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UH Mānoa Major Admissions Requirements for BA in Ethnic Studies (ES):

- Introduction to Ethnic Studies ES 101, 3 credits
- Minimum C (2.0) in all ES major courses

UH Mānoa ES Requirements offered at Kapi'olani Community College (KapCC):

UHM Course	Course Title	Cr.	KapCC Equivalent	Course Title	Cr.
ES 101	Intro to Ethnic Studies	3	ES 101	Intro to Ethnic Studies	3

UH Mānoa ES Electives offered at KapCC (Up to two of these courses can count towards the ES Major requirements):

ES 200+ level course (Group 1)	ES major course		HWST 100, HWST 255, or HWST 257	Select 1 course from this list and it will meet your Group 1 ES 200+ requirement	3
ES 200+ level course (Group 2)	ES major course	3	SSCI 102, ED 277, or ED 284	Select 1 course from this list and it will meet your Group 2 ES 200+ requirements	3

Ethnic Studies (ES) Degree Program

The Department of Ethnic Studies (ES) is an interdisciplinary program with emphasis on undergraduate education. Initiated in 1970, ES combines traditional and contemporary methodologies with new perspectives on issues of race, ethnicity, class, and gender. The focus is Hawai'i and Oceania with the rich legacy of multiethnic heritages, but the research, teaching and service components also involve the U.S. as a whole and comparative studies of societies around the globe.

Graduates have gone on to successful careers in education, social work, law, public service, labor and community organizing, and other fields that require an understanding of diverse people and their backgrounds.

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ES Bachelor's Degree Notes:

- Complete Core classes (6 credits): ES 101 and 380
- 30 credit hours in ES courses including:
- 12 credits from Group 1: History and Social Dynamics of Various Major Ethnic Groups
- 12 credits from Group 2: History, Theories, and Problems of Ethnic Groups and Ethnicity on the Framework of Social, Economic, and Political Change
- Minimum "C" (2.0) in all ES courses
- For full course descriptions, designations, and credit count, see the UHM catalog: http://www.catalog.hawaii.edu/courses/description-index.htm

ES Academic Certificate Notes:

- Complete 15 credits of ES Courses with 9 credits upper division (300-400 level)
- ES Certificate Core: ES 101 Introduction to Ethnic Studies
- 6 credits Group 1: History and Social Dynamics of Various Major Ethnic Groups
- 6 credits Group 2: History, Theories, and Problems of Ethnic Groups and Ethnicity on the Framework of Social, Economic, and Political Change

KapCC Associates in Arts - Liberal Arts (60 cr):

• Completing the KapCC AA degree will assure that UH Mānoa General Education Core and Foundations requirements are fulfilled.

4+1 BA ES and Masters of Education (MEd) in Educational Administration or Foundations

Students may apply for a dual-credit program leading to a Bachelor of Arts in Ethnic Studies and a Master's
of Education in Educational Administration or Educational Foundations. https://manoa.hawaii.edu/bam/

Center for Oral History

- ES students may help collect oral histories and interpretive historical materials of Native Hawaiians and the multi-ethnic people of Hawai'i
- Service learning opportunities

ES Student Organizations

Ethnic Studies Student Association, Black Student Association, La Raza Unida

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University of Hawai'i at Mānoa Transfer Admission Requirements:

- 24 transferable semester credits or 12 transferable semester credits completed and have at least 12 transferable semester credits in progress
- Cumulative transfer GPA: 2.0 for residents; 2.5 for non-residents
- If you do not have 24 transferable credits, admission will be based on both your college and high school work.

UH Mānoa Admission Deadlines		
January 5	Fall semester applications due for international applicants and for priority consideration	
March 1	All fall admission applications due	
September 1	Spring semester applications due for international applicants and for priority consideration	
October 1	All spring admission applications due	

For more information on how to apply to the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa please visit: http://manoa.hawaii.edu/admissions/undergrad/

UH Mānoa College of Social Sciences Aloha Pathways

The College of Social Sciences provides pre-transfer advising and support to UHCCs. http://www.socialsciences.hawaii.edu/global-college/aloha-pathway/

Contact: CSSaloha@hawaii.edu

Ka'ie'ie Transfer Pathway Program

Ka'ie'ie is a pathway program for students at Kapi'olani Community College who are planning to transfer to the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. http://uhcc.hawaii.edu/kaieie/

Contact Information: Manoa Transfer Coordination Center

Associate in Arts (AA) - Liberal Arts

The AA Degree at Kapi'olani Community College offers a pathway for students planning to transfer to baccalaureate degree programs. Please contact a KapCC Counselor **for more detailed information** on the AA degree requirements:

Maida Kamber Center Counseling and Advising Office – (808) 734-9500, Ilima 104, mkcinfo@hawaii.edu

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