In response to the Department of Defense and Air Force guidance to provide cultural education and awareness to the enlisted corps, the Air Force Culture and Language Center (AFCLC) is offering to participants in the Community College of the Air Force (CCAF) a Distance Learning Course, *Introduction to Cross-Cultural Communication*, providing the knowledge and skills associated with cross-cultural communication in an applied context.

CLTR202, *Introduction To Cross-Cultural Communication*, is an education course which fulfills three hours of Institutional (Resident) and/or Program Elective credit required for the CCAF Associate of Applied Science degree. Additionally, this course will fulfill core requirements of CCAF's Military Technology and Applied Sciences Management (MTASM) degree. The purpose of the course is to provide foundational knowledge essential for developing cross-cultural communication competence, focusing on the concepts, skills, and applications relevant to military personnel.

CCAF General Catalog: [https://www.airuniversity.af.edu/Barnes/CCAF/](https://www.airuniversity.af.edu/Barnes/CCAF/)

*Introduction to Cross-Cultural Communication* explores subjects such as manifestations of culture, communication styles, paralanguage, nonverbal communication, and active listening. It also includes lessons on relationship-building and conflict resolution reinforced through actual narratives of Airmen's personal and professional experiences.

The course, including all instructional material, is provided at no cost. It's delivered via Air University’s web-based Canvas learning management system (LMS). Reliable access to the internet for course participation and research is required. Activities consist of readings, multimedia clips, interactive knowledge checks, formative quizzes, discussions, exercises, and simulations. The course consists of 8 modules and various academic assignments. Students will be tested by a series of Milestone Assignments and a Final Exam.

Learn more about AFCLC's Cross-Cultural Competence (3C) courses at: [https://www.airuniversity.af.edu/AFCLC/courses/](https://www.airuniversity.af.edu/AFCLC/courses/)

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### Upcoming Course Dates

**Fall 2024-25 Session (25AC)**

Enrollment Window: 10 Sep – 7 Oct '24

Course Dates: 17 Oct '24 – 29 Jan '25

**Summer 2025 Session (25BC)**

Enrollment Window: 1 Apr - 28 Apr '25

Course Dates: 8 May - 20 Aug '25

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