

International Studies, B.A.

Degree Offered

- Bachelor of Arts

Nature of the Program

The international studies major is composed of internationally oriented courses drawn from several disciplinary and interdisciplinary study areas. Students take courses from departments such as economics, geography, history, political science, sociology/anthropology, and world languages.

Students who earn a degree in the Eberly College of Arts and Sciences must complete the University requirements, the College requirements for their specific degree program, and their major requirements.

Minors

All students have the possibility of earning one or more minors; a list of all available minors and their requirements is available at <http://catalog.wvu.edu/undergraduate/minors/>. Please note that students may not earn a minor in their major field.

Study Abroad, Internships, and Other Experiential Education Opportunities

Students are strongly encouraged to take advantage of opportunities for professional internships and study abroad, which may be undertaken for academic credit (often fulfilling specific course requirements for the major) with the approval of students' designated international studies advisers. Through internships, students gain first-hand knowledge of organizations engaged in international social, economic, and governmental affairs.

To experience another society and in many cases to improve their foreign language capabilities, students may also study abroad for a summer, one semester, or an entire academic year. Interested students should consult their international studies adviser. Additional experiential education opportunities available to international studies majors include academic simulation programs and global service-learning.

Second Majors, Minors, and Other Coursework

Students are encouraged to work closely with their international studies advisor and faculty in the program to select relevant courses, second majors, and/or minors that will complement their work in international studies and lead to meaningful career options.

FACULTY

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PROFESSORS

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- Joe D. Hagan - Ph.D. (University of Kentucky)
Regular Graduate Faculty, Barnette Professor in Political Science, International Relations and World Politics, Comparative Foreign Policy Analysis
- Daniel Renfrew - Ph.D. (Binghamton University, State University of New York)
Regular Graduate Faculty, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Environmental and political anthropology, Social movements, Latin American cultures
- Amy Thompson - Ph.D. (Michigan State University)
Regular Graduate Faculty, Department of World Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics, Applied Linguistics

ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS

- R. Scott Crichlow - Ph.D. (Louisiana State University)
Regular Graduate Faculty, Department of Political Science, International Relations, Foreign Policy Decision-making, Middle East Politics
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- William Hal Gorby - Ph.D. (West Virginia University)
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Department of Political Science, International Conflict, National Security Analysis

• Mason W. Mosley - Ph.D. (Vanderbilt University)

Regular Graduate Faculty, Department of Political Science, Comparative Politics, Latin American Politics, Comparative Political Institutions

Admissions

- Freshmen are admitted directly into the major.
- Students admitted from another WVU major must have an overall GPA of a 2.0.
- Students admitted from another institution must have an overall GPA of a 2.0.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS 2024-2025

The Admission Requirements above will be the same for the 2024-2025 Academic Year.

Major Code: 1453

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General Education Foundations

Please use this link to view a list of courses that meet each GEF requirement. (<http://registrar.wvu.edu/gef/>)

NOTE: Some major requirements will fulfill specific GEF requirements. Please see the curriculum requirements listed below for details on which GEFs you will need to select.

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Foundations		
F1 - Composition & Rhetoric		3-6
ENGL 101 & ENGL 102 or ENGL 103	Introduction to Composition and Rhetoric and Composition, Rhetoric, and Research Accelerated Academic Writing	
F2A/F2B - Science & Technology		4-6
F3 - Math & Quantitative Reasoning		3-4
F4 - Society & Connections		3
F5 - Human Inquiry & the Past		3
F6 - The Arts & Creativity		3
F7 - Global Studies & Diversity		3
F8 - Focus (may be satisfied by completion of a minor, double major, or dual degree)		9
Total Hours		31-37

Please note that not all of the GEF courses are offered at all campuses. Students should consult with their advisor or academic department regarding the GEF course offerings available at their campus.

Degree Requirements

Students must complete WVU General Education Foundations requirements, College B.A. requirements, major requirements, and electives to total a minimum of 120 hours. For complete details on these requirements, visit the B.A. Degrees tab on the Eberly College of Arts and Sciences (<http://catalog.wvu.edu/undergraduate/eberlycollegeofartsandsciences/#bachelorofartstext>) page.

