The Latino/a and Latin American Studies (LLAS) major offers an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the societies and cultures of Latin America and the Latino/a and Chicano/a experience in the United States. The LLAS program engages students with a variety of perspectives on the socio-political complexities and cultural traditions of the Americas, and the historical development of unique regional societies and cultures. Students in the major develop proficiency in Spanish and take courses from a broad range of academic disciplines and departments, including History, Spanish, Sociology, English and Comparative Literature, Music, Politics, Critical Theory/Social Justice, Economics, Psychology, and Education.

**Research Advisor**
**Americorps**
**Academic Success Coordinator**

**What else can you do with this major?**
- Archivist
- Copy Editor
- Editor
- Events Coordinator
- Fundraiser
- Information Analyst
- Librarian
- Museum Worker
- Paralegal
- Principal
- Programs Coordinator
- Publishing Assistant
- Researcher
- Tech Writer

**Who hires LLAS majors?**
- Business organizations
- Colleges/Universities
- Government agencies
- Investment banks
- Law firms
- Libraries
- Museums
- News agencies
- Nonprofit organizations
- Public relations firms
- Public/private schools
- Public relations offices
- Principal
- Publishers
- Public relations firms
- Public/private schools
- Researcher
- Technology writer

**LLAS in Action**
- Consider founding, or joining one of Oxy’s 100+ clubs.
- Find membership opportunities cultural clubs/orgs or other interest areas.
- Take a variety of related courses outside your major: e.g. DWAs, Politics, and Sociology.
- Apply for independent study through the Richter Fellowship or Study Abroad.
- Develop presentation skills by applying to the Summer Research Program.
- Gain volunteer experience in tutoring.

**WHAT ARE SOME ALUMNI DOING NOW?**
- International Trip Leader
- Cycling Instructor
- Young Professionals in Foreign Policy
- Program Associate
- Fullbright Scholar
- Museum Educator

**WHAT IS THE STUDY OF LLAS?**