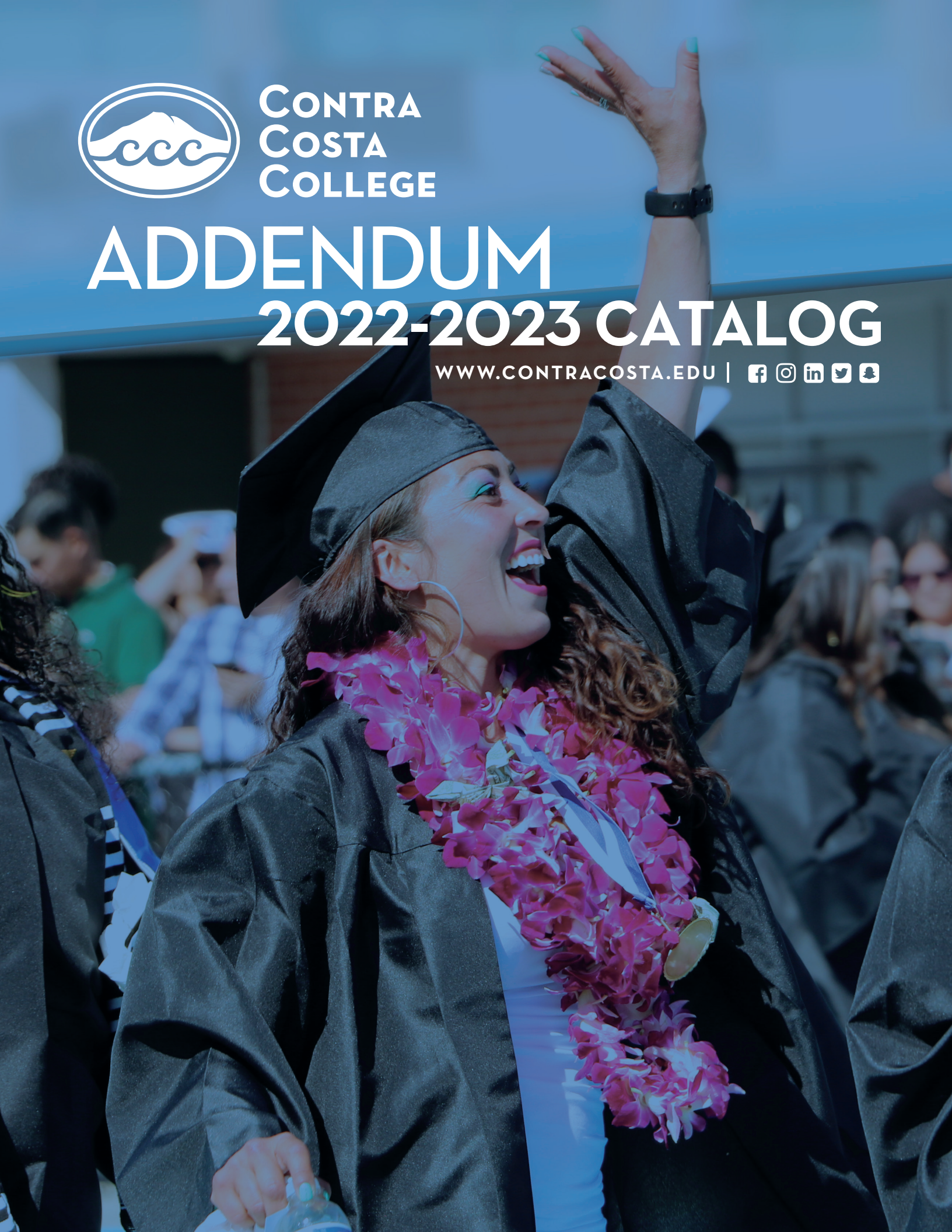




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# ADDENDUM 2022-2023 CATALOG

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*Effective with the start of the 2022/23 catalog year, unless otherwise noted.*

## REVISED 2022-2023 Catalog Sections

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# CHAPTER 4 CHANGES

## New Program

### Ethnic Studies

#### Associate in Arts Degree

#### Ethnic Studies.....18 units

The Ethnic Studies program provides an interdisciplinary academic curriculum that provides students with an in-depth analysis of the rich life experiences of African American, Chicano/a, and Latino/a/x people, and in comparison to the experiences of other people of color. The program emphasizes the comparative and transborder study of race, ethnicity, and indigeneity. Major areas of study include history, culture, politics, contemporary social issues, literature, and the arts. In addition to acquiring a critical understanding of social and racial justice issues, students who take Ethnic Studies classes will gain the necessary skills to pursue career opportunities in education, public health, social services, government, community-based agencies, and beyond.

