Fort Drum Study Groups

Meeting dates/times/locations not yet published

Contemporary Issues in Nutrition and Society 4 cr with Paul Archibald
spaces avail.: 15 Adv./Non-Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in Natural Sciences - fully Social Sciences - partially

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In this group study, we will consider issues that have affected the food supply, nutrition, and attitudes toward food and health in the U.S. in the past twenty-five years. Topics will include changes in the way food is grown, processed and marketed; additives and genetically modified foods; eating disorders and obesity; and the role of the media and government in influencing the American diet.

Physical Science Study Group 4 cr with Marina Privman
spaces avail.: 15 Intro/Liberal

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This study is designed for non-science majors. It surveys fundamental concepts and principles of physics and chemistry and allows students to appreciate science as an ongoing process discussed in the context of their everyday experiences with the natural world. The core topics include measurement, motion, force, work and energy, temperature and heat, waves, optics, electricity and magnetism, atomic and nuclear physics, the chemical elements, bonding, chemical reactions, and organic chemistry. The group will meet eight times. These meetings will provide opportunities to share the learning experience, discuss current science news articles from popular science magazines, discuss questions regarding the subject matter, preview the upcoming topics, and engage in studio learning activities designed to facilitate the development of the problem solving technique and scientific reasoning.

Science and Fiction Study Group 4 cr with Marina Privman
spaces avail.: 15 Intro and Adv./Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in Natural Sciences - fully Humanities - fully

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This study will allow students to explore their interests in various topics of natural sciences through readings of science fiction, popular science books and articles, and viewing science programs made for television. The students will actively participate in the process of defining learning objectives and selecting the appropriate reading and/or viewing materials. They will have an option of designing either an introductory or advanced level study. Depending on the specifics of its design, the study might meet general education requirements in natural sciences. The study group will meet eight times to allow opportunities to share and discuss the learning acquired through individualized readings with the group.
Ithaca Study Groups

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Educational Planning: Human Services 4 cr with James Nichols
spaces avail.: 15 Adv./Liberal

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In this study, students will examine various human service career opportunities available to those who have earned the B.S. degree in Human Services. In addition, students will examine the various graduate school opportunities that may be available to them and the requirements to gain entry to these graduate schools. Group meetings and activities will be designed to facilitate the development of each student's Degree Program Portfolio. Students will be expected to complete assigned tasks before each group meeting to ensure their active participation in each group meeting.
**Syracuse Study Groups**

Meeting dates/times/locations not yet published

**Human Services Ethics** 4 cr  with Anibal Torres
spaces avail.: 15  Adv./Liberal  fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in Social Sciences - fully

*** Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined ***

This study will explore ethical issues in the human services, and professional roles and stresses in human service work.

**Introduction to Human Services** 4 cr  with Anibal Torres
spaces avail.: 15  Intro/Liberal

*** Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined ***

The objective of this study is to provide an introduction to the field of human services. The study will cover the history of human services, current theoretical models of service delivery, ethics and careers in human services.

**Research Methods** 4 cr  with Anibal Torres
spaces avail.: 15  Adv./Liberal  fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in Social Sciences - fully

*** Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined ***

This study provides the theoretical foundations for and promotes a basic understanding of the means of acquiring knowledge about human beings within a social context.
Utica Study Groups

Meeting dates/ times/ locations not yet published

Introduction to Family Therapy  4  cr     with John Lawless
spaces avail.:  15          Adv./Liberal          fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in Social Sciences - fully
                                Basic Communications - fully

*** Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined ***

This study will introduce students to the field and practice of couple and family therapy. Students will explore the fundamental concepts and techniques utilized in the practice of Couple and Family Therapy.

Qualitative Research Methodology  4  cr     with John Lawless
spaces avail.:  15          Adv./Non-Liberal          fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in Social Sciences - fully
                                Basic Communications - fully

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This study is an introduction to qualitative research methodologies. Students will examine the various qualitative traditions, modes of data collection, and explore methods of data analysis.
Contemporary Issues in Nutrition and Society  4  cr   with Paul Archibald
spaces avail.:  15  Adv./Non-Liberal   fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in  Natural Sciences - fully
Social Sciences - partially

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Professional Perspectives and Styles in the Helping Professions  4  cr   with Frances Mercer
spaces avail.:  15  Adv./Liberal

*** Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined ***

The purpose of this study is to examine the day to day realities of professional practice such as personal, ethical, systemic, and cultural dilemmas and concerns; defining and measuring one's effectiveness; maintaining sound mental and physical health and honest self awareness; understanding meaning and commitment within a helping relationship; and understanding how one's professional style, perspective, and philosophy are formed over time by the interaction of one's assumptions, knowledge of theories and methods, experiences, values, and intuitions. In addition, we will explore the concept of "evidence-based practice" as an approach designed to assist practitioners to make better judgments and decisions. Students must be willing to attend group study sessions in Watertown, NY.