Departmental Requirements for the B.A. in International Studies

- **Capstone Requirement:** The university requires the successful completion of a Capstone course. For International Studies majors, INTS 488 will fulfill this requirement.
- **Writing and Communication Requirement:** International Studies Bachelor of Arts students fulfill the Writing and Communication Skills requirement by completing ENGL 101 and ENGL 102 (or ENGL 103), and any two additional **SpeakWrite Certified Courses™** selected from: ANTH 350, ANTH 458, CHIN 301, CHIN 303, COMM 309, FCLT 206, FCLT 306, FCLT 310, FCLT 380, FCLT 381, FLIT 217, FLIT 238, FLIT 239, FLIT 257, FLIT 266, FRCH 301, FRCH 302, FRCH 303, FRCH 304, GEOG 243, GEOG 302, GEOG 415, GEOG 443, GEOG 455, GER 301, GER 302, GER 303, GER 304, HIST 180, HIST 209, HIST 221, HIST 225, HIST 242, HIST 276, HIST 318, HIST 325, HIST 418, HIST 439, HIST 464, INTS 488 (3 credit hour), ITAL 301, ITAL 303, ITAL 304, JAPN 301, POLS 230, POLS 240, POLS 250, POLS 300, POLS 355, POLS 491A, RELG 230, RELG 231, RELG 301, RUSS 301, RUSS 303, RUSS 342, RUSS 451, SPAN 311, SPAN 312.
- **Calculation of the Major GPA:** A minimum GPA of a 2.0 is required in all courses applied to major requirements. If a course is repeated, all attempts will be included in the calculation of the GPA, unless the course is eligible for a D/F repeat.

- **Area of Emphasis:** A minimum GPA of a 2.0 is required in all courses applied to the Area of Emphasis. Students must declare an Area of Emphasis. Fifteen credits within the Area of Emphasis must be completed at the 300 level or above.
- **Regional Focus:** Students must select a regional focus.

Curriculum Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
University Requirements		65
ECAS B.A. Requirements		12
International Studies Major Requirements		43
Total Hours		120

University Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Foundations (GEF) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 (31-37 Credits)		
Outstanding GEF Requirements 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, and 8		30
INTS 191	First-Year Seminar	1
General Electives		34
Total Hours		65

ECAS Bachelor of Arts Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Fine Arts Requirement		
Foreign Language		12
Global Studies and Diversity Requirement		
Total Hours		12

International Studies Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Core Courses		13
INTS 288	Professional Development: Success After International Studies	
POLS 260	Introduction to International Relations	
ECON 200	Survey of Economics	
or ECON 201	Principles of Microeconomics	
POLS 300	Empirical Political Analysis	
or INTS 300	Social Inquiry in International Studies	
or GEOG 333	Human Geography in Practice	
Select one of the following courses:		
ANTH 105	Introduction to Anthropology	
GEOG 102	World Regions	
HIST 180	World History Since 1500	
HN&F 126	Society and Food	
POLS 103	Global Political Issues	
POLS 250	Introduction to Comparative Politics	
RELG 102	Introduction to World Religions	
Area of Emphasis		18
Select an area of emphasis (18 credits)		
Regional Focus		9
Select a regional focus (9 hours) from Africa/Middle East, Asia, Europe, or The Americas		
AFRICA/MIDDLE EAST (Select one class from 3 of the 4 following categories)		
Language		
ARBC 303	Arabic Conversation 1	

or ARBC 304	Arabic Conversation 2
or FRCH 303	Structure and Communication
or FRCH 304	Advanced Readings

History

HIST 105	The Middle East
or HIST 321	Colonial Africa and Independence
or HIST 428	East Africa Since 1895
or HIST 434	West Africa from 1885

Politics

POLS 356	Politics of the Middle East
or POLS 358	Politics of Africa

Culture

FLIT 238	African Women Writers
or FLIT 239	Francophone Literature in Translation
or FLIT 315	Modern Arabic Literature
or FLIT 316	Arab Women Writers
or FRCH 301	Language Through Civilization
or FRCH 302	Language Through Culture
or GEOG 243	Geography of Africa
or GEOG 244	Geography of the Middle East
or GEOG 443	African Environment and Development
or RELG 232	History and Practice of Islam

ASIA (Select one class from 3 of the 4 following categories)**Language**

CHIN 301	Third Year Chinese 1
or JAPN 301	Conversation and Composition 1

History

HIST 106	East Asia: An Introduction
or HIST 225	Gandhi and Beyond: Modern History of South Asia
or HIST 325	Modern China
or HIST 326	Modern Japan
or HIST 435	History of Chinese Thought