An Associate in Arts Degree may be earned by completing a minimum of 60 units of degree credit coursework, including the major requirements and breadth requirements, with a minimum grade point average of 2.0. Students must complete all courses for the major with a grade of C or better.

#### Required core courses (6 units):

3 units	LARAZ-110	Introduction to La Raza Studies
3 units	AFRAM-110	Introduction to African American Studies

#### Plus, 6 units from the following:

3 units	AFRAM-112	African American Theatre
3 units	AFRAM-113	African American Humanities
3 units	AFRAM-120	Black Experience through Film
3 units	AFRAM-122	History of African Americans in the U.S. (Pre-Colonial 1865)
3 units	AFRAM-123	History of African Americans in the U.S. (1865 to the Present)
3 units	AFRAM-140	Psychology of African Americans
3 units	AFRAM-210	History of African Civilization
3 units	AFRAM-225	Dynamics of African American Politics in America
3 units	AFRAM-226	Black Male and Female Relationships
3 units	AFRAM-228	Sociology of African Americans

#### Plus, 6 units from the following:

3 units	LARAZ-113	Introduction to Analysis of American Political Institutions
3 units	LARAZ-125	Latin American History
3 units	LARAZ-127	History of Latinos in the United States (1846-present)
3 units	LARAZ-130	Contemporary Chicano/Latino Literature
3 units	LARAZ-131	Introduction to LGBTQ Studies
3 units	LARAZ-141	Introduction to Psychology of La Raza
3 units	LARAZ-165	Chicana/o-Latina/o Theatre
3 units	LARAZ-190 I	Introduction to Chicano(a) and Latino(a) Film

## Revised Programs

### Business

**Note Changes:** Updated program description. Updated units for CIS-110. Removed two optional courses. Added one optional course. Updated overall certificate units.

#### Certificate of Achievement

#### Accounting Technician 18.5-22.5 Units

The Accounting Technician program seeks to 1) help students become aware of, and knowledgeable about, domestic and global business environments; 2) prepare business majors for transfer to four-year academic programs in business and economics; 3) help students become aware of possible business-related jobs and careers; and 4) enhance students' appreciation of life-long learning as a basis for continued self-development and professional career success in the business arena.

A certificate of achievement may be earned by completing all the courses required in this concentration with a grade of C or better.

#### 1st Semester

##### Required Courses (6 units)

3 units	BUS-102	Business Mathematics
3 units	BUS-109	Introduction to Business

#### Plus, one of the following: (2-4 units)

2 units	CIS-110	Fundamental Computer Literacy
4 units	CIS-135	Introduction to Computers

#### Plus, one of the following: (3-4 units)

3 units	BUS-181	Applied Accounting I
4 units	BUS-186	Principles of Accounting I

#### 2nd Semester

##### Required Courses (4.5 units)

3 units	BUS-125	Report Writing
1.5 units	BUS-188	Accounting with Quickbooks

#### Plus, at least one course from the following, not already taken: (3-4 units)

3 units	BUS-181	Applied Accounting I
4 units	BUS-186	Principles of Accounting I
4 units	BUS-187	Principles of Accounting II

## - continuation of Revised Programs

### Computer Science

**Note Changes:** Updated program description. Removed MATH course requirements. Replaced outdated COMP course requirements with newer courses. Updated overall Degree units.

#### Associate in Science Degree

##### Computer Science.....20 Units

The associate in science in computer science is designed as a two-year curricular pathway that offers students a broad general education while integrating an in-depth study of computer science. Students will be prepared to assume entry level positions in business and industry. Many of the courses are also applicable toward advanced levels of study. To earn a degree, students must complete each course used to meet a major requirement with a "C" grade or higher and complete all general education requirements as listed in the catalog. Students who intend to transfer to a four-year program in computer science should consult with a counselor regarding additional pre-requisite requirements.

