MULTIDISCIPLINARY STUDIES, B.A. (UNIVERSITY COLLEGE)

Begin Campus: Any Penn State Campus
End Campus: Brandywine, DuBois, Greater Allegheny, Hazleton, Mont Alto, Shenango, Scranton

Program Learning Objectives

Brandywine Campus

• Analyze Current Events: Graduates will be able to analyze current events using theories and methods from the discipline.
• Analyze Scholarship: Graduates will be able to analyze scholarships and discuss limitations of research.
• Communication: Graduates will be able to effectively receive, process, and relay information through speaking, writing, and listening.
• Critical Thinking: Graduates will be able to argue both sides of differing ideas and conclusion through dispassionate analysis.
• Cross-Cultural Competence: Graduates will be able to compare and contrast cultural norms as well as discuss how communication differs, and therefore, creates different norms across cultures.
• Knowledge of Field: Graduates will be able to summarize scholars and scholarship within the discipline.
• Organize Research: Graduates will be able to organize research and arguments within the discipline via papers and presentations.

DuBois, Greater Allegheny, Hazleton, Mont Alto, Scranton, Shenango Campuses

• Application: Students will be able to apply empirical or creative processes specific to their fields of specialization.
• Communication: Students will be able to communicate clearly and persuasively the integration of their learning of multiple disciplines in a degree program that reflects their theme.
• Engagement: Students will be able to engage meaningfully and respectfully with others who have different perspectives or world views.
• Synthesis: Students will be able to synthesize multiple disciplinary perspectives into an intellectual or professional identity.