

# Certificate in **Community Engagement + Service-Learning**

## WHAT IS IT?

The Certificate demonstrates that a student has significantly integrated Community Service-Learning (CSL) into their postsecondary education.

The knowledge and experiences gained through service-learning are applicable to a wide range of careers, including those in non-governmental organizations (NGOs), the volunteer sector, business and government, and academic institutions.

Students in all undergraduate programs at U of A are eligible for the Certificate, which is received upon graduation and noted in the student transcript.

## HOW DO STUDENTS GET IT?

1 CSL-designated course +  
3 CSL approved courses +  
1 non-credit opportunity

OR

1 CSL-designated course +  
4 CSL approved courses

## MORE INFO

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# CSL Certificate **Core Knowledge Areas + Capabilities**

## CORE KNOWLEDGE AREAS

Upon completion of the Certificate in Community Engagement + Service-Learning, learners will **know**:

- How experiences of social class, racism, dis/ability and gender intersect for people in their lived experiences in community
- How the nonprofit sector relates to the wider society and economy
- How various modes of civic engagement contribute to positive social change
- Local Indigenous and settler histories, treaties and reconciliation initiatives

## CORE CAPABILITIES

Upon completion of the Certificate in Community Engagement + Service-Learning, learners will **be able to**:

- Think critically and creatively
- Problem-solve productively in teams
- Work successfully with people from diverse cultures
- Decide upon actions in an ethical manner

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