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Global Health Certificate COURSE LIST Fall 2025 (2261)

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Requirements

Introduction to Global Health (PUBHLT-1001) - All students are required to take this course. It is not required to take this course prior to taking other certificate courses.

2 courses from the Core List (3 credits each, taken in any order):

Contemporary Issues in Cross-Cultural Health (NUR-1829)

Cross-Cultural Communication (LING-1263)

Global Health History (HIST-1091)

Introduction to Epidemiology (HRS-1017)

Introduction to Global Studies (PS-0550)

Introduction to Health Economics (ECON-0220)

Patients and Healers: Medical Anthropology 1 (ANTH-1761)

Sociology of Globalization and Health (SOC-0473)

Statistics in the Modern World (STAT-0800)

3 courses - 9 credits total from Elective List

Successful submission of a digital portfolio.

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COURSE SCHEDULE Fall 2024 (2251)

Courses are offered by many departments and schools across the University of Pittsburgh, which may update course information as needed. This course list is valid as of March 10, 2025. To verify the most current information for courses of interest to you, consult Peoplesoft.

KEY

CLASS	ACADEMIC ORG	COURSE	TITLE	SESSION	DAY, START TIME - END TIME
GEN ED REQUIREMENTS/ ACADEMIC GRP		CREDITS	INSTRUCTOR		LOCATION

REQUIRED COURSE

26430	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 1001	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL HEALTH	Th, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Fapohunda,Abimbola Omolola	WWPH 1501
16230	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 1001	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL HEALTH	T, 09:30 AM to 12:15 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Salter,Cynthia L	CL 208

CORE COURSES

31094	ANTH	ANTH 1761	PATNTS & HEALERS: MEDCL ANTH 1	TTh, 02:30 PM to 03:45 PM
SS	ARTSC	3 Credits		FKART 125
20876	CGS	STAT 0200	BASIC APPLIED STATISTICS (Multiple Sections)	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
QFR	ARTSC	4 Credits	Harmon,Bryan Michael	WEBTBA
19550	CGS	STAT 0200	BASIC APPLIED STATISTICS	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
QFR	ARTSC	4 Credits	Harmon,Bryan Michael	WEBTBA
22266	CGS	STAT 1000	APPLIED STATISTICAL METHODS	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
QFR	ARTSC	4 Credits	Quesen,Sarah S	WEBTBA
26202	COMM	COMMRC 1170	CROSS CULTURAL COMMUNICATION (Multiple Sections)	MW, 04:30 PM to 05:45 PM
CCA	ARTSC	3 Credits	Shi,Song	CL 242
19625	COMM	COMMRC 1170	CROSS CULTURAL COMMUNICATION	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
CCA	ARTSC	3 Credits		TBATBA
29534	COMM	COMMRC 1181	HEALTH COMMUNICATION	MWF, 12:00 PM to 12:50 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Christy,Katheryn Rose	CL 242
29735	ECON	ECON 0220	INTRO TO HEALTH ECONOMICS	TTh, 04:00 PM to 05:15 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits		LAWRN 105

24594	LING	LING 1263	CROSS-CULTURAL COMMUNICATION	TTh, 09:30 AM to 10:45 AM
CCA	ARTSC	3 Credits	Ortega-Llebaria,Marta	CL 335
28034	PS	PS 0550	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL STUDIES	TTh, 10:00 AM to 10:50 AM
DIV GI	ARTSC	3 Credits	Dijmarescu,Horia Michael	BENDM 157
28743	SOC	SOC 0473	SOC OF GLOBALIZATION & HEALTH	MW, 04:30 PM to 05:45 PM
GI SS	ARTSC	3 Credits	Smith,Jacquelyn Geryl	FKART 202
22802	CGS	NUR 1829	CONTEM ISSUES CROS CULTL HLTH	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	NURS	3 Credits	Mitchell,Ann M.	WEBTBA
12999	NUR	NUR 0088	INTRO TO BASIC STATSTC FOR EBP	MWF, 12:00 PM to 12:50 PM
	NURS	3 Credits	Kitutu,Julius Mulwa Munyoki Scott,Paul Wesley	VICTO 125
26609	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 0310	INTRO PUBHL BIOST	MWF, 11:00 AM to 11:50 AM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Youk,Ada Owens	WWPH 1501
26656	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 0330	INTRO TO EPIDEMIOLOGY	W, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Songer,Thomas J	PUBHL A115

