Albany Study Groups

--- Meeting dates/ times/ locations not yet published ---

**Family Intervention: Theories & Professional Strategies** 4 cr with Joseph Yogtiba

spaces avail.: 15 Adv./Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in Social Sciences - fully

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The study examines a range of family theories: traditional, nontraditional, and contemporary, and includes a variety of Assessment tools/approaches. Additionally, the study focuses on selected Human Service intervention strategies and professional skills & ethics in delivering family services. The study also analyzes the impact of pertinent issues/factors such as social diversity, cultural competency, and social policy.
American History & Social Policy: Separation of Church & State 4 cr with Ralph English

spaces avail.: 15 Adv./Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req in American History - fully Humanities - fully

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This study will examine the history of the role religion has played in developing public and social policy since the inception of the United States. For example, prior to the Civil War, scripture was used to both justify and condemn slavery. This study will explore how several groups have used religion in order to advance their ideologies and transform social and public policy. This is a study group for the Johnstown Unit. It will meet on Tuesdays from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm, every two weeks for 8 meetings over the course of the 15 week term. This study fully satisfies the SUNY general education requirement for American History OR the Humanities, not both. Students should contact the instructor, Ralph English, at Ralph.English@esc.edu to choose introductory or advanced, American History OR Humanities.