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**The Department of African American Studies
Undergraduate Major Application**

This application must be complete before you can be admitted into the major.

After you have been accepted into the major on the departmental level, you will then need to submit a “Petition to Declare a Major” to the College of Letters and Science. You can attach the Petition to this application as well.

Please submit with this application a typewritten statement (of at least a half a page) indicating your reasons and objectives for pursuing a degree in African American Studies, unofficial transcripts of work completed to date, and a writing sample of at least 5 pages.

Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

List all African American Studies courses previously taken:

Course No.	Title	Campus	Date Taken	Grade

Total number of units (overall) completed toward the degree _____

Overall GPA _____ Are you new to Berkeley this semester? _____

Do you plan to major in A.A.S.:

a) as a fulfillment of a liberal arts education? _____

b) as preparation for graduate work in AAS? _____

c) or for what other reason? _____

What is your cluster topic? _____

Is this form submitted with the following materials:

a) a typewritten statement? Yes ___ No ___

b) unofficial transcripts? Yes ___ No ___

c) a writing sample? Yes ___ No ___

Chair’s Signature of Approval _____