GE Course Self-Review

Area D.3 Explorations in Social Sciences

Please use this form to evaluate whether your course follows all GE course requirements, and modify your course to incorporate missing elements.

**GE course:** Click or tap here to enter text.

# GE Syllabus Requirements

Please check that your syllabus meets each of these requirements:

Your syllabus states that the course satisfies GE Area D.3.

Because courses in subarea D.3 build upon the learning objectives in D.1, completion of subarea D.1 shall be required as a prerequisite for all courses in D.3. Your syllabus lists prerequisites and corequisites.

Your syllabus states that the writing in the course meets the GE writing requirement.

Your syllabus clearly explains how the GE writing requirement will be met.

Your syllabus clearly explains how the GE writing requirement will be assessed.

Your syllabus includes the following required grading statement: “A grade of D (1.0) or higher is required to meet this General Education requirement. A grade of D- (0.7) or below will not satisfy this General Education Requirement.”

Your syllabus includes the following link to the student information for course syllabi website: <https://fdc.fullerton.edu/teaching/student-info-syllabi.html>.

# Writing Requirements

Please check that your course meets each of these requirements:

Your course includes student writing appropriate to the course.

The writing in your course involves the organization and expression of complex data or ideas.

The instructor provides careful and timely evaluations of writing so that deficiencies are identified and suggestions are offered for improvement on subsequent writing in the course.

Evaluation of the students’ writing competence is used in determining the final course grade.

# Student Learning Objectives Requirements

Your GE course is required to meet a preponderance of the GE student learning objectives for Area D.3 from UPS 411.201. Please rate how well and explain how each of the objectives below is addressed and assessed in your course. For the rating, use the following scale:

0 - no indication that the course meets the objective

1 - weak indication that the course meets the objective

2 - satisfactory evidence that the objective is met (mostly or entirely)

3 - strong evidence that the objective is met (mostly or entirely)

## Area D.3 Learning Objectives

Students completing courses in subarea D.3 shall

◻ a. Examine problems, issues, and themes in the social sciences in greater depth; in a variety of cultural, historical, and geographical contexts; and from different disciplinary and interdisciplinary perspectives.  
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◻ b. Analyze and critically evaluate the application of social science concepts and theories to particular historical, contemporary, and future problems or themes, such as economic and environmental sustainability, globalization, poverty, and social justice.  
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◻ c. Analyze and critically evaluate constructs of cultural differentiation, including ethnicity, gender, race, class, and sexual orientation, and their effects on the individual and society.  
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◻ d. Apply theories and concepts from the social sciences to address historical, contemporary and future problems confronting communities at different geographical scales, from local to global.  
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