EWU's College of Social Sciences (CSS) offers academic and cultural programs that focus on a wide range of human issues and experiences—just one reason Eastern is recognized as a model diversity-serving institution.

+ CSS boosts EWU's mission to **embrace equity and social justice in our communities** through programs such as Africana Studies, American Indian Studies, Chicana/o/x Studies, Disability Studies and Gender, Women's & Sexuality Studies.

+ The Family Resource & Training Center (FRTC) **engages with communities to provide support services for children, families and their caregivers.** FRTC develops resources, training and education to support permanency planning for children.

+ Whether helping a Spokane neighborhood develop local park improvements or helping a small town map out a vision for the future, **Urban & Regional Planning students solve critical infrastructure and design issues.**

+ CSS is partnered with Gonzaga Law School to **establish a unique 3+3 program,** which allows EWU students to earn their bachelor's and Juris Doctorate in six years instead of seven.

+ Each election cycle, the college **hosts engaging political forums so students, faculty and staff** can interact with candidates on the state and local level.

+ Since 1980, **EWU's Archaeological and Historical Services (AHS) has provided cultural resource management for the it's clients.** AHS is a grant/contract research program that helps clients meet compliance requirements pertaining to the inventory, protection and enhancement of archaeological and historical resources in the Northwest.

Approximately **one-third** of EWU graduates are from CSS disciplines.

Students in the School of Social Work perform **field training in over 750 agencies**

Nearly **3,000 cultural resource management projects** have been completed by Archaeological and Historical Services.

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