

# First Year Inquiry Program

**Would you enjoy a course where you can get to know your professor and have the opportunity to discuss timely topics that interest you in a small-class environment?**

**Do you need to fulfill requirements of the General Education Program?**

First-year Inquiry (FYI) classes are for you! These courses, designed for new freshmen/transfers at NC State, feature a small class size (capped at 19 students) that encourage active learning and inquiry, develop critical and creative thinking skills, build academic community, and foster a close intellectual relationship between students and faculty. In Summer 2022, we are offering 3 sections of FYI. These courses are a great springboard for Spring Connect students! Make sure to register for the section of the course with the "Q" designation.

## **AFS 240 African Civilization**

**GEP: Global Knowledge**  
**GEP: Humanities**

An interdisciplinary study of centers of African civilization from antiquity to the 1960s. Such centers include ancient Egypt, Nubia, Axum, Ghana, Mali, Songhai, Kilwa, Malinda, Sofola, Zinzibar and Monomotapa.

*(Section 005Q: Tuesday and Thursday 11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.)*

## **EMA 110 Introduction to Arts Entrepreneurship**

**GEP: Interdisciplinary Perspectives**

This course introduces students to the basic components of an entrepreneurial lifestyle in the arts for those interested in starting an arts business. Students explore fundamental issues arts entrepreneurs encounter and how they can be addressed before the startup process reaches the launch cycle. Students are required to provide their own transportation to and cover the admission costs of off-campus events.

*(Section 001Q: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 10:20 - 11:50 a.m.)*

## **MEA 260 Human Dimensions of Climate Change**

**GEP: Interdisciplinary Perspectives**

Climate is changing with potentially catastrophic implications for the Earth and for people. In this course we discuss how and why climate is changing and how climate change is affecting and will affect human well-being in society. We draw upon the multiple disciplinary lenses and diverse perspectives needed to evaluate proposed solutions to climate change across multiple dimensions and/or to assess fully the consequences of inaction.

*(Section 001Q: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:50 - 11:20 a.m.)*