# Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Ethnic Studies

**Admissions:** Open  
**Process:** Declaration  
**Min. Total Credits:** 120 (79 in core & major + 41 in electives)

## UHM General Education Core Requirements

### Foundations
- FW
- FS
- FG (A / B / C)
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### Diversification
- DA / DH / DL
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- DB
- DP
- DY
- DS
- DS

* See degree, college and major requirements for courses that can also fulfill these.

## UHM Graduation Requirements

### Focus
- H
- E (300+)
- O (300+)

- W
- W
- W
- W (300+)
- W (300+)

### Hawaiian / Second Language
- 101
- 102
- 201
- 202

### Credit Minimums
- 120 total applicable
- 30 in residence at UHM
- 45 upper division (300+ level) credits

### Grade Point Average
- 2.0 cumulative or higher (Note: Other GPAs may be required.)
- Good academic standing

## Degree Requirements

- **Mathematics:** MATH 100, 112, 140, 161, 203, 215, 241, 251A; PHIL 110, 111; BUS 250; ICS 141, 241; NREM 203; or SOCS 150 (Students must still fulfill the General Education FS requirement.)

## College Requirements

- **A & S Options – Complete at least one option**  
  (Cannot double count with Gen. Ed. Core)
- **Bachelor of Arts Breadth (3 credit each)**
  - AH
  - LLL
  - NS
  - SS

- **Bachelor of Arts Depth – see list of A & S depts.**

### Global Experience Preferred Option (GEPO)

*Option 4:* Global Experience Preferred Option (GEPO) for Social Science majors in lieu of: Option 1 (Breadth requirements); or Option 2 (Depth requirements). Complete at least 12-15 credits in a UH Manoa Study Abroad program or UH Manoa International Exchange program. The minimum course grade to fulfill the GEPO option through Study Abroad is a C (not C-). All courses in Study Abroad must be taken for letter grades.

### Credit Maximums
- 8 KRS activity
- 9 Directed Reading / Research
- 12 Practicum / Internship

*This requirement does not apply to students entering UHM in Fall 2013 and continuing students who choose the new requirement. Contact your advisor if you have any questions.*

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*This program sheet was prepared to provide information and does not constitute a contract. See back for major requirements. Meet regularly with your major advisor.*
Major Requirements for BA in Ethnic Studies

Admission: Freshmen = Open; Transfer = Complete ES 101 with a “C” grade.

Application: NA

Min. major credits: 30

Min. C grade (not C-) in all courses

Requirements

Ethnic Studies Core Courses (6 credits)

- ES 101*
- ES 380

Ethnic Studies History and Social Dynamics of Ethnic Groups Courses (Group 1) (12 credits)

- ES 200+
- ES 300+*DH
- ES 300+
- ES 300+

Courses from ES 221, 305, 306, 330*DH, 331*DH, 332*DH, 333*DH, 335*DH, 338*DH, and 339.

History, Theories, and Problems of Ethnic Groups and Ethnicity in the Framework of Social, Economic, and Political Change Courses (Group 2) (12 credits)

- ES 300+*DL
- ES 300+
- ES 300+
- ES 300+


Notes

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