

**Digital Stories 2017**  
**Cohort 3 Participant Expectations**

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**Instructions: Print (or come by Arise Office for a copy) and initial by each statement:**

\_\_\_\_ Personal commitment to create a safe space for sharing and reflection (values: respect, reciprocity and caring for others)

\_\_\_\_ Willingness to engage in vulnerable exchange with your peers, DS staff (Arise staff, counselors and faculty)

\_\_\_\_ Be open to positive group feedback and support

\_\_\_\_ Engage yourself in critical thinking: how your story relates to your higher education aspirations and creating key messages for other students, your community, and our college staff

\_\_\_\_ Permission for the Arise Program to share your digital stories as part of official business (e.g., college staff/faculty meetings, professional development, conference presentations)

\_\_\_\_ Special Permission: Provide DS as a student research resource for course content (e.g., History, Sociology) [[optional](#)]

\_\_\_\_ Meet all expected deadlines for project completion

**Requirements to Participate**

\_\_\_\_ Full participation in each of the scheduled Cohort meetings (Phase 1, 2 and 3)

\_\_\_\_ Enrollment and full participation in COUN 99 (1 Unit) in Winter 2018

\_\_\_\_ Enrollment and full participation in SOC 99 (2 units) in Spring 2018

**Participant Outcomes**

1. Complete Digital Stories project: 6-minute, closed-captioned video
2. Presentation of Digital Stories project:
  - a. Private Group Screening on 6/21/17
  - b. Faculty Flex Day Screening TBD
  - c. Campus-wide screening and panelist commitment
  - d. Screening at future regional and national conferences (accepted proposals)

**Potential Benefits**

1. Public speaking and presentation experience
2. Conference & travel
3. Retreat lodging and meals

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Print Name

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Signature

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Date

**Required Meeting Dates**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Activity</b>
November 30, 2017	Applicant confirms commitment to participate. Register for COUN 99 in Winter 2018
December 18-20, 2017	<b>Cohort Meeting Phase 1</b> 12/18: 1-5 pm 12/19: 10 am-6 pm 12/20: 10 am – 6 pm
January 8, 2018-February 15, 2018	<b>COUN 99 class begins on Jan. 8</b> Tuesdays, 1:30-3:00 pm plus arranged hours
January 2018	Register for SOC 99 in Spring 2018
February 8-10, 2018	<b>Cohort Meeting Phase 2</b> 2/8: 1-5 pm 2/9: 10 am – 6 pm 2/10: 10 am – 6 pm
February 21	<b>Cohort Fieldtrip to Manzanar Relocation Camp Full Day (est. 8 hours)</b>
February 26 – June 14, 2018	<b>SOC 99 class begins on Feb. 26</b> Weekly meetings required; arranged group/individual hours on Thursdays, between 1-4 pm
April 11-13, 2018	<b>Cohort APAHE Conference &amp; Fieldtrip</b> May depart afternoon of April 10th
June 18-20, 2018	<b>Cohort Meeting Phase 3 (off-campus)</b> 6/18: All Day (departure from campus TBD) 6/19: All Day 6/20: All Day (return to campus TBD)
June 21, 2018	<b>Private Screening</b> Time and Location TBD

