Program Description
The goal of the Holocaust and Genocide Studies certificate program is to provide students a wide-ranging and interdisciplinary foundation in the study of the Holocaust and related fields of genocide, anti-Semitism and prejudice, and historical trauma. The curriculum covers history, cultural studies, philosophy, literary and film criticism, ethics, and political science approaches. Candidates are required to take 12 credits from an approved list of courses.

What is Holocaust and Genocide Studies?
The purpose of the Holocaust and Genocide Studies Certificate is to understand and interpret mass eliminationist violence in human history. This area of study employs varying disciplines—such as literature, film, history, philosophy and ethics, and political science—to educate students on genocide, antisemitism and prejudice, and historical trauma.

You Might Like This Program If...
- You want to study the causes and effects of different cases of genocide throughout history.
- You are interested in complementing your degree in History, Jewish Studies, or other similar fields with a specialization in a significant area of study.