STAT 0200, STAT 0800, STAT 1000 or NUR 0088, or PUBHLT 0310 ACCEPTED

ELECTIVE COURSES

11080	AFRCNA	AFRCNA 1710	AFRICAN AMERICAN HEALTH ISSUES	TTh, 04:00 PM to 05:15 PM
SS DIV	ARTSC	3 Credits	Fapohunda, Abimbola Omolola	CL 363
21561	BIOSC	BIOSC 1010	COM IN THE BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES (Multiple Sections)	F, 12:00 PM to 01:50 PM
	ARTSC	2 Credits	Carroll, Rory Patrick	CL 237
24751	CGS	ANTH 1752	ANTHROPOLOGY OF FOOD	Th, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
GI CCA	ARTSC	3 Credits	Nehushtan, Hilla	LAWRN 232
27832	CGS	COMMRC 1181	HEALTH COMMUNICATION (Multiple Sections)	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Cohn, Ellen R	WEBTBA
31201	CGS	ENGCOMP 0420	WRITING FOR THE PUBLIC	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	ARTSC	3 Credits		WEBTBA
19546	CGS	ENGCOMP 1400	GRANT WRITING FOR NONPROFITS	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Ferda, Liberty Lea Hultberg	WEBTBA
20083	CGS	HPS 0613	MORALITY AND MEDICINE	M, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
PTE	ARTSC	3 Credits	Potoskie, Madeleine Bolin	CL 139
<p>In this course, we will examine bioethical issues that arise in contemporary medical research and practice through a philosophical lens. We will analyze bioethical dilemmas around a range of issues including moral relativism, ethical codes, informed consent and medical decision-making, race in medicine, pandemics, and the global distribution of medical resources. Students will develop reasoning strategies to support particular decisions and analyze disagreements by identifying the facts, values, concepts and logic that are assumed. This course is part of a core sequence leading to certification in the Conceptual Foundations of Medicine Certificate Program and is a companion course to HPS 0612 (Mind and Medicine) but may be taken independently.</p>				

22129	CGS	PHIL 0360	INTRO TO BIOMEDICAL ETHICS	Th, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
PTE	ARTSC	3 Credits	Vasquez-Peterson,Gabriel Arturo	CL 142
27868	CGS	RELGST 1521	ASIAN RELIGION PERSPECTIVE BIO	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
CCA	ARTSC	3 Credits	Delgado Creamer,Margarita Angelica	WEBTBA
<p>This is a comparative course whose main goal is to analyze and contextualize different Asian religious perspectives on bioethical issues. The first part of the course discusses the development of bioethics, its principles and its historical relationship with religions in general. The second part focuses on Hindu, Buddhist, Confucian and Daoist ethical perspectives on the body, health and disease, and life and death. The third part discusses specific bioethical issues: euthanasia, abortion, organ donation and transplantation, and cognitive enhancement, from the perspective of Buddhist, Hindu, Confucian and Daoist traditions. We expect to learn how non-western religious traditions are responding to the challenges of controversial practices, and contributing to a more nuanced understanding of what it means to be human.</p>				
19571	CGS	SOC 0477	MEDICAL SOCIOLOGY (Multiple Sections)	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Kerr,Margaret Anna	WEBTBA
29448	CGS	SOC 1450	HEALTH AND ILLNESS (Multiple Sections)	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
SS DIV	ARTSC	3 Credits	Fultz,Nancy Helen	WEBTBA
29836	CGS	SOC 1450	HEALTH AND ILLNESS	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
SS DIV	ARTSC	3 Credits	Fultz,Nancy Helen	WEBTBA
11267	ECON	ECON 0530	INTRO TO DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS	TTh, 09:30 AM to 10:45 AM
GI	ARTSC	3 Credits		LAWRN 205
<p>This course concerns low and middle income economies, with over 80% of the world's population, who live in Latin America, Africa, and Asia. Topics covered include: population growth, employment, agriculture, industry, health, education, income distribution, capital accumulation, migration, and government role in the economy, among others. The focus of the course is on how economic theories and analysis explain why some nations are poor while others are rich, and the role played by governments and institutions in shaping these economies.</p>				

