

LLS75 : Debate for the Mature Adult

General Information

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Course Code (CB01) :	LLS75
Course Title (CB02) :	Debate for the Mature Adult
Department:	LLS
Proposal Start:	Summer 2025
TOP Code (CB03) :	(4999.00) Other Interdisciplinary Studies
CIP Code:	(30.9999) Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, Other.
SAM Code (CB09) :	Non-Occupational
Distance Education Approved:	No
Will this course be taught asynchronously?:	No
Course Control Number (CB00) :	CCC000652034
Curriculum Committee Approval Date:	11/27/2024
Board of Trustees Approval Date:	01/21/2025
Last Cyclical Review Date:	11/27/2024
Course Description and Course Note:	LLS 75 is a discussion-practice that explores today's issues in an advocacy format. Students focus on personal enrichment through exploration and practice argument creation and presentation. Lecture 48 hours. Note: This course is designed for older adults. Note: This course is Pass/No Pass only
Justification:	New Course
Academic Career:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Noncredit
Mode of Delivery:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">To-Be-Announced (TBA)
Author:	No value
Course Family:	No value

Academic Senate Discipline

Primary Discipline:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Speech Communication
Alternate Discipline:	No value
Alternate Discipline:	No value

Course Development

Basic Skill Status (CB08)	Course Special Class Status (CB13)	Grading Basis
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Course is not a basic skills course.

Allow Students to Gain Credit by Exam/Challenge

Course is not a special class.

Pre-Collegiate Level (CB21)

Not applicable.

• Pass / No-Pass Only

Course Support Course Status (CB26)

Course is not a support course

General Education and C-ID

General Education Status (CB25)

Not Applicable

Transferability

Not transferable

Transferability Status

Not transferable

Units and Hours

Summary

Minimum Credit Units (CB07)	0
Maximum Credit Units (CB06)	0
Total Course In-Class (Contact) Hours	48
Total Course Out-of-Class Hours	0
Total Student Learning Hours	48

Credit / Non-Credit Options

Course Type (CB04)

Non-Credit

Noncredit Course Category (CB22)

Courses for Older Adults.

Noncredit Special Characteristics

No Value

Course Classification Code (CB11)

Non-Enhanced Funding.

Variable Credit Course

Funding Agency Category (CB23)

Not Applicable.

Cooperative Work Experience Education

Status (CB10)

Weekly Student Hours

	In Class	Out of Class
Lecture Hours	48	0
Laboratory Hours	0	0
Studio Hours	0	0

Course Student Hours

Course Duration (Weeks)	18
Hours per unit divisor	54
Course In-Class (Contact) Hours	
Lecture	48
Laboratory	0
Studio	0

Total	48
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Course Out-of-Class Hours

Lecture	0
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Laboratory	0
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Studio	0
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Total	0
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Time Commitment Notes for Students

No value

Units and Hours - Weekly Specialty Hours

Activity Name	Type	In Class	Out of Class
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No Value	No Value	No Value	No Value
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Prerequisites, Corequisites, Recommended Corequisites, and Recommended Preparation

No Value

Entry Standards

Entry Standards	Description
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N/A	No Value
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Course Limitations

Cross Listed or Equivalent Course	Description
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No value	No value
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Specifications

Methods of Instruction

Methods of Instruction

Discussion

Methods of Instruction

Lecture

Methods of Instruction

Other

Out of Class Assignments

N/A

Methods of Evaluation

Activity (answering journal prompt, group activity)

Rationale

Preparation and participation in debates.

Textbook Rationale

No Value

Textbooks

Author

Title

Publisher

Date

ISBN

No Value

No Value

No Value

No Value

No Value

Other Instructional Materials (i.e. OER, handouts)

Description

Handouts including instructor-generated information and related articles/excerpts from books with copyright permission.

Author

No value

Citation

No value

Online Resource(s)

No value

Learning Outcomes

Course Objectives

Select topics for debate.

Organize information in a logical and clear fashion.

Propose original ideas.

Reach logical conclusions.

Distinguish between fact and opinion.

Debate both sides of a proposition.

Defend one's position against strong opposition.

SLOs

Construct coherent and persuasive arguments on various topics, effectively utilizing evidence and logical reasoning to support their positions while also identifying and addressing counterarguments.

Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0

Deliver clear, confident, and engaging presentations, employing appropriate rhetoric and body language to effectively persuade an audience and respond to questions or challenges during debates.

Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0

Additional SLO Information

Does this proposal include revisions that might improve student attainment of course learning outcomes?

No

Is this proposal submitted in response to learning outcomes assessment data?

No

If yes was selected in either of the above questions for learning outcomes, explain and attach evidence of discussions about learning outcomes.

No Value

SLO Evidence

No Value

Course Content

Lecture Content

Introduction (3 hours)

- Role of debate in society
- Definitions

Debate Resolutions (9 hours)

- Fact topics
- Value topics
- Policy topics

Proposition (18 hours)

- Constructing the case
- Burden of proof
- Evidence
- Plans
- Generic arguments

Opposition (18 hours)

- Opposing the case
- Presumption
- Evidence
- Plan attacks
- Generic arguments
- Counterplans

Total hours: 48

Additional Information

Repeatability

Repeatable

Justification (if repeatable was chosen above)

Non-credit courses

Is it possible this course will have a material fee?

No Value

I have contacted my library liaison (<https://campusguides.glendale.edu/faculty/liaisons>):

No Value

What term(s) will this course be offered?

No Value

Will any additional resources be needed for this course? (Click all that apply)

No Value

If additional resources are needed, add a brief description and cost in the box provided.

No Value

Resources

Did you contact your departmental library liaison?

No

If yes, who is your departmental library liaison?

No Value

Did you contact the DEIA liaison?

No

Were there any DEIA changes made to this outline?

No

If yes, in what areas were these changes made:

No Value

Will any additional resources be needed for this course? (Click all that apply)

- No

If additional resources are needed, add a brief description and cost in the box provided.

No Value