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Please visit the Counseling Center to apply for certificates and degrees, and for academic planning assistance.

### Certificate of Achievement Level Requirements

A minimum "C" grade in each major course.

Note: A maximum of six (6) quarter units may be transferred from other academic institutions.

Major courses for certificates and degrees must be completed with a letter grade unless a particular course is only offered on a pass/no-pass basis.

## Leadership and Social Change

### Certificate of Achievement †

The Leadership and Social Change certificate program prepares students to be community leaders, agents of change in the workplace, and responsible participants in civic life in general. Students completing this certificate are prepared to work as an entry-level union organizer or staff person at a non-profit organization. Students who plan to pursue a transfer degree can use the skills obtained to analyze the social forces at work in, and to take leadership in, their areas of work or study.

Contact the Institute of Community and Civic Engagement (ICCE) for more information on earning this certificate.  
<http://www.deanza.edu/communityengagement/>

Student Learning Outcomes - upon completion, students will be able to:

- analyze the social processes that foster inequality and disempowerment, and those that challenge inequality and lead to empowerment.
- analyze the ways that social processes are amenable to transformation through strategic planning and constituent mobilization.
- apply leadership skills, such as meeting facilitation, strategic planning, consensus-building and generating buy-in from stakeholders, with the aim of fostering social justice and empowerment.

1. Meet the requirements for this certificate level.
2. Complete the following requirements for each category.

#### Leadership and Power

Complete the following course:

SOSC 17 Grassroots Democracy: Leadership and Power 4  
also listed as WMST 17

#### Leadership Skills

Complete a minimum of four (4) units from the following: 4

BUS 65 Leadership (5)  
E S 66 Environmental Leadership (1)  
E S 67 Environmental Team-Building (1)  
E S 68 Community-Based Coalitions and Stakeholders (1)  
ICS 55 Civic Leadership for Community Empowerment (4)  
SPCH 15 Critical Decision Making in Groups (4)  
SPCH 70 Effective Organizational Communication (4)

#### Understanding Social Change

Complete a minimum of four (4) units from the following: 4

ICS 17 Critical Consciousness and Social Change (4)  
also listed as PHIL 17  
POLI 15 Grassroots Democracy: Race, Culture and Liberation (4)  
also listed as WMST 15  
POLI 16 Grassroots Democracy: Social Movements Since the 1960s (4)  
also listed as WMST 16  
SOC 5 Sociology of Globalization and Social Change (4)

#### Leadership Internship

Complete a minimum of six (6) units from the following: 6

ICS 80 series ICS 80, 80W, 80X, 80Y, 80Z  
Community Based Learning in Intercultural Studies (0.5-4)  
LART 80 series LART 80, 80W, 80X, 80Y, 80Z  
Community Based Learning in Language Arts (0.5-4)  
SOSC 80 series LART 80, 80W, 80X, 80Y, 80Z  
Community Based Learning in Social Sciences (0.5-4)  
Total Units Required . . . . . 18

† Pending state approval.  
Please check with the department for the status.