



# FRESHMAN SEMINARS

Small, discussion-based classes in which students have the opportunity to explore specific topics within or beyond a major.

Freshman seminars are 1.0 unit, and for the P/NP grading option only

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*\*For date, time, section ID, and course description of each seminar, please visit:*

[http://ugseminars.ucsd.edu/UGSEM\\_SeminarListing.asp](http://ugseminars.ucsd.edu/UGSEM_SeminarListing.asp)

Students who start at UCSD with 45 units or more (from AP, IB, cc courses, etc.) must [contact the department](#) hosting the freshman seminar for authorization to enroll. Once students have enrolled in classes they should contact the department through the VAC.

## Department of Anthropology (ANTH 87)

- Discover Anthropology (B00)
- Genetic Mesearch: Promise and Peril of Personalized Genomics (A00)

## Division of Biological Sciences (BILD 87)

- Can Biology Research Help the Climate Change Crisis? (A00)

## Department of Cognitive Science (COGS 87)

- How Minds and Groups Make Religion and Superstition (A00)

## Department of Computer Science & Engineering (CSE 87)

- Errors and Failures: What went wrong? (B00)
- Neural Networks as Models of the Mind (A00)

## Critical Gender Studies (CGS 87)

- Gender and Sexuality in Popular Culture (B00)
- Who Cares? (A00)

## Department of Education Studies

- Introduction to Educational Robotics (A00)

## Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering (ECE 87)

- Casual Inference in Artificial Intelligence and Decision Making (A00)

## Film Studies (FILM 87)

- Banned Films (A00)
- Cult Films pf 1950s-2000s (C00)
- Fantasy, Sci Fi, & Horror: The Last 60 Years (D00)
- What Film Could Teach Us About Life (B00)

## Department of History (HITO 87)

- Chinese History through Film (C00)
- Ming China in Short Stories (B00)
- What is Socialism (And What Isn't) (A00)

## Department of Literature (LTCS 87)

- Asian Horror (A00)
- Love at First Sight (B00)

## Department of Mathematics (MATH 87)

- Topics in the History of Math: A Dangerous Mathematical Theory (A00)

## Department of Music (MUS 87)

- Chamber Music Up-Close (A00)
- The Condition of Music (B00)

## Department of Physics (PHYS 87)

- Introduction to LaTeX: typeset your own science/engineering papers (B00)

## Department of Scripps Institution of Oceanography (SIO 87)

- An Introduction to Volcanoes (A00)
- Rocks that Rock! An exploration of exciting, unique and otherwise fascinating Earth materials (B00)

## Sixth College (CAT 87)

- Make 'Em Laugh: A History of Funny Ladies from Lucille Ball to Ali Wong

## Department of Sociology (SOCI 87)

- Seeing the Invisible: How Gender and Sexuality Shape Opportunity (A00)

## The Study of Religion (RELI 87)

- Politics and Religion at UCSD (A00)

## Department of Theatre and Dance (TDGE 87)

- Architecture and Design of UCSD campus (A00)
- Dance Movement Exploration (B00)

## Thurgood Marshall College

- Women of Color Activism: Davis, Huerta, & Kochiyama (A00)