

**STUDENT ADVISING WORKSHEET**

For Doctorate Degree in American Indian Studies  
Option A: Concentration with Electives

The Ph.D. plan of study is a collaborative production of the student, their Major Advisor, and their faculty committee. The outline provided here indicates the **minimum** course requirements and their distribution for completion of Option A in the doctoral program. The Major Advisor and Committee in consultation with the student may determine the exact courses to be taken to prepare the student for their intended area of dissertation research. This worksheet is to be updated annually by the student and copied to the Major Advisor and to the AIS Graduate Education Program Facilitator.

STUDENT \_\_\_\_\_ ADVISOR \_\_\_\_\_

Worksheet Update: (write date on line) \_\_\_\_\_ Committee Members  
Major: \_\_\_\_\_  
Minor if outside AIS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Date Entered Ph.D. Program \_\_\_\_\_ Date(s) of prior degree(s) \_\_\_\_\_

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**LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT**

How Met: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Language: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Distribution of Units for Doctoral Degree Option A  
66 Units Total**

- 6 Units of Required Courses: AIS697A Teaching Methods, and AIS 602 Research Design (2 courses)
- 6 Units of Theory and Methodology courses taken outside AIS in the student's area of interest (2 courses; may include AIS 548)
- 15 Units in concentration area (5 courses)
- 6 Units in secondary areas of study (1 course in each of at least 2 other AIS areas—2 courses total; one course must be a Law & Policy course, unless the student is concentrating in Law & Policy)
- 15 Units of electives (5 courses)
- 18 dissertation units

All coursework should be planned in consultation with the student's Major Advisor. No waivers, transfers, or substitutions permitted on AIS 697A or AIS 602.

Audited courses and undergraduate course used to fulfill the foreign language requirement may not be counted in the 66 Unit total.

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## Course Planning Worksheet

Course # & title	Semester/Grade	Instructor	Comments
<b>REQUIRED COURSES</b>			
AIS 697A	_____	_____	_____
AIS 602	_____	_____	_____
<b>Research Design/Theory/Methodology</b>			
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
<b>CORE</b>			
Concentration (5 courses, minimum of 4 must be AIS courses)			
Circle One: Literature	Education	Law/Policy	Societies/Culture
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
Second Area of Study in AIS: 1 course minimum			
Circle One: Literature	Education	Law/Policy	Societies/Cultures
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
Third Area of Study in AIS: 1 course minimum			
Circle One: Literature	Education	Law/Policy	Societies/Cultures
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
Electives: 5 courses minimum			
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
<b>Dissertation 18 Units</b>			
AIS 920	_____	_____	_____
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AIS 920	_____	_____	_____
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