LIBERAL STUDIES (LS)

LS-201 Sophomore Seminar: Exploring the Human Condition 4 Credits
Prerequisites: COMM-101
Terms Offered: Summer, Fall, Winter, Spring
Kettering university's vision is to make a better world through technological innovation, leadership and service. This interdisciplinary seminar will provide a foundation for the vision of asking such questions as: What is the human condition? What is culture and how is it created? How do ideas and values shape our views and actions? What is the relationship between the individual and society? How is power used and abused? What does it mean to be a critical thinker? The course will include reading assignments from both the social sciences and the humanities. It is a writing and reading intensive course designed to improve students' critical thinking skills.
Lecture: 4, Lab 0, Other 0

LS-391 Liberal Studies Special Topic 4 Credits
Prerequisites: None
Lecture: 4, Lab 0, Other 0

LS-399 LS Independent Study 4 Credits
Prerequisites: None
Lecture: 4, Lab 0, Other 0

LS-489 Senior Seminar: Leadership, Ethics, and Contemporary Issues 4 Credits
Prerequisites: COMM-101 and COMM-301 and (LS-201 or SSCI-201 and HUMN-201) and ECON-201 and (ECON-342 or ECON-344 or ECON-348 or ECON-350 or ECON-352 or ECON-391 or HIST-306 or HIST-308 or HIST-312 or HIST-319 or HIST-320 or HIST-322 or HIST-391 or SOC-331 or SOC-332 or SOC-333 or SOC-334 or SOC-335 or SOC-337 or SOC-338 or SOC-341 or SOC-342 or SOC-391 or SSCI-310 or SSCI-314 or SSCI-391 or ART-305 or HUMN-391 or LIT-304 or LIT-307 or LIT-309 or LIT-310 or LIT-311 or LIT-315 or LIT-372 or LIT-374 or LIT-379 or LIT-391 or PHIL-373 or PHIL-378 or PHIL-391)
Minimum Class Standing: Senior
Terms Offered: Summer, Fall, Winter, Spring
This course examines the interrelated subjects of leadership, ethics and contemporary issues. Because it is a culmination of their general education, students in this course use the methods and perspectives learned in the preceding general education courses. After examining general theoretical approaches through a common text, the course will involve three “case studies” with suitable assigned readings. One case study will focus on a corporation in order to illustrate leadership, ethics and contemporary issues; a second will focus on a person in order to illustrate leadership, ethics, and contemporary issues; the third will focus on an important modern episode, event or condition that exemplifies issues of ethics and leadership.
Lecture: 4, Lab 0, Other 0