

## SOCIAL ISSUES AND HUMAN RELATIONS CERTIFICATE

## Overview

The Certificate in Social Issues and Human Relations provides students with an in-depth understanding of the complex social factors that shape human interactions in diverse communities and workplaces. This certificate equips students with the knowledge and skills to engage thoughtfully with varying perspectives, address social challenges, and contribute to positive community and organizational environments.

## Who Should Enroll?

This certificate is ideal for students and working professionals in any field who wish to broaden their awareness of contemporary social issues and strengthen their ability to work effectively with people from different backgrounds and experiences.

## **Program Highlights:**

- Gain practical tools for examining social structures, group dynamics, and human behavior.
- Develop critical thinking skills to analyze social problems and their impact on communities and organizations.
- Build communication and self-reflection skills to enhance personal and professional relationships.
- Prepare for careers that require an understanding of social responsibility, community engagement, and human relations.

Code Title	Hours
ENG 220 Intro to Cultural Studies	3
EDU 204 Cultural Responsiveness	3
COM 302 Interracial/Intercultural Comm	3
SOC 304 Race and Ethnic Relations	3
BSS 415 Social Justice DEI from BSS	3

Students must also complete SOC 203 Principles of Sociology as part of the General Education Core requirements. All courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher.