Division of Interdisciplinary Programs **ANNUAL REPORT**



2019-2020

All statistics based on the number of declared students as of May 2020.

ENTERPRISE LEADERSHIP





Strategic Business Consulting Internships with Innovative Companies Opportunities to Launch New Ventures Enterprise Leadership is designed specifically for students wanting to focus on business and entrepreneurial leadership. The major promotes critical thinking, creativity, and innovation through understanding how to strategically address complex issues to meet consumer and organizational needs. The major is administered by the John Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Center (Iowa JPEC).

GLOBAL HEALTH STUDIES





Majors Identify as Students of Color Global Health Studies students are engaged in international and local Global Health. This year, students were chosen for the "Dare to Discover" research showcase, won Stanley Awards for International Research (Ecuador, India, Chile), completed virtual internships (India), received a Fulbright Study Research grant (Romania/Bulgaria), and were recognized with student leadership awards.

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES





Majors identify as Students of Color In 2019-20, students won fellowships for post-graduate study abroad in Azerbaijan and Taiwan, received two Critical Language Scholarships (South Korea and Russia), won the Weston International Human Rights Essay Prize, and placed second in the International King Sejong Korean Language Contest. Students also worked with Iowa's Refugee and Immigrant Association through our new course on Community Engaged Learning with Refugees and Immigrants in Iowa.

LATINA/O/X STUDIES



LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES



Minors Identify as Students of Color The Latina/o/x/ Studies Program continues to increase the number of declared minors, and to collaborate across campus to create new LATS courses. This year our students were recognized for research (Dare to Discover), campus leadership (Latino Native American Cultural Center), community service (Meet the Challenge Serve), and commitment to social justice (Johnson/Fernandez Scholarship).

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Certificate Students & Minors



Francisco A. Scarano, "Blending Puerto Rico into Latin American History" The Latin American Studies curriculum continues to attract students with a wide variety of career interests including journalism, education, engineering, nursing and law.

THE MAGID CENTER





16 Student Publications 860+ Pages of Student Work 100+ Students in Staff Positions

IOWA YOUTH WRITING PROJECT

1,018 youth reached, **25** UI student interns, **22** weekly programs, **216** summer campers, **26** special events, **11** states and **4** countries represented by students

IOWA YOUNG WRITERS' STUDIO

864 residential program applicants (144 accepted),404 online course applicants (288 accepted), 39states and 16 non-US countries represented

IOWA SUMMER WRITING FESTIVAL

105 weeklong, two-week, and weekend workshops planned, **60** internationally renowned faculty members, **11** creative writing genres

INTERDEPARTMENTAL STUDIES





Majors Graduate

Students' top reasons for choosing a major in Interdepartmental Studies:

- customization
- flexibility
- variety