

Roadmap: Pan-African Studies - Theoretical and Applied Research - Bachelor of Arts

[AS-BA-PAS-TARP] College of Arts and Sciences Department of Pan-African Studies

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Course Subject and Title	Hours	Division	Grade	Important Notes	
Semester One: [14-17 Credit Hours]					
PAS 13001 Foundations in Pan-African Studies	3				
ENG 11011 College Writing I	3			Enrollment based on placement tests; fulfills LER Composition	
US 10097 Destination Kent State: FYE	1			Not required of transfer students with 25 credits	
Foreign Language Elementary I	4-5				
LER Mathematics and Critical Reasoning	3-5			Enrollment based on placement tests	
Semester Two: [17-18 Credit Hours]					
PAS 13002 Foundations in Pan-African Studies II	3				
Foreign Language Intermediate I	3-4			See note 1 on page 2	
LER Basic Sciences	2-3			Visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search	
LER Basic Sciences Laboratory	1			"LER" for course list	
LER Humanities or Fine Arts	3			Should fulfill diversity requirement; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and	
LER Social Sciences	3			"diversity" for course lists	
Semester Three: [15-16 Credit Hours]					
PAS 22200 Introduction to African Arts or PAS 34000 Introduction to African World View	3				
ENG 21011 College Writing II	3			Fulfills LER Composition	
Foreign Language Intermediate I	3-4			See note 1 on page 2	
LER Basic Sciences	3			Visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" for course list	
Theoretical and Applied Research Elective	3			See note 2 on page 2	
Semester Four: [15-16 Credit Hours]					
Foreign Language Intermediate II	3-4			See note 1 on page 2	
LER Basic Sciences	3			Visit <u>www.kent.edu/catalog</u> and search "LER" for course list	
LER Fine Arts	3			Should fulfill diversity requirement if not	
LER Humanities	3			satisfied earlier; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and	
LER Social Sciences	3			search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists	
Semester Five: [15 Credit Hours]					
PAS 37000 Oral and Written Discourses in Pan- African Studies	3	•			
LER Additional	6			Should fulfill diversity requirement if not	
LER Social Sciences	3			satisfied earlier; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists	
Theoretical and Applied Research Elective or Philosophy/Politics Elective	3	•		See note 2 on page 2	
Semester Six: [15 Credit Hours]	·	·			
PAS 35100 African American Social, Political and					
Economic Systems or 35200 African Social, Political and Economic Systems	3	-			
Theoretical and Applied Research Electives	6	•		See note 2 on page 2	
General Elective (upper division)	6				
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Semester Seven: [15Credit Hours]				
PAS 37010 Research Methods in Pan-African Studies	3			
Concentration Electives (upper division)	9			See note 3 below
General Elective (upper division)				
Semester Eight: [15 Credit Hours]				
PAS 47091 Senior Seminar in Pan-African Studies			С	Fulfills writing-intensive course requirement
Concentration Electives (upper division)	3			Electives must be approved by advisor
General Electives (lower or upper division)	3-10			Number of credits required depends on meeting minimum 121 credit hours and minimum 42 upper-division credit hours

Graduation Requirements Summary

Total Hours	Upper-Division Hours	Liberal Education Requirements Hours	Diversity Course Global / Domestic	Writing-Intensive	Mini Major GPA	Minimum GPA Overall GPA	
121	42	57	LER or General Electives	PAS 47091	2.0	2.0	

Note 1: Pan-African Studies majors are recommended to satisfy their college language requirement with the study of an African language, such as Kiswahili or Yoruba.

Note 2: Theoretical and applied research Electives (9-12 credit hours), choose from the following:

PAS 34000 Introduction to African World View	3	PAS 47095 Special Topics: Theoretical and Applied	
PAS 37020 Pan-Africanism and the Model African Union	3	Research	3
PAS 47010 Theoretical Approaches to Pan-African Studies	3	PAS 47150 The Underground Railroad	3

Note 3: Philosophy/politics elective (0-3 credit hours), choose from the following:

PAS 30010 African and African American Philosophy	3	POL 30001 Political Methods	3

Liberal Education Requirements (LER)

Students must complete a minimum 36 credit hours of Liberal Education Requirements. Colleges or degree programs may specify certain courses to fulfill the requirements. Courses in the students' major field will not count toward the completion of any LER. Honors equivalents shall satisfy the LER. None of the courses on the LER list may be taken with a pass/fail grade.

Diversity Course Requirement

Students must complete a two-course diversity requirement, consisting of one with a domestic focus and one with a global focus. One course must be come from the LER and cannot be in the student's major. The second course may be taken as a second LER; or within a major or minor; or as a general elective; or, with dean's approval, by completing one semester of study in another country.

Writing-Intensive Course Requirement

Students must complete a one-course writing-intensive requirement in their major and earn minimum C (2.00) grade.

Upper-Division Requirement

In general, baccalaureate programs require the successful completion of at least 39 upper-division (numbered 30000 to 49999) credit hours of coursework. Programs in the College of Arts and Sciences require a minimum of 42 hours of upper-division coursework.