

PROGRAM of STUDY

Please type all required information. Do not handwrite. List courses in the order they were/will be completed. Each course, directed reading, independent study, etc. should be listed on a separate line. Include only those courses that will be applied to the degree.

MASTER of ARTS

F740/R633

MAJOR: Native American Studies (dual degree with Juris Doctorate)

NAME: _____

OU ID: _____

Language requirement: Students must take an introductory Native American language course (3-5 hours outside of the 36-hour minimum for the degree) or demonstrate a level of comprehension by testing out by an OU Native American language instructor or a tribally certified language instructor. Students can meet this requirement if they have completed Native American language courses in their undergraduate degree.

COURSE PREFIX & NUMBER	COURSE NAME	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER & YEAR	CREDIT*
* For OU graduate courses including Norman, Tulsa, Advanced Programs and Liberal Studies, leave this column blank. For transfer credit (including OU Health Sciences Center courses), enter the institution name in this column. For courses also applied to the J.D., enter <u>Shared</u> in this column. Up to 24 hours may be shared.					

REQUIRED COURSEWORK: 12 hours.

NAS 5103	Interdisciplinary Seminar	3			
NAS 5123	Contemporary Issues in Native American Studies	3			

Either NAS 5043 Sovereignty, Law, and Policy or 3 hours LAW 5610 Federal Indian Law.

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Either NAS 5033 Research Methods in Native American Studies, or 2 hours LAW 6320 Directed Legal Research and LAW 6311 American Indian Law Review.

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POLICY, LAW & GOVERNANCE: 3 hours. Courses as approved by graduate liaison or department chair.

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HUMANITIES & FINE ARTS: 3 hours. Courses as approved by graduate liaison or department chair.

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SOCIAL SCIENCES: Courses as approved by graduate liaison or department chair.

Historical Perspectives: 3 hours.

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Culture & Heritage: 3 hours from Language, Anthropology, or Cultural Management.

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ELECTIVES: 6 hours. Two additional courses about Native American Subject Matter (must be approved by faculty advisor). Other LAW courses with a demonstrated connection to Native American Law may be substituted by petition of the candidate with permission of the NAS Program Director in consultation with the Law College.

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THESIS RESEARCH: 6 hours required. A completed [Master's Thesis Topic and Committee Membership form](#) must be attached.

NAS 5980	Research for Master's Thesis				
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TOTAL HOURS:

36 hours required

I intend to graduate in the _____ semester. I hereby request approval of my program of study as outlined above. I understand that I am responsible for reviewing the policies and procedures governing graduate study at the University of Oklahoma as published in the *Graduate College Bulletin*.

Student Signature _____

Date _____

Language proficiency requirement was/will be fulfilled on: _____

I have reviewed the above-named student's proposed program of study and I recommend approval.

Printed Name of Graduate Liaison _____

Graduate Liaison Signature _____

Date _____

FOR GRADUATE COLLEGE USE ONLY:

Program effective **Fall 2010**. Semester Admitted/Re-admitted: _____

Language requirement met: _____

Date Checked: ____/____/____

Timeline Begins: _____

Hours Required: _____

OK _____ Problem _____