Politics

POLS 350	Government of Japan
or POLS 354	Government of China
or POLS 369	Far East International Affairs

Culture

CHIN 303	Readings in Modern Chinese 1
or FCLT 206	Introduction to Japanese Culture
or FCLT 210	Chinese Civilization and Culture
or FCLT 306	Japanese Culture and Cinema
or FCLT 310	Chinese Cinema
or FLIT 217	Chinese Literature in Translation 2
or RELG 230	Religions of India
or RELG 231	Religions of China and Japan
or RELG 301	Studies in Asian Scriptures

EUROPE (Select one class from 3 of the 4 following categories)**Language**

FRCH 303	Structure and Communication
or FRCH 304	Advanced Readings
or ITAL 303	Composition and Conversation
or ITAL 304	Advanced Conversation

or GER 301	Language and Society
or GER 302	Conversations in Context 2: Germany Today
or RUSS 301	Conversation and Composition 1
or RUSS 303	Advanced Structure and Reading 1
or SPAN 311	Readings in Spanish
or SPAN 312	Written Communication in Spanish

History

HIST 209	Twentieth Century Europe
or HIST 218	History of Russia: 1900-Present
or HIST 221	History of Modern Germany
or HIST 314	France Since 1815
or HIST 318	Twentieth Century German Central Europe
or HIST 331	History of Italy since 1800
or HIST 418	Eastern Europe Since 1945
or HIST 420	USSR and After: 1953 to Present
or HIST 422	Twentieth-Century Germany from Weimar to Bonn

Politics

POLS 351	Russian and Post-Soviet Politics
or POLS 352	Politics of the European Union
or POLS 353	Western Democratic Governments
or POLS 452	European Union Law/Legal Systems
or POLS 453	European Union Law/Institutions
or INTS 360	The European Union and Contemporary European Affairs

Culture

FCLT 340	Italian Cinema 1945 to Present
or FCLT 380	Holocaust: Eastern Europe Film and Literature
or FCLT 381	Contemporary Polish Cinema
or FLIT 229	German Literature Since World War II
or FLIT 236	French Literature in Translation 2
or FLIT 237	French Women Writers
or FLIT 257	Russian Literature Translation 2
or FRCH 301	Language Through Civilization
or FRCH 302	Language Through Culture
or GEOG 241	Geography of Europe
or GER 303	Youth Culture in German-Speaking Countries
or GER 304	Culture and Science in German-speaking Countries
or ITAL 301	Language Through Culture
or INTS 361	European Identity and French-German Cooperation along the Rhine
or RUSS 342	Survey of Russian Literature
or RUSS 451	Russian Culture

THE AMERICAS (Select one class from 3 of the 4 following categories)**Language**

SPAN 311	Readings in Spanish
or SPAN 312	Written Communication in Spanish

History

HIST 104	Latin America: Past and Present
or HIST 242	Latin America: Reform and Revolution
or HIST 370	Latin America and the World
or HIST 439	History of Modern Mexico

Politics

POLS 355	Governments of Latin America
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Culture

FCLT 260	Cultures of Mexico	
or ANTH 350	Latin American Culture	
or FCLT 360	Latin American Cinema	
or FLIT 266	Latin American Literature	
or FLIT 285	Brazilian Literature Translation	
or FLIT 361	Latin American Literature and Violence	
or GEOG 245	Geography of Latin America	
Capstone Experience		3
INTS 488	Capstone International Studies	
Exit Interview		
Total Hours		43

Suggested Plan of Study

First Year

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
INTS 191		1 ENGL 101 (GEF 1)	3
GEF 2		3 GEF 2	3
Foreign Language 101		3 GEF 3	3
Core Elective 1		3 GEF 5	3
General Elective		1 Foreign Language 102	3
General Elective		3	
General Elective		1	
		15	15

Second Year

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
ENGL 102 (GEF 1)		3 AoE Course 1	3
INTS 288		1 Foreign Language 204	3
ECAS Fine Arts Requirement (GEF 6)		3 ECON 200 or 201 (GEF 4)	3
Foreign Language 203		3 GEF 8*	3
POLS 260 (ECAS Global Studies and Diversity Requirement and GEF 7)		3 General Elective	3
General Elective		2	
		15	15

Third Year

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
GEF 8*		3 GEF 8*	3
AoE Course 2		3 AoE Course 3	3
Regional Course 1		3 AoE Course 4	3
POLS 300 or SOCA 311		3 Regional Course 2	3
General Elective		3 General Elective	3
		15	15

Fourth Year

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
AoE Course 5		3 INTS 488	3
Regional Course 3		3 AoE Course 6	3
General Elective		3 General Elective	3
General Elective		3 General Elective	3
General Elective		3 General Elective	3
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Total credit hours: 120

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Students completing a minor, a second major or a dual degree already meet F 8.