11065	ENGLISH	ENGCOMP 0420	WRITING FOR THE PUBLIC (Multiple Sections)	TTh, 01:00 PM to 02:15 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Watson,Sara Renee	SRCC 113
22043	ENGLISH	ENGCOMP 0535	WRIT HEALTH SCIENCE PROFSSNS	MW, 03:00 PM to 04:15 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Flynn,April F	CL 2322
22775	ENGLISH	ENGCOMP 1099	LANGUAGE OF POLICY AND POWER	MW, 04:30 PM to 05:45 PM
DIV	ARTSC	3 Credits	Anyango,Leonora	CL 317
22774	ENGLISH	ENGCOMP 1111	PROF WRITING GLOBAL CONTEXTS	W, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Wang,Xiqiao	CL 204
13991	ENGLISH	ENGCOMP 1400	GRANT WRITING FOR NONPROFITS (Multiple Sections)	MW, 03:00 PM to 04:15 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits		WWPH 4625
27044	GEOL-PL	GEOL 1307	SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS	W, 04:00 PM to 06:30 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Flynn,Corey Suzanne	CL 113
25034	GEOL-PL	GEOL 1342	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	M, 10:00 AM to 12:25 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits		SRCC 113
10689	GEOL-PL	GEOL 1445	GIS, GPS, AND COMPUTER METHODS	MW, 04:00 PM to 05:15 PM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Williams,Daniel Blair	PUBHL G23

27555	HIST	HIST 0791	HEALTH CONTROVERSIES IN HIST	TTh, 11:00 AM to 11:50 AM
HSA GI	ARTSC	3 Credits	Webel,Mari K	CL G24
28968	HIST	HIST 1090	HISTORY MEDICINE & HEALTH CARE	W, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
HSA	ARTSC	3 Credits	Ladson,Marcy J	WWPH 2200
27751	HIST	HIST 1197	BLACK DEATH: PLAGUE & HISTORY	, to
GR HSA	ARTSC	3 Credits		
22884	HIST	HIST 1476	RELIGION AND HEALING IN CHINA	TTh, 11:00 AM to 12:15 PM
GR	ARTSC	3 Credits	Liu,Cuilan	BENDM G27
27621	HIST	HIST 1706	DRUGS IN GLOBAL HISTORY	TTh, 11:00 AM to 11:50 AM
HSA GI	ARTSC	3 Credits	Ladson,Marcy J	LAWRN 104
28342	HPS	HPS 0613	MORALITY AND MEDICINE (Multiple Sections)	TTh, 02:30 PM to 03:45 PM
PTE	ARTSC	3 Credits	Evans,Amanda Lea	VICTO 229
22803	PS	PS 1555	GLOBAL STUDIES MINI COURSE	
	ARTSC	1 Credits		TBATBA
<p>This course engages the interdisciplinary nature of global health by approaching the issue through the lens of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) developed by the United Nations. With an applied focus, the course will assist students in engaging and advocating for a community on a global health issue through a policy memo. For more information see the Global Studies web site or contact global@pitt.edu.</p>				
21058	PSY	PSY 0186	CROSS CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM

	ARTSC	3 Credits	Perri,Lauren Kimberly Stalczyński,Oksana	TBATBA
22885	RELGST	RELGST 1560	RELIGION AND HEALING IN CHINA	TTh, 11:00 AM to 12:15 PM
GR	ARTSC	3 Credits	Liu,Cuilan	BENDM G27
29767	RELGST	RELGST 1622	BODY SIZE AROUND THE GLOBE (Multiple Sections)	TTh, 01:00 PM to 02:15 PM
GI	ARTSC	3 Credits	Nehushtan,Hilla	CL 151
26619	RELGST	RELGST 1726	HEALING AND HUMANITY	Th, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
PTE	ARTSC	3 Credits	Weinkle,Jonathan	WWPH 5401
24883	SLAVIC	SLAV 0860	CHERNOBYL MEMORY MUSEUM (Multiple Sections)	MW, 01:00 PM to 02:15 PM
ART GR	ARTSC	3 Credits		CL 363
25199	SOC	SOC 0477	MEDICAL SOCIOLOGY	MW, 09:00 AM to 10:15 AM
	ARTSC	3 Credits	Epitropoulos,Mike F	WWPH 2200
31860	SOC	SOC 1450	HEALTH AND ILLNESS	MW, 08:00 AM to 09:15 AM
SS DIV	ARTSC	3 Credits	Slammon,Robert Michael	WWPH 5108
28970	SOC	SOC 1488	HISTORY MEDICINE & HEALTH CARE	W, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
HSA	ARTSC	3 Credits	Ladson,Marcy J	WWPH 2200
16217	SPANPORT	SPAN 1323	MEDICAL SPANISH	MW, 04:30 PM to 05:45 PM