#### Required courses, with suggested sequence:

4 units	COMP-112	Introduction to Programming
4 units	COMP-165	Advanced Programming With C and C++
4 units	COMP-200	Object Oriented Programming C++
4 units	COMP-210	Program Design and Data Structures
4 units	COMP-265	Assembly Language Programming/Computer Organization

### Economics

**Note Changes:** Added/removed optional courses in List A.

#### Associate in Arts Transfer Degree

##### Economics ..... 22-25 Units

The Associate in Arts in Economics for Transfer Degree is designed to prepare students for transfer into the CSU system to complete a baccalaureate degree in Economics or a similar major. It is designed for students interested in preparing for advanced degrees in Economics, Business, or Law, and for those students concerned with the economic behavior of consumers, businesses, and governments. Economics majors have a wide variety of career opportunities in business, law, journalism, education, politics, finance and banking, government, public and private overseas service, and labor leadership. Many economics majors go on to pursue graduate study in a related professional area, such as law, business, or public administration. The Associate in Arts in Economics for Transfer Degree is designed to provide students a clear pathway to the CSU economics major and completion of the economics baccalaureate degree, to grant guaranteed admission to a CSU to a similar major, with junior standing, and the ability to complete their remaining requirements within 60 semester or 90 quarter units.

Pursuant to SB1440, section 66746, a student must complete the following requirements in order to earn an AA-T in Economics:

- Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units of degree-applicable courses,
- Minimum overall grade point average of 2.0,
- Minimum grade of "C" (or "P") for each course in the major, and
- Completion of IGETC and/or CSU GE-Breadth.

The Economics AA-T Degree requires a total of 22-25 major units of required courses and restricted electives in the categories below as indicated.

#### Required Core Courses (14-15 units):

3 units	ECON-220	Introduction to Macroeconomic Principles
3 units	ECON-221	Introduction to Microeconomic Principles
4 units	MATH-164	Introduction to Probability and Statistics
and		
4 units	MATH-180	Applied Calculus
or		
5 units	MATH-190	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I

#### Plus, 4-5 units from List A:

5 units	MATH-170	Finite Mathematics
4 units	MATH-191	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II
4 units	BUS-186	Principles of Accounting I
4 units	BUS-187	Principles of Accounting II

#### Plus, 4-5 units from List B:

5 units	MATH-290	Analytic Geometry and Calculus III
4 units	MATH-200	Introduction to Linear Algebra

Any course from the Required Core Courses or List A courses not already used

## Philosophy

**Note Changes:** Added three optional courses. Updated program description.

### Certificate of Achievement

#### Philosophy .....12 Units

The Certificate of Achievement in Philosophy at Contra Costa College is designed to help students develop important work and life skills such as critical thinking, problem-solving, and effective communication, as well as explore fundamental questions like “how do I live a good life?”, “what is justice?”, and “who am I?” Guided by a commitment to multicultural philosophical education and the values of truth, integrity, diversity, and equity, this program consists of courses that cultivate “the love of wisdom” (the literal meaning of philosophy) and empower students for holistic success- in the classroom, workplace, community, and beyond.

A certificate of achievement may be earned by completing all the courses required for this major with a grade of C or better.

#### Courses required for the certificate:

3 units	PHILO-101	Introduction to Philosophy
3 units	PHILO-120	Introduction to Ethics
and either		
3 units	PHILO-129	Introduction to Critical Thinking and Logic
or		
3 units	PHILO-130	Critical Thinking, Logic, and Composition

#### Plus, three units from the following:

3 units	PHILO-140	History of Ancient Philosophy
3 units	PHILO-150	History of Modern Philosophy
3 units	PHILO-160	Introduction to Social & Political Philosophy
3 units	PHILO-180	Introduction to Philosophy of Religion
3 units	PHILO-200	Environmental Ethics

## New Transfer Approvals

### Effective fall 2022:

#### UC/CSU Transfer

- ART-113
- ART-114
- ART-115
- DRAMA-107
- DRAMA-108
- DRAMA-109
- DRAMA-221A
- DRAMA-221B
- DRAMA-221C
- DRAMA-221D
- DRAMA-222
- DRAMA-223
- ECHD-121
- HUMAN-130
- PHILO-129

#### IGETC Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences

- MEDIC-211

#### CSU GE Area D: Social Sciences

- MEDIC-211

#### CSU GE Area C1: Arts

- LARAZ-190

#### CSU GE Area F: Ethnic Studies

- LARAZ-110
- LARAZ-130
- LARAZ-190