Areas of Emphasis Offered:

Majors are required to select an area of emphasis for specialized advanced study.

GLOBAL AFFAIRS

- Global Connections (p. 7)
- Security and Diplomacy (p. 8)

GLOBAL CONNECTIONS AREA OF EMPHASIS

Code	Title	Hours
AREA OF EMPHASIS: GLOBAL CONNECTIONS		18
Select six of the following courses from at least two disciplines. Fifteen credits must be earned at the 300 level or above:		
ACCT 201	Principles of Accounting 1	
ANTH 458	Environmental Anthropology	
BIOL 105	Environmental Biology	
COMM 309	Health Communication	
ECON 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	
ECON 225	Elementary Business and Economics Statistics	
ECON 451	International Economics	
ECON 455	Economic Development	
ESWS 155	Elements of Environmental Protection	
GEOG 209	Global Justice	
GEOG 302	Political Geography	
GEOG 312	Migration and Human Rights	
GEOG 411	Rural and Regional Development	
GEOG 415	Global Environmental Change	
HIST 276	Twentieth Century American Foreign Relations	
HIST 464	American Foreign Relations 1941 to Present	
POLS 230	Introduction to Policy Analysis	
POLS 240	Introduction to Public Administration	
POLS 338	Environmental Policy	
POLS 360	International Political Economy	
POLS 361	International Law and Institutions	
POLS 362	Comparative Foreign Policy	
POLS 363	International Law	
POLS 364	American Foreign Relations	
POLS 376	Contentious Politics	
POLS 460	Gender and International Relations	
PUBH 101	Introduction to Public and Community Health	
PUBH 201	Global Perspectives of Public Health	
PUBH 222	Epidemiology for Public Health	
SOC 417	Sociology of Globalization	
WGST 345	Women in International Development	
WMAN 150	Principles of Conservation Ecology	
Total Hours		18

SECURITY AND DIPLOMACY AREA OF EMPHASIS REQUIREMENTS

Code	Title	Hours
AREA OF EMPHASIS: SECURITY AND DIPLOMACY		18
Select six of the following courses from at least two disciplines:		
CRIM 345	Terrorism	
GEOG 302	Political Geography	
GEOG 312	Migration and Human Rights	
GEOG 350	Geospatial Problem Solving	
GEOG 455	Introduction to Remote Sensing	
GEOG 456	Remote Sensing Applications	
HIST 463	American Foreign Relations to 1941	
HIST 464	American Foreign Relations 1941 to Present	
POLS 261	Introduction to National Security	
POLS 301	Introduction to Intelligence Analysis	
POLS 302	Intelligence Analysis Methods	
POLS 359	Politics of Terrorism	
POLS 360	International Political Economy	
POLS 361	International Law and Institutions	
POLS 362	Comparative Foreign Policy	
POLS 363	International Law	
POLS 364	American Foreign Relations	
POLS 365	Foreign Policy Decision-Making	
POLS 368	Politics of War and Peace	
POLS 376	Contentious Politics	
POLS 461	Transformation of War	
POLS 462	Intelligence Failures	
Total Hours		18

Degree Progress

BENCHMARK EXPECTATIONS

By the third semester in the program, students should have:

- Completed or be registered for: POLS 260, ECON 200 or ECON 201, and one additional course from the core list.
- Made progress toward the world language requirement.

All majors must meet with an INTS adviser each semester (double majors should meet with both advisers).

Students who do not meet these requirements may be removed from their major.

Major Learning Outcomes

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

Knowledge

- Students will apply theories and concepts drawn from appropriate disciplines such as political science, history, economics, geography, and sociology to international affairs.
- Students will display substantive knowledge of global and/or regional challenges through synthesis of the history, culture, society, geography, politics, and economy of a major world region.