	ARTSC	3 Credits		CL 129
This course is designed for students planning to work in the health care field to communicate more effectively in linguistic and cultural terms with Spanish-speaking patients. Students will explore advanced and specific medical vocabulary, communication strategies, and related cultural aspects. The class will cover grammar and vocabulary in context and discussions about different perspectives on health, disease and health care for Hispanics in the U. S and in the Spanish speaking countries.				
27745	SPANPORT	SPAN 1459	MAPPING THE FEMALE BODY	TTh, 11:00 AM to 12:15 PM
CCA	ARTSC	3 Credits	Calahorrano,Sandy Paola	CL 113
20826	CBA-DEAN	BUSBIS 1635	INF TECHN SYMS SUPPLY CHAINS	, to
	CBA	3 Credits		
11884	CBA-DEAN	BUSENV 0060	MGRL ETHICS & STAKEHOLDER MGT (Multiple Sections)	MW, 12:30 PM to 01:45 PM
	CBA	3 Credits	Klein,Paul M	MERVS 114
20931	CBA-DEAN	BUSSCM 1730	MANAGING GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAINS (Multiple Sections)	TTh, 12:30 PM to 01:45 PM
	CBA	3 Credits	Aflaki,Arian	ALUM 532
11919	CGS	PUBSRV 0030	PUBLIC POLICY PROCESS	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	CGS	3 Credits		TBATBA
19567	CGS	PUBSRV 1305	HEALTH, LAW AND ETHICS (Multiple Sections)	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	CGS	3 Credits	McCarthy,Cynthia	WEBTBA
26148	HPRED	HHD 1487	CHRONIC DISEASE AND OBESITY (Multiple Sections)	MW, 10:00 AM to 11:15 AM

	EDUC	3 Credits	Davis,Kelliann K.	TREES 129
14980	BIOENG	BIOENG 2241	SOCTL, POL & ETHCL ISS BIOTEC	Th, 06:00 PM to 09:00 PM
	ENGR	3 Credits	Schmidt,Karen L Manz,Jennifer Lynn	BENDM 320
26486	IE	IE 1171	DATA FOR SOCIAL GOOD	
	ENGR	3 Credits		
12589	PIA	PIA 2117	PROGRAM EVALUATION	Th, 12:00 PM to 02:50 PM
	GSPIA	3 Credits	Li,Huafang	WWPH 3431
12590	PIA	PIA 2715	GIS FOR PUBLIC POLICY	M, 06:00 PM to 08:50 PM
	GSPIA	3 Credits	Lewis,An	WWPH 3431
26306	HONORS	HONORS 1010	Appalachian Research Course	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	HNRS	1 Credits	Schultz,Bryan Paul	SENSQ 5601
This is a 1-credit, multi-disciplinary research-based course aimed at providing a clearinghouse for research and training on the long-term effects of out-migration from Appalachian communities. The research is based on facilitating collaboration with community partners in Fayette County in Pennsylvania. This course will provide students with the tools they need to begin the co-creation of knowledge with community partners in a way that centers community self-determination and research ethics. Participation in this course is by permission only. Contact one of these faculty members if you wish to join the course: Michael Glass (glass@pitt.edu), Kristin Kanthak (kanthak@pitt.edu), or David Sanchez (david.sanchez@pitt.edu).				
27916	LAW	LAW 5395	HEALTH LAW AND POLICY	TTh, 02:10 PM to 03:30 PM
	LAWS	3 Credits	Liberatore,Beth Terese Crossley,Mary Adair Horensky,Jaime M	LAW G46
19565	CGS	NUR 1765	RISK FACTORS AND HEALTH	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	NURS	3 Credits	Park,Na-Jin	WEBTBA

