Military Affairs (MIL AFF)

Courses

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MIL AFF 1 Military Physical Fitness 1 Unit
Terms offered: Spring 2024, Fall 2023, Spring 2023
This course teaches the fundamentals of physical fitness employed by
the U.S. military to condition ROTC cadets for the physical demands
they will face as military officers. The course consists of rigorous physical
training under the supervision of military officers and noncommissioned
officers. The goal of this course is to not only enhance one's level of
physical fitness, but also to develop leadership qualities in the conduct
and planning of physical fitness training. Physical training will include, but
is not limited to: running up to five miles, team sports, aerobics, and other
activities.

MIL AFF 145A National Security Forces in
Contemporary American Society 3 Units
Terms offered: Fall 2023, Fall 2022, Fall 2021
Conceptually examines the Armed Forces as an integral element of
American society. Examines contemporary issues in civil-military relations
and the national and international environment in which U.S. defense
policy is formulated and implemented.

MIL AFF 145B Preparation for Active Duty 3
Units
Terms offered: Spring 2024, Spring 2023, Spring 2022
This course focuses on commissioning of cadets and their transition
to active duty. The primary focus of instruction is officership,
professionalism, and leadership. Topics for specific discussion
include the military justice system, military ethics, core values, military
professionalism and current issues affecting the Air Force, and a general
introduction to base functions designed to ease cadets' transition to
active duty. This course combines lecture and discussion with increased
emphasis on the students' written and oral communication skills.

MIL AFF 180 Philosophy of Leadership 3
Units
Terms offered: Fall 2021, Spring 2021, Fall 2020
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MIL AFF 199 Supervised Independent Study and Research 1 - 4 Units

Terms offered: Spring 2024, Fall 2023, Spring 2023
Supervised independent study and research for undergraduate students who desire to pursue topics of their own selection.

Rules & Requirements

Prerequisites: Upper division standing and consent of the instructor

Repeat rules: Course may be repeated for credit without restriction.

Hours & Format

Fall and/or spring: 15 weeks - 0 hours of independent study per week

Summer: 6 weeks - 2.5-10 hours of independent study per week

Additional Details

Subject/Course Level: Military Affairs/Undergraduate

Grading/Final exam status: Offered for pass/not pass grade only. Final exam not required.