

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, MINOR

A minor in international studies prepares students to understand the complex issues of the cultures, histories, arts, and languages, and politics from a global perspective.

*Note: In addition to fulfilling the distribution requirements below, at least one of the courses selected should include a study-abroad component.

Code	Title	Credits
Core Requirement		3
POLI 120	Global Challenges ¹	3
Thematic Electives		9
Select courses from each track and from at least 2 different academic departments		
Track A: Global Culture and Global Society		
ART 130	World Art I	3
ART 131	World Art II	3
CJ 308	Multi-Cultural Law Enforcement	3
CJ 420	International Criminal Justice	3
ENGL 329	Contemporary World Literature	3
EESC 209	Urban Environmental Issues & Policy	3
MDT 104	Music of the World's People	3
PHIL 231	The Philosophy of War and Peace	3
SECU 220	Current Security Problems	3
SOCI 254	Urban Sociology	3
SOCI 257	Comparative Cultures	3
WGST 110	Diversity and Difference: Identities, Communities, and Cultures	3
WGST 410	Gender, Migration, and Citizenship	3
Track B: Global Politics & Economic Development		
BUSI 322	Technology in a Global Business Environment	3
ECON 366	International Trade & Finance	3
FINC 364	International Finance	3
MGMT 241	Global Business	3
MGMT 243	Global Management	3
POLI 109	Comparative Politics	3
POLI 110	Introduction to World Politics	3
POLI 307	International Law	3
POLI 310	Global Issues of Urgency	3
POLI 327	UN and World Affairs	3
POLI 334	Issues of War & Peace	3
POLI 440	United Nation Workshop	3
Regional Studies Electives		6
Select six credits from the following courses (Electives should cover 2 of the 4 regions and include as least one upper level course, 200 level or higher):		
Area A: Africa		
AFRO 101	The African Diaspora	3
AFRO 164	Introduction to African Civilizations	3

AFRO 283	Organization of African Unity Model Assembly	3
AFRO 285	Modern Africa	3
ENGL 260		3
Area B: Asia		
ART 269	Asian Art	3
ENGL 211		3
HIST 255	The Emergence of Modern Europe	3
MEDI 351	Cinema & Media Studies: