

# HOLOCAUST AND GENOCIDE STUDIES, CERTIFICATE

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Requirements for an undergraduate certificate may be completed at any campus location offering the specified courses for the certificate.

## Certificate Learning Objectives

- **Application of Knowledge:** Students who complete the certificate will be able to apply knowledge about the Holocaust and other genocides to a critical evaluation of material used by and/or created and disseminated by deniers of the Holocaust and other genocides.
- **Assess Prevention of Future Genocides:** Students who complete the certificate will be able to assess the importance of democracy, civil rights and the protection of ethnic, racial, religious and other minorities against discrimination as safeguards against discrimination and violent persecution of specific groups.
- **Content Knowledge:** Students who complete the certificate will be able to distinguish between the Holocaust and other genocides.
- **Description of Causes Behind Genocides:** Students who complete the certificate will be able to describe why the Holocaust and other genocides were the result of conscious decision making.
- **Explain Function of Ideology:** Students who complete the certificate will be able to explain the importance of ideology and indoctrination as motivating factors for perpetrators.
- **Explanation of Relevance:** Students who complete the certificate will be able to explain the relevance of Holocaust and Genocide studies to those with little or no knowledge about it.
- **Understanding of Holocaust as Watershed Event:** Students who complete the certificate will be able to demonstrate an understanding of why the Holocaust and other genocides constitute watershed events in recent history.