

American Ethnic Studies

DISCOVER



SEATTLE COLLEGES
North · Central · South

What is the program?

American Ethnic Studies is the interdisciplinary and comparative exploration of people of color histories and issues in the U.S. We connect these experiences to global and transnational relationships including themes of empire, colonization, militarism and resistance.

**KNOW
HISTORY
KNOW
SELF**

JOSE RIZAL



Where is this program offered?

Courses mainly offered at Central but some at North and South.
Courses may be offered once a year.

Entry Requirements

Some courses recommend ENGL 101 eligibility but otherwise no prerequisites

Ethnic Studies born out of Student Activism

San Francisco State College

S.F. STATE COLLEGE ARCHIVES

STRIKE
DAILY

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MASS STRIKE CALLED

10 THIRD WORLD DEMANDS

- 1 THE BLACK STUDIES DEPARTMENT MUST BE GRANTED FULL DEPARTMENTAL STATUS IMMEDIATELY, WITH ALL BLACK STUDIES COURSES PLACED UNDER ITS JURISDICTION.
- 2 THE BLACK STUDIES DEPARTMENT WILL GRANT A B.A. IN BLACK STUDIES.
- 3 DR. NATHAN HARE, CHAIRMAN OF THE BLACK STUDIES DEPARTMENT, MUST BE GIVEN A SALARY SUITED TO HIS QUALIFICATIONS.
- 4 UNUSED SPECIAL ADMISSION SLOTS FROM THIS SEMESTER MUST BE FILLED NEXT SEMESTER BY THIRD WORLD STUDENTS.
- 5 ALL THIRD WORLD STUDENTS APPLYING TO SF STATE IN THE FALL, 1969, MUST BE ADMITTED.
- 6 TWENTY FULL TIME TEACHING POSITIONS MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE BLACK STUDIES DEPARTMENT.
- 7 HELEN BEDESEN MUST BE REPLACED AS FINANCIAL AID ADMINISTRATOR BY A THIRD WORLD PERSON WHO CAN MEET THE SPECIAL NEEDS OF THIRD WORLD STUDENTS.
- 8 NO DISCIPLINARY ACTION WILL BE TAKEN AGAINST STUDENTS, FACULTY, STAFF OR ADMINISTRATORS FOR THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THIS STRIKE.
- 9 THE CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE PROPOSAL TO RESTRICT STUDENT SELF GOVERNMENT AND AUTHORIZE THE ADMINISTRATION TO DISSOLVE STUDENT PROGRAMS WILL NOT BE IMPLEMENTED.
- 10 GEORGE MURRAY MUST RETAIN HIS TEACHING POSITION.

STUDENTS ASKED TO WALK OUT

If you support the ten demands; if you object to being an instrument in the latest attack on George Murray of the Black Panther Party by the people who run this state; if you are appalled by the latest repressive measures of the Chancellor's office and the Board of Trustees; if you think you are entitled to some say over your own education and your own life; if you feel that Black people are entitled to the same things and have been forced to put up with a vicious system of institutionalized racism for too long; if you support the student progressors or feel you have a right to demonstrate on campus; if you feel any sympathy at all for the attempt by Black people to liberate themselves from the rule of a racist power structure...then you support this strike. We call upon all students to boycott their classes, to participate as actively in the strike as they can, to stand together and make themselves heard. We need everybody.


THIS IS THE FIRST ISSUE OF WHAT WE HOPE WILL BE A CONTINUING DAILY NEWSPAPER. ANYONE AND EVERYONE WHO SUPPORTS THE STRIKE AND WANTS TO RAP ABOUT IT IS WELCOME TO CONTRIBUTE POSITIONS, ARGUMENTS, POEMS, HUMOR, SATIRE, ANYTHING. WE'LL PRINT AS MUCH OF IT AS WE CAN. BRING YOUR STUFF TO THE OPEN PROCESS OFFICE IN HUT C OR CALL 468-1441.

THE NORTH WEST FACTS 10c

THE NORTHWEST'S LARGEST BLACK OWNED PUBLICATION
"The Truth Is Great The FACTS Are Reality"

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Asian-Ancestry Community College Students Demand Official Voice

