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INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MINOR

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Political Science Department



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The International Studies minor is designed for students who want to combine a general background in International issues with a regional concentration. It complements foreign language minors, as well as communications and business majors whose career goals are internationally focused, particularly well.

The minor would be appropriate for students considering careers in government, international organizations, the non-profit sector, international business, public relations, social work, etc.



REQUIREMENTS

The International Studies minor has the following requirements, which total 21 credits:

- 1. <u>COMM 424</u> Cross-Cultural Communication (3 credits)
- 2. <u>POLISCI 351</u> International Relations (3 credits)
- 3. <u>INTRNAR 488</u> Capstone Seminar, required of all majors and minors (3 credits)
- Regional specialization requirements
 (12 credits). Choose ONE of the following regions: Asia, Europe, Latin America, Middle East/Africa.
- a. For the region chosen, select two3-credit courses under the list of approvedcourses for the International Studies major.
- b. Select 2 additional 3-credit courses at the 300-level or above from the list of approved courses for the International Studies major (from the same region selected for a. above.)

NOTE: Foreign language courses may be used for the regional courses, subject to the "at least 2 of the courses at the 300-400 level rule."

There is no language requirement for the International Studies minor. This minor is more general than the Latin American Studies or Asian Studies minors. Those minors are recommended for students who want all of their courses in the minor to be region-specific.

