



Language, Literacy and Culture Doctoral Program

Spring 2017 Class Schedule

LLC Courses	Instructor	Day and Time	Room
*LLC 601 Intercultural Pragmatics	Field	WED 4:30-7:00	Fine Arts 459
*LLC 611 Constructing Race, Class, and Gender	Wallace	MON 4:30-7:00	Public Policy 204
LLC 650 Ethnographic Methods	Mallinson	TUE 7:10-9:40	Sherman 422
LLC 701 Introduction to LLC II	Moffitt	MON 4:30-7:00	Sherman 422
LLC 745 Methods of LLC Research II	Saper	WED 4:30-7:00	Sherman 422
*LLC 750.01 Social Movements, Culture, and Scholarship	Bickel	WED 4:30-7:00	Fine Arts 526
*LLC 750.02 Race, Society, and Policy	Herring	TUE 4:30-7:00	Sherman 422
*LLC 750.03 Digital Rhetorics	Saper	THU 4:30-7:00	Sherman 422
<i>Individual study courses: LLC 891, LLC 892, LLC 898, and LLC 899 need to be arranged with faculty.</i>			

*These courses are open to non-LLC students who should contact the instructor for permission.

ALL LLC courses require permission. LLC Advisors will give permission for registration.

Special Topics in Language, Literacy, and Culture:

LLC 750, Section 01 **Social Movements, Cultural Change, and Publicly Engaged Scholarship**

This seminar investigates various theoretical and methodological approaches drawn from disciplines involved with LLC to understand the connections between social movements as expressions of time and place, cultural change and identity, and public scholarship as engaged, participatory action. We investigate various movements in their historical and place-based contexts as we learn about epistemologies and theories of change; the production and reproduction of discourse and narratives; knowledge dissemination strategies, mechanisms and media; struggles for cultural transformation and hegemony; concepts and practices of publics and politics enacted through public scholarship; and traditional and participatory action research methodologies used to study, document or advance social movements. We read about particular local, national and global social movements; hear from people who have participated in and studied social movements; and critically assess convergences, divergences, underlying principles, and connections between movements. Each seminar participant contributes to leading discussions and studies a social movement or movements of particular interest.

LLC 750, Section 02 Race, Society, and Policy

This course explores how race and public policy interact with one another, especially in the US. Much of the course will be devoted to examining competing views on such issues as equal opportunity policy, educational policy, the criminal justice programs, affirmative action, and other policies on the public agenda that will conclude with a look at various public policy initiatives to reduce racial and ethnic disparities.

LLC 750, Section 03 Digital Rhetorics

This course provides a graduate-level study of methods in digital rhetoric and humanities. Our major objectives include: understanding the components of digital rhetoric; learning how new types of analysis and modes of rhetoric appear in relation to the electronic ecology of contemporary culture; appreciate the values, politics, and ethics in digital “rhetorical appeals” and composition; and, learn how to write and design your own digital rhetoric projects including publishable reviews of scholarship in that area.

Sampling of Other Courses Offered at UMBC

Check the Spring Schedule of Classes for additional courses, as well as offerings from other USM programs.

AMST 680	Community and Culture, W 4:00-6:30pm OR Th 2:30-5:00pm (King)
EDUC 650	Education in Cultural Perspective, Tu 4:30-7:00pm (Allen)
ENGL 607	Language in Society, Wed 7:10-9:50pm (McCarthy)
ENGL 648	Seminar in Literature and Culture: Women and Periodicals, Th 4:30-7:00pm (DiCuirci)
ENGL 664	Advanced Topics in Women and Literature, TuTh 1:00-2:15pm (McKinley)
GWST 695	Methodologies in Gender, Women’s and Sexuality Studies, Th 4:30-7:00pm (McCann)
HIST 649	Black Politics, 1965-Today: Black Power to Black Lives Matter, MW 4:00-5:15pm (Musgrove)
HIST 702	The Practice of History, Mo 7:10-9:40pm (Musgrove)
HIST 711	Digital Public History, Th 6:00-8:30pm (Meringolo)
LING 610	Language Planning, Th 4:30-7:00pm (Lambert-Brétiere)
MLL 602	The Ethnography of Communication, Tu 4:30-7:00pm (Lizarazo Moreno)
MLL 606	Theory and History of Intercultural Media, Mo 4:30-7:00pm (Shewbridge)
SOCY 615	Higher Education and Social Inequality, Th 4:30-7:00pm (Bennett)
SOCY 619	Qualitative Methods in Social Research, We 4:30-7:00pm (Eckert)
SOCY 633	Gender, Work and Family in Cross-cultural Perspective, Th 4:30-7:00pm (Adler)
SOCY 658	Sociology of Mental Health and Illness, Tu 4:30-7:00pm (Smith)