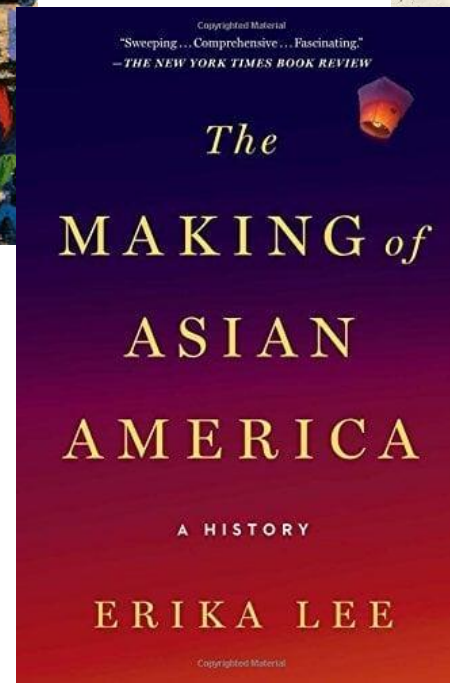
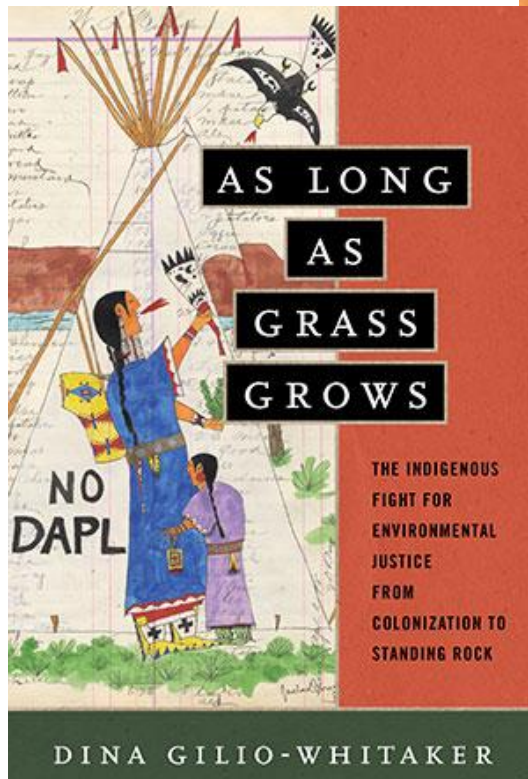
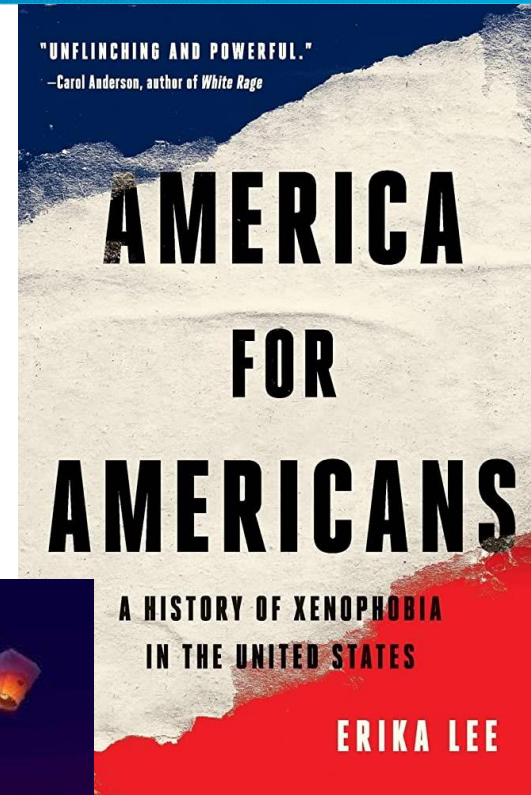
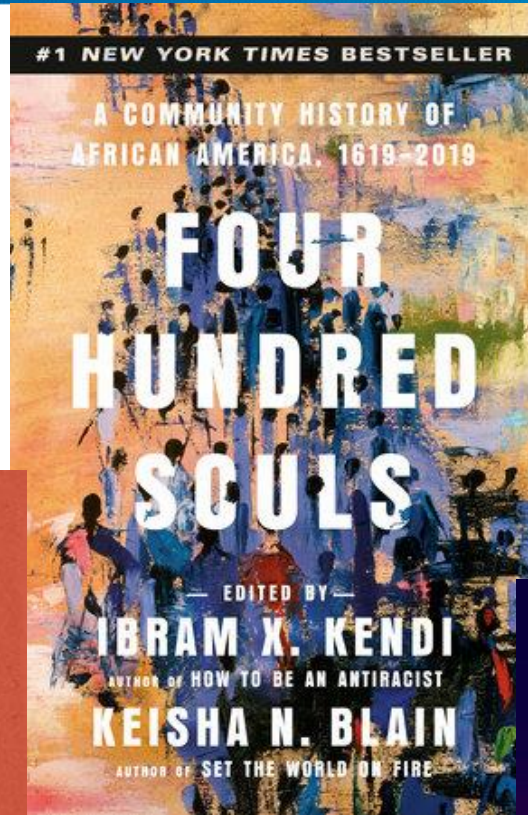


Members and applauders of the Seattle Community College's Oriental Student Union circled on the sidewalk in front of the central city campus on Broadway this week to emphasize demands college trustees hire immediately five administrators of Asian ancestry.

What do you learn?

- Faculty who teach these courses may have degrees or extensive coursework in Ethnic Studies
- Readings and films by people of color
- Projects may include oral histories or service-learning (volunteering a minimum of 16 hours with a community-based organization in connection with course themes)
- Students learn about themselves in relation to local, state and national histories with an emphasis on social justice movements
- Critical thinking and engagement is encouraged

Books we love!



Education Pathway

- A full-time student could complete an Associate of Arts (2-year degree) in two years
- Courses are not sequential
- Ethnic Studies courses can satisfy the Equity & Social Justice emphasis (AA)
- An AA with Ethnic Studies may be sufficient for some types of positions
- A Bachelors of Arts may be a requirement for some positions

Careers/Jobs

An Ethnic Studies background prepares individuals to work well with diverse people in many settings.

- Some courses may offer service-learning which provides hands-on experiences in a community-based organization
- Graduates may work in education (early childhood, elementary, secondary, college), human services, community organizations, unions
- Ethnic studies can prepare for professional/graduate level programs such as law, health, social advocacy

Q & A

- Courses may be offered online, hybrid (combines online with in-person meetings or virtual meetings) and in-person
- Hybrid courses are mainly offered during the day
- Students often balance work and courses
- Counselors Counseling.Central@seattlecolleges.edu and Advisors AdvisorCentral@seattlecolleges.edu can help with additional questions
- Explore the Career Exploration/CollegeTransfer Center in BE 1102F
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