15879	NUR	NUR 1085	ETHICS IN NURSING & HEALTH CRE (Multiple Sections)	TTh, 04:30 PM to 05:45 PM
	NURS	3 Credits	Wilkenfeld,Daniel A	VICTO 125
22728	NUR	NUR 1141	HLTH DISP IN VULN POPULATIONS	M, 01:00 PM to 02:50 PM
	NURS	2 Credits	Doswell,Willa	VICTO 111
18514	BCHS	BCHS 2554	INTRO TO COMMUNITY HEALTH	T, 09:30 AM to 12:15 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Hoffman,Beth Louise	CL 236
24630	EOH	EOH 2013	ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH & DISEASE (Multiple Sections)	W, 06:00 PM to 07:00 PM
	PUBHL	2 Credits	Bortey-Sam,Nesta Weaver,Matthew S Ufelle,Alexander Chukwuma Snyder,Bryanna M	WEBTBA
13060	EPIDEM	EPIDEM 2110	PRINCIPLES OF EPIDEMIOLOGY	TTh, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Costacou,Tina Songer,Thomas J Rhodes,Amy Lynn	LAWRN 120
On Tuesdays and Thursdays, the class session will run from 6:00pm to 7:20 pm. On selected Tuesdays and Thursdays, breakout time after class from 7:30-8:00pm will be used for recitation sessions, exam reviews, and exams throughout the term.				
22119	EPIDEM	EPIDEM 2143	SOCIAL EPIDEMIOLOGY	T, 11:00 AM to 12:40 PM
	PUBHL	2 Credits	Fabio,Anthony Rhodes,Amy Lynn	BELPB 324
27824	EPIDEM	EPIDEM 2162	INFECT DISEASE & GLOBAL HLTH	F, 01:00 PM to 02:40 PM
	PUBHL	2 Credits	Nachega,Jean Bisimwa Rhodes,Amy Lynn	PUBHL A622

24993	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 0100	FUND OF PUBLIC HEALTH	TTh, 09:30 AM to 10:45 AM
	PUBHL	3 Credits		LAWRN 107
27919	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 0120	ESSENTLS HEALTH EQUITY (Multiple Sections)	MW, 03:00 PM to 04:15 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Deakings,Jason A	LAWRN 205
27869	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 0320	INTRO ENVRL HEALTH SCIENCES (Multiple Sections)	M, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Knuckles,Travis Lee	PUBHL A115
22122	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 2033	FOUNDATIONS IN PUBLIC HEALTH (Multiple Sections)	T, 03:00 PM to 04:00 PM
	PUBHL	1 Credits	Bortey-Sam,Nesta	PUBHL A115
22122	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 2033	FOUNDATIONS IN PUBLIC HEALTH	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	PUBHL	1 Credits	Bortey-Sam,Nesta	WEBTBA
22122	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 2033	FOUNDATIONS IN PUBLIC HEALTH	T, 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
	PUBHL	1 Credits	Bortey-Sam,Nesta	PUBHL G23
24967	GSPH-DEAN	PUBHLT 2501	HLTH EQTY RES: MTHS & INTRVS	W, 01:00 PM to 03:50 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Fapohunda,Abimbola Omolola	CL 327
19605	HPM	HPM 2001	HLTH POLC & MGT IN PUBLCL HLTH	T, 01:00 PM to 03:45 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Dornin,Jessica L Hershey,Tina Batra	PUBHL G23

18506	IDM	IDM 2034	CONTRL & PREVENTN OF HIV/AIDS	W, 06:00 PM to 08:30 PM
	PUBHL	2 Credits	Ha,Toan Frank,Linda	PUBHL A425
29505	PUBHL	PUBHLT 0410	DATA FOR GOOD: BIOSTAT IN ACT	MW, 03:00 PM to 04:15 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Buchanich,Jeanine Marie	PUBHL3121C
31056	PUBHL	PUBHLT 0420	EVID BAS ENV AND "ONE HEALTH"	TTh, 01:00 PM to 02:15 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits	Ndoh,Christina Eyvonne	PUBHL3121C
31096	PUBHL	PUBHLT 0423	THE AQUE ENV, SUSTNBLY & PUBHLT	TTh, 02:30 PM to 03:45 PM
	PUBHL	3 Credits		PUBHL A622
26954	PUBHL	PUBHLT 2037	DEV A GLOBAL HEALTH CASE STUDY	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	PUBHL	1 Credits	Salter,Cynthia L	
24661	SHRS	NUTR 1006	INTRO TO HUMAN NUTRITION (Multiple Sections)	, 12:00 AM to 12:00 AM
	SHRS	3 Credits	Passerello,Caroline W	WEBTBA
24660	SHRS	NUTR 1626	PUBLIC HEALTH NUTRITION	MT, 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM
	SHRS	3 Credits	Beatrice,Britney Nicole	TBATBA
14888	SOCWRK	SOCWRK 1005	FOUNDATIONS OF WELFARE STATE (Multiple Sections)	W, 06:00 PM to 08:50 PM
	SOCWK	3 Credits	Ali,Khalifah	CL 239

13419	SOCWRK	SOCWRK 1063	AFRICAN-AMERICAN HEALTH ISSUES	TTh, 04:00 PM to 05:15 PM
	SOCWK	3 Credits	Fapohunda, Abimbola Omolola	CL 363

