



Culture and Community Track Requirements

DESCRIPTION

The Culture and Community Track emphasizes in-depth classroom, field training, and research experiences addressing particular ethnocultural and community groups.

DOCUMENTATION

Progress through the track can be stated on the student's CV. Successful completion of the track will be reflected on the graduate's transcript.

ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA

Admittance to the Track is contingent on the student's level of commitment to research, course work, and clinical training consistent with culture and community psychology.

CLINICAL TRAINING

Students must complete two cultural training experiences in one of the following settings:

- in a non-English language practicum while being supervised in that language (typically, Spanish, Chinese, or Korean), or
- at a site focusing on a particular ethnocultural group (typically, Latinx/ Hispanic American, Chinese American, Korean American, or African American).

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Students are expected to become student members of APA Division 45, 52, or 27.

DISSERTATION AND RESEARCH

- Dissertations of students participating in this track will be focused on culture and community themes.
- Students will present a research project (thesis, dissertation, or other research) at a professional conference with a focus on culture and community prior to internship.

CLASSROOM WORK

Students will take courses in areas such as:

- Culture and Community Psychology
- Diversity
- Addressing Mental Health Disparities in Vulnerable Populations.