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.