2; IGETC: 3B; GAV-GE: C2

A survey of the human condition as seen through film, drama, music, literature, painting, sculpture, and architecture, with an emphasis on the history, techniques, meaning, and evaluation of individual works of Western Art.

HUM 6 Foreign Cinema**Units:** 3 **Hours:** 3 Lecture**Transferable:** CSU; UC; CSU-GE: C1; IGETC: 3A; GAV-GE: C1

This class is a survey of significant developments in narrative film outside Hollywood. Differing international contexts, theoretical movements, technological innovations, and major directors are studied. The class offers a global, historical overview of narrative content and structure, production techniques, audience, and distribution. Students screen a variety of rare and popular films, focusing on the artistic, historical, social, and cultural contexts of film production. Students develop critical thinking skills and address issues of popular culture, including race, class, gender, and equity.

HUM 10 Approaches to Contemporary Film**Units:** 3 **Hours:** 3 Lecture**Advisory:** Eligibility for English 250 and 260.**Transferable:** CSU; UC; CSU-GE: C1, C2; IGETC: 3B; GAV-GE: C1, C2

Approaches to Contemporary Film examines theories of film criticism as they apply to films from 1960 to the present. Students learn technical, visual, classical, historical, cultural, ideological, and aesthetic approaches to film and sample from a representative list of foreign and domestic movies. Special emphasis is given to new voices from non-American sources and to emerging voices in American cinema.

HUM 25A Film Production**Units:** 3 **Hours:** 2 Lecture, 3 Laboratory**Transferable:** CSU; UC

In this class students are introduced to basic theory, concepts, and practice of video and film production, both in the studio and in the field. Students learn skills in camera operation, lighting, audio, and editing. Students will learn the tools of the narrative film/video director's art. Working in production groups, students learn to break down scripted material in order to prepare to shoot dramatic scenes and sequences on camera. Students learn techniques for working with actors on camera. Students apply production planning and management skills. Students learn the basics of production lighting design, including script analysis, basic 3 point lighting, fill, key, differences between perceived light, and recorded light (video, film). Students learn the basics of production sound design, including the recording of sound, foley, looping, and postproduction.

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY**IT 115 Industrial Safety****Units:** 3 **Hours:** 3 Lecture**Advisory:** Eligible for English 250 and English 260.**Transferable:** CSU

This course is an introduction to the construction industry. It will cover the basic skill sets required to earn an entry-level position in various trades in construction. Students will learn basic math, vocabulary, blue print reading and safety skills along with the soft skills required to gain employment. This course has the option of a letter grade or pass/no pass.

IT 116 Introduction to Process Improvement**Units:** 2 **Hours:** 2 Lecture**Advisory:** Mathematics 205.**Transferable:** CSU

An introduction to quality environment in the work place. Students will learn how to work as a team, solve problems, communicate effectively, gather and record data and interpret a variety of charts.

IT 117 Statistical Methods for Improving Performance**Units:** 2 **Hours:** 2 Lecture**Advisory:** Mathematics 205**Transferable:** CSU

An introductory course to improving performance in the work place. Students will learn to work as a team to apply statistical methods in business and industry. These methods include data collection, cause and effect analysis, frequency distributions, and the construction and interpretation of control charts.