

Fren 03 – Intermediate French
 Fren 04 – Intermediate French
 Fren 39 – Advanced French
 Germ 02 – Elementary German
 Germ 03 – Intermediate German
 Germ 04 – Intermediate German
 Germ 39 – Advanced German
 Hmng 02 – Elementary Hmong
 Span 02 – Elementary Spanish
 Span 03 – Intermediate Spanish
 Span 04 – Intermediate Spanish
 Span 39 – Advanced Spanish

Faculty

Dr. Dallas Dillon’s insight into the study of the humanities stems from a liberal arts education at Baker University and a cross-disciplinary approach to literature at St. John’s University, New York. He also teaches a wide range of courses in the composition/literature area, and some of his poems and essays have been published.

Dr. Max Hallman did graduate work in philosophy at the University of South Carolina and McGill University before completing his doctorate at Tulane University in New Orleans. He has published articles on Heidegger, Nietzsche, Royce, environmental ethics, and multiculturalism. He is the author of two philosophy textbooks, *Expanding Philosophical Horizons*, and *Traversing Philosophical Boundaries*.

Keith Law received his B.A. in Fine Art from CSU East Bay, and his M.A. in philosophy from San Francisco State University. His interests include contemporary philosophy, aesthetics, ethics, and critical thinking education. His graduate research focused on various theoretical views of postmodern culture and cultural criticism. He is a practicing artist whose work has been exhibited throughout the San Francisco Bay Area.

ENROLLMENT AND FEES

Admissions are open to high school graduates and persons 18 or older. For admissions and registration information, see the current Merced College Schedule of Classes.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

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| Admissions and Records..... | 384-6187 |
| Associated Students Office | 384-6114 |
| Bookstore | 384-6280 |
| Business Division | 384-6120 |
| Career Center..... | 384-6243 |
| Disabled Student Services | 384-6155 |
| EOPS Office | 381-6596 |
| Financial Aid Office..... | 384-6031 |
| Guidance/Counseling | 384-6314 |
| Industrial Technology Division..... | 384-6161 |
| Job Opportunity Services | 384-6237 |
| Library..... | 384-6080 |
| Los Banos Campus | 826-3495 |
| Non-Credit Program | 381-6540 |
| Student Health Services..... | 384-6045 |
| Tutorial Center..... | 384-6271 |
| Veterans Services Office..... | 384-6113 |
| Vocational Student Support Services..... | 384-6377 |

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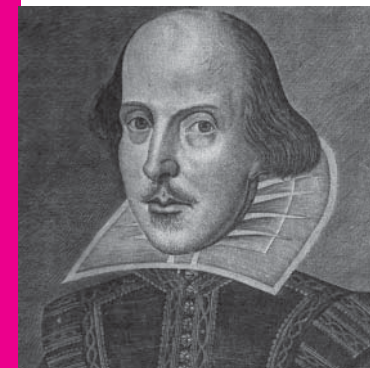
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Merced College Humanities



HUMANITIES

The Program

Study in the Humanities Department at Merced College focuses on analytical reasoning as well as a variety of creative modes of expression. These modes may include writing, film making, theatrics, and the fine arts. Humanities education involves the study of cultural manifestations in all its varieties. It is the study of intellectual, cultural, and aesthetic development through history with an integration of multi-cultural influences.

The humanities curriculum is designed around a core education that includes the historical study of the humanities, and various other courses in literature, philosophy, art, music, and foreign languages.

The Humanities Department is dedicated to the pursuit of excellence. We recognize that humanities and humanities education enhance the cultural, economic, and social aspects of the community. The study of humanities broadens world views and enhances the critical thinking skills applicable to any area of endeavor. We also explore the deepest aspects of self, community, and existence.



Career Opportunities

A humanities major at Merced College prepares the transferring A.A. graduate for four-year institutions, or to enter the work force in many fields. Graduates of humanities traditionally enter fields that include education, research, law, international business, government, and the creative arts.

Beyond preparing students for professional life, the Humanities Department at Merced College is dedicated to personal enrichment through deep reflection in all facets of human life.

Courses

HUMANITIES

HUM-01 – Studies in Humanities—Ancient to Early Renaissance
or
HUM-01H – Honors Studies in Humanities—Ancient to Early Renaissance
HUM-02 – Studies in Humanities—Renaissance to Present
Or
HUM-02H – Honors Studies in Humanities—Renaissance to Present

LITERATURE

ENGL 1B – Introduction to Literature
ENGL 03 – History of Dramatic Literature
ENGL 06A – Major English Writers
ENGL 06B – Major English Writers
ENGL 08 – Introduction to Shakespeare
ENGL 09 -- Studies in Literature: Short Fiction
ENGL 10 – American Literature from Beginnings to Civil War
ENGL 11 – American Literature from Post-Civil War to Present
ENGL 18 – African and African-American Literature

PHILOSOPHY AND HUMANITIES

PHIL 03 – Ancient Philosophy
PHIL 04 – Modern Philosophy
PHIL 05 – Contemporary Moral and Social Issues
PHIL 15 – Comparative Religions

ART AND MUSIC

Art 01 – Art History—Ancient Through Gothic
Art 02 – Art History—Renaissance Through Modern
Art 03 – Art of the Americas, Africa and Asia
Art 04 – Art of California
Mus 11 – History of Classical Music (Early Music Through Baroque Era)
Mus 12 – History of Classical Music (Classical Era to the Present Day)
Mus 13 – History and Appreciation of Jazz
Mus 14 – History of Popular Music

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Fren 02 – Elementary French