Nebraska Wesleyan University

Catalog 2016-2017

SOC 2340 Latino Experiences in U.S. Society

3 hours

Majors, Minors & Degrees:

Majors

Social Work (B.A.) Social Work (B.S.)

Majors (Adult)

Social Work (B.S.) (adult evening program)

Minors

American Minority Studies

Departments/Programs:

Sociology and Anthropology

This course explores the history and contemporary issues of Latinos in U.S. society. It covers the contributions and experiences of the diverse racial/ethnic/cultural groups from Central and South America, Mexico, and the Caribbean who have become part of the society both as immigrants and as conquered peoples. Topics related to Latino experiences in the U.S. include: identity, language, immigration, population growth, political involvement, education, health, integration, and economics. (Normally offered each fall semester.)