



INDIGENOUS STUDIES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

Think About It.

For centuries Arkansas has been home to multiple Native American civilizations, whose industry, ideas, and art informed and continue to enrich the globe. Seek the minor in Indigenous Studies and get connected to Arkansas and beyond through the vibrancy of Indigenous worlds.

The Minor in Indigenous Studies

(INDS) Requirements:

- 3 courses, 1 from each of the 3 core groups:
Culture, History, and Literature
- 2 additional elective courses from the list for
a total of 5 courses or 15 credit hours*

*Other courses not listed may serve the requirements, though only as approved by the Indigenous Studies Program director. Only 6 credit hours can count toward requirements of other majors and minors.



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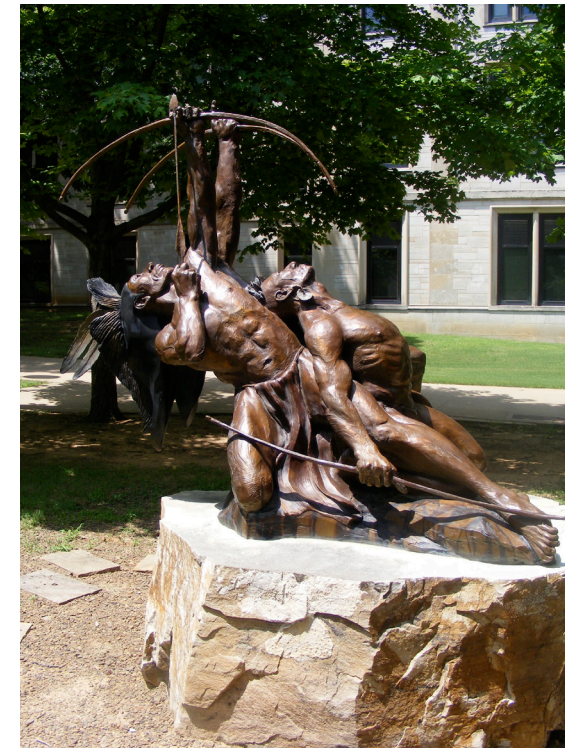


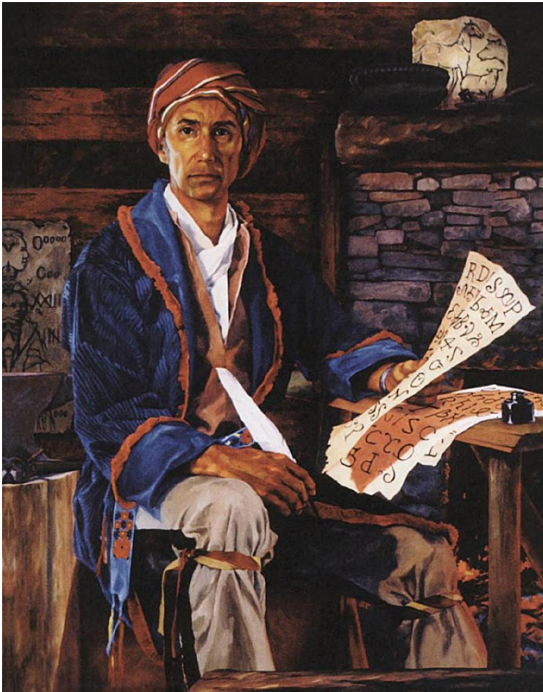
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"Sequoyah" by Carlisle Urello, 1988

The Indigenous Studies minor invites discovery of alternative world views, ecological relationships, societies, religions, arts, and governments of indigenous peoples in North America and beyond from antiquity to the present. Immersed in this inherently interdisciplinary field of study, students have the opportunity to master and employ its many theories and methodologies, debates and issues, in often comparative contexts. Such exposure and training prepare those who achieve the minor for graduate work in the humanities, business, law, and the sciences as they pertain to indigenous peoples, but also for any career that requires a supple knowledge of cultural difference between Arkansas and an increasingly global world.

Why Indigenous Studies?

America began over thirty thousand years ago when Indigenous people first circled the fire to share ideas and art. Take a course, encounter an Indigenous life, and celebrate the imagination to build a world.

"The Indigenous Studies minor has enriched my knowledge of Native American people." --Gabriella Tovar, student, Navajo Nation

Meet Your Professors

Shaun Austen, History
 Freddie Bowles, Education
 Robert Cochran, English
 John DuVal, English
 Kirstin Erickson, Anthropology
 Janie Hipp, Law
 Toni Jensen, English
 Linda Jones, World Languages
 Stacy Leeds, Law
 R. D. Madison, English
 Martin Matlock, Engineering
 Justin Nolan, Anthropology
 Luis Fernando Restrepo, Spanish
 George Sabo, Anthropology
 Frank Scheide, Communication
 Sean Teuton, English
 Elliot West, History
 Jeannie Whayne, History
 Kay Yandell, English



Courses

Culture

ANTH 3203 American Indians Today
 ANTH 3213 Indians of North America
 ANTH 3263 Indians of Arkansas and the South
 ANTH 3473 Native American Prehistory
 ANTH 3533 Medical Anthropology
 ANTH 4143 Ecological Anthropology
 History
 HIST 3263 History of the American Indian
 Literature
 COMM 3983 Topics: Native Americans in Film
 ENGL 3553 Topics in Native Literature*
 ENGL 4553 Studies in Native Literature*
 WLLC 4043 New France Archives#
 WLLC 4053 French Mississippi Archives#

*Topics and studies include over a dozen courses.

#Courses focus on early Indigenous and French encounters including the Arkansas area. Taught in English.