

SDS - DIVERSITY and EQUITY SPECIALIZATION

EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2026 - PRESENT

Student Name: _____ Student ID: _____

Plan Version (term/year added): _____ Date: _____

REQUIREMENTS: Completion of 6 COURSES from the following options:

✓ **AT LEAST 4 FROM:**

**available online, pending term.*

This specialization cannot be done with only online courses.

☐	SDS 242R/RS 242R
☐	SDS 310R
☐	SDS 311R/LS 373
☐	SDS 331R*
☐	SDS 345R
☐	SDS 354R

☐	SDS 367R
☐	SDS 370R
☐	SDS 405R*
☐	SDS 410R
☐	SDS 411R
☐	SDS 415R

☐	SDS 421R
☐	SDS 425R*
☐	SDS 449R
☐	SOCWK 301R*
☐	SOCWK 356R
☐	PSYCH 352R/352

NOTE: (Optional) Courses below can only count if the topic covered fits within the scope of this specialization.
See an SDS academic advisor for more information.

☐	SDS 450R	Special Topics. <i>Topic must be approved.</i>
☐	SDS 490R	Special Studies. Application Required. <i>Topic must be approved.</i>
☐	SDS 495R	Research Apprenticeship. Application Required. <i>Topic must be approved.</i>
☐	SDS 496R	Applied Apprenticeship. Application Required. <i>Topic must be approved.</i>
☐	SDS 499A	Honours Thesis. Application Required. <i>Topic must be approved.</i> <u>Must take 499B.</u>
☐	SDS 499B	Honours Thesis. Application Required. <i>Topic must be approved.</i>

✓ **UP TO 2** courses allowed from this list, if all 6 have not been completed from the options above:

☐	ANTH 202
☐	CI 200*
☐	CI 250
☐	COMMST 226
☐	EASIA 346R/ENGL 346R
☐	ENGL 108E/GSJ 108
☐	ENGL 308/GSJ 307
☐	FR 373
☐	GSJ 201
☐	GSJ 206/LS 201

☐	GSJ 302
☐	HIST 221
☐	HIST 269
☐	HIST 321/LS 331
☐	INDG 201/CDNST 201
☐	INDG 301
☐	PACS 327
☐	PHIL 204J
☐	PHIL 227/INDEV 300
☐	PHIL 302

☐	PSCI 324
☐	PSCI 421/LS 464
☐	PSYCH 355
☐	RCS 229
☐	RCS 259
☐	SI 221R/RCS 221
☐	SI 315R/GSJ 315
☐	SOC 249/LS 226
☐	SOC 256
☐	SRF 208

This checklist is to be used as a worksheet only.

Students are responsible for understanding and meeting plan requirements. Seek clarification if needed.

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Diversity & Equity - Required courses options

SDS 242R/RCS 242R Religious Diversity and Social Development
SDS 310R Disability and Society
SDS 311R/LS 373 Indigenous Peoples and Canadian Public Policy
SDS 331R Social Inequality, Social Justice, and Social Action
SDS 345R Self-Development and Identity Formation: A Sociocultural Perspective (rarely offered)
SDS 354R Values and Contemporary Families
SDS 367R Aging and Social Development
SDS 370R International Learning Experience (rarely offered)
SDS 405R Cosmopolitanism and Social Development
SDS 410R Queer and Trans Studies
SDS 411R Decolonization and Social Action
SDS 415R Gender Relations within Educational Institutions
SDS 421R (Re)framing Indigenous-Settler Relations
SDS 425R Educational Equity in Canada
SDS 449R Prejudice and Discrimination
SOCWK 301R Understanding Diversity in Canada
SOCWK 356R Developmental Disabilities and Families
PSYCH 352R/352 Cultural Psychology

**Academic Calendar Plan
Requirements:**



Diversity & Equity - Optional courses

ANTH 202 Social and Cultural Anthropology	INDG 301 Critical Theories of Indigeneity in a Global Perspective
CI 200 Transcultural Studies	PACS 327 Cultural Approaches to Conflict Resolution
CI 250 Truth-Reconciliation-Story	PHIL 204J Philosophy and Culture
COMMST 226 Introduction to Race, Culture, and Communication	PHIL 227/INDEV 300 Culture and Ethics
EASIA 346R/ENGL 346R Global Asian Diasporas	PHIL 302 Topics in Feminist Philosophy
ENGL 108E/GSJ 108 Gender and Representation	PSCI 324 Issues in Contemporary Political Theory
ENGL 308 Race and Resistance	PSCI 421/LS 464 Justice and Gender
FR 373 Languages in Contact: The History of French-English Bilingualism	PSYCH 355 Intergroup Relations
GSJ 201 Gender and Social Justice in Popular Culture	RCS 229 Christianity and Social Change in Canada
GSJ 206/LS 201 Women and the Law	RCS 259 Gender, Sexuality and Christianity
GSJ 302 Thinking Through Gender: Feminist Perspectives	SI 221R/RCS 221 Islam, the West, and the Modern World
HIST 221 Racism and Response in Canadian History	SI 315R/GSJ 315 Islam, Women, and the Modern World
HIST 269 Indigenous Histories in Canada	SOC 249/LS 226 Sociology of Mental Disorder
HIST 321/LS 331 Human Rights in Historical Perspective	SOC 256 Ethnic and Racial Relations
INDG/CDNST 201 The Indigenous Experience in Canada	SRF 208 Introduction to Systemic Therapies and Anti-Oppressive Practices

* Always refer to the current undergraduate calendar for up-to-date course names, pre-requisites, and anti-requisites *