* Should we have a new prefix ETHNIC for cross-listed courses, with Ethnic Studies courses housed in the Africana/Chicano/Ethnic Studies department? This will allow an expansion of courses.
* Should there be a new Ethnic Studies major that will include, in additional to our existing African American Studies and La Raza Studies classes, Asian American, Pacific Island, and Native American Studies classes?

**CSU GE Area “F” Ethnic Studies Requirements**

Listed below are the required Core Competencies of courses eligible for inclusion in CSU GE Area “F” Ethnic Studies. To be approved for Area “F” a course must have a “preponderance” of content covering these competencies:

1. Analyze and articulate concepts of ethnic studies, including but not limited to race and ethnicity, racialization, equity, ethno-centrism, eurocentrism, white supremacy, self-determination, liberation, decolonization and anti-racism.
2. Apply theory to describe critical events in the histories, cultures and intellectual traditions with special focus on the lived-experiences and social struggles of one or more of the following four historically defined racialized core groups: Native Americans, African Americans, Latina/o Americans and/or Asian Americans, and emphasizing agency and group-affirmation.
3. Critically discuss the intersection of race and ethnicity with other forms of difference affected by hierarchy and oppression, such as class, gender, sexuality, religion, spirituality, national origin, immigration status, ability and /or age.
4. Describe how struggle, resistance, social justice, solidarity and liberation as experienced by communities of color are relevant to current issues.
5. Demonstrate active engagement with anti-racist issues, practices and movements to build a diverse, just and equitable society beyond the classroom.

Courses approved for Area “F” must have either an Ethnic Studies prefix or a prefix directly related to one of the 4 targeted ethnic groups: African Americans, Asian Americans, Latino/a Americans or Native Americans.