



RUSS 4005/SLLC 4950: Service Learning

Engaging Missouri Immigrant Communities

Gain career experience through community-engaged, intercultural learning.

Thanks to a rich and diverse history of immigration, Columbia, MO is a globally connected, or “glocal,” community.

In partnership with MU’s Office of Service Learning, we will collaborate in this course with local organizations as a means of community-engaged learning. In other words, our learning will proceed from our community service and our shared reflections on it.

This course will ideally serve as a vehicle for students to develop a sustained

commitment to civic service, as well as informed engagement with immigrant communities, in particular. Texts will include stories of, direct accounts by and artistic expressions of immigrant experience.

Course details:

- Meets weekly on Wednesdays 2-2:50 pm
- 5-6hrs of onsite volunteering/week
- Labor-Based Grading
- No prereqs