Skills

- Students will demonstrate basic receptive and productive proficiency (four or more semesters) in a language appropriate for their chosen regional focus.

- Students will apply interdisciplinary social science research methods, including using library databases to find relevant literature, evaluating the strengths and weaknesses of academic arguments, and applying basic quantitative and qualitative methods to make solid, evidence-based decisions.

Attitudes

- Students will exhibit the intellectual and ethical responsibilities of active global citizenship.

Africa and the Middle East

Minor Code - U019

Courses must be taken in at least three disciplines/departments, and all FLIT, FCLT, and foreign language courses are considered to be in one discipline/department.

Code	Title	Hours
A minimum overall GPA of 2.0 in the minor.		
Foundation Course		
Select one of the following:		3
ECON 451	International Economics	
ECON 454	Comparative Economic Systems	
GEOG 302	Political Geography	
HIST 463	American Foreign Relations to 1941	
HIST 464	American Foreign Relations 1941 to Present	
POLS 250	Introduction to Comparative Politics	
POLS 260	Introduction to International Relations	
POLS 364	American Foreign Relations	
POLS 368	Politics of War and Peace	
Specialized Courses:		
Select four of the following from at least three disciplines:		12
Group I		
ECON 455	Economic Development	
Group II		
GEOG 243	Geography of Africa	
GEOG 411	Rural and Regional Development	
Group III		
HIST 427	East Africa to 1895	
HIST 428	East Africa Since 1895	
HIST 320	Pre-Colonial Africa	
HIST 321	Colonial Africa and Independence	
HIST 433	West Africa to 1885	
HIST 434	West Africa from 1885	
Group IV		
MUSC 477	Music of Africa	
Group V		
POLS 356	Politics of the Middle East	
POLS 358	Politics of Africa	
Group VI		
RELG 232	History and Practice of Islam	
Group VII		
Group VIII		
WGST 345	Women in International Development	
Total Hours		15

The Americas

Minor Code - U020

Courses must be taken in at least three disciplines/departments, all FLIT, FCLT, and foreign language courses are considered to be in one discipline/department.

Code	Title	Hours
A minimum GPA of 2.0 is required in all minor courses		
Foundation Course		
Select one of the following:		3
ECON 451	International Economics	
ECON 454	Comparative Economic Systems	
GEOG 302	Political Geography	
HIST 463	American Foreign Relations to 1941	
HIST 464	American Foreign Relations 1941 to Present	
POLS 250	Introduction to Comparative Politics	
POLS 260	Introduction to International Relations	
POLS 364	American Foreign Relations	
POLS 368	Politics of War and Peace	
Specialized Courses:		
Select four of the following (at least three must be from different disciplines/departments)		12
Group I		
ECON 455	Economic Development	
Group II		
FLIT 285	Brazilian Literature Translation	
SPAN 330	Latin American Culture	
SPAN 332	Modern Spanish American Literature	
SPAN 361	Commercial Spanish	
SPAN 494 - Seminar (subject matter changes)		
Group III		
GEOG 411	Rural and Regional Development	
Group IV		
HIST 241	Latin America: Culture, Conquest, Colonization	
HIST 242	Latin America: Reform and Revolution	
Group V		
POLS 355	Governments of Latin America	
Group VI		
ANTH 350	Latin American Culture	
Group VII		
WGST 345	Women in International Development	
Total Hours		15

Asia

Minor Code - U021

Courses must be taken in at least three disciplines/departments, all FLIT, FCLT, and foreign language courses are considered to be in one discipline/department.

Code	Title	Hours
Students must earn an overall GPA of 2.0 in the minor, with a grade of C- or better in all required courses.		
Foundation Course:		
Select one of the following:		3
ECON 451	International Economics	
ECON 454	Comparative Economic Systems	

GEOG 302	Political Geography
HIST 463	American Foreign Relations to 1941
HIST 464	American Foreign Relations 1941 to Present
POLS 250	Introduction to Comparative Politics
POLS 260	Introduction to International Relations
POLS 364	American Foreign Relations
POLS 368	Politics of War and Peace

Specialized Courses:

Select four of the following (at least three must be from different disciplines/departments) 12

Group I

ECON 455	Economic Development
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Group II

FLIT 216	Chinese Literature Translation 1
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Group III

GEOG 411	Rural and Regional Development
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Group IV

HIST 325	Modern China
HIST 326	Modern Japan

Group V

POLS 350	Government of Japan
POLS 354	Government of China
POLS 369	Far East International Affairs

Group VI

RELG 230	Religions of India
RELG 231	Religions of China and Japan

Group VII

WGST 345	Women in International Development
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Total Hours 15

Europe**Minor Code - U022**

Courses must be taken in at least three disciplines/departments, all FLIT, FCLT, and foreign language courses are considered to be in one discipline/department.

Code	Title	Hours
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A minimum GPA of 2.0 is required in all minor courses

Foundation Course

Select one of the following: 3

ECON 451	International Economics
ECON 454	Comparative Economic Systems
GEOG 302	Political Geography
HIST 463	American Foreign Relations to 1941
HIST 464	American Foreign Relations 1941 to Present
POLS 250	Introduction to Comparative Politics
POLS 260	Introduction to International Relations
POLS 364	American Foreign Relations
POLS 368	Politics of War and Peace

Specialized Courses

Select four of the following (at least three must be from different disciplines/departments) 12

Group I

FLIT 235	French Literature in Translation 1
FLIT 236	French Literature in Translation 2

FLIT 256	Russian Literature Translation 1
FLIT 257	Russian Literature Translation 2
FLIT 264	Spanish Literature Translation 1
FRCH 421	Survey of Literature 1
FRCH 422	Survey of Literature 2
FRCH 432	Contemporary Culture
FRCH 461	Commercial French 1
GER 431	German Literature: Fables/Fairy Tales/Enlightenment -Romanticism
GER 432	German Literature: Since Romanticism
GER 361	German for Professional Purposes
GER 362	Professional Life in Germany
GER 440	German Cultural History: 350-1700
GER 441	German Cultural History Since 1945
RUSS 341	Survey of Russian Literature
RUSS 342	Survey of Russian Literature
SPAN 340	Culture of Spain
SPAN 342	Modern Literature of Spain
SPAN 361	Commercial Spanish
Group II	
HIST 205	Absolutism & Enlightenment
HIST 207	Revolutionary Europe
HIST 209	Twentieth Century Europe
HIST 217	History of Russia to 1917
HIST 218	History of Russia: 1900-Present
HIST 221	History of Modern Germany
HIST 313	France from 1450 to 1750
HIST 314	France Since 1815
HIST 416	The French Wars of Religion
HIST 417	World War II in Europe
HIST 418	Eastern Europe Since 1945
HIST 419	Revolutionary Russia: 1900-1953
HIST 420	USSR and After: 1953 to Present
HIST 421	Hitler and the Third Reich
HIST 422	Twentieth-Century Germany from Weimar to Bonn
HIST 432	Eighteenth Century Britain: 1715-1832
Group III	
POLS 351	Russian and Post-Soviet Politics
POLS 352	Politics of the European Union
Group IV	
WGST 345	Women in International Development

Total Hours

15

Development Studies

Minor Code - U023

Courses must be taken in at least three disciplines/departments, all FLIT, FCLT, and foreign language courses are considered to be in one discipline/department.

Code	Title	Hours
A minimum GPA of 2.0 is required in all minor courses		
Foundation Course		
Select one of the following:		3
ECON 451	International Economics	

ECON 454	Comparative Economic Systems
GEOG 302	Political Geography
HIST 463	American Foreign Relations to 1941
HIST 464	American Foreign Relations 1941 to Present
POLS 250	Introduction to Comparative Politics
POLS 260	Introduction to International Relations
POLS 364	American Foreign Relations
POLS 368	Politics of War and Peace

Specialized Courses:

Select four of the following (at least three must be from different disciplines/departments) 12

Group I

ECON 455	Economic Development
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Group II

GEOG 243	Geography of Africa
GEOG 411	Rural and Regional Development
GEOG 412	Geography of Gender

Group III

HIST 242	Latin America: Reform and Revolution
HIST 321	Colonial Africa and Independence
HIST 325	Modern China
HIST 428	East Africa Since 1895
HIST 433	West Africa to 1885
HIST 434	West Africa from 1885

Group IV

POLS 354	Government of China
POLS 355	Governments of Latin America
POLS 356	Politics of the Middle East
POLS 358	Politics of Africa

Group V

ANTH 350	Latin American Culture
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Group VI

WGST 345	Women in International Development
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Total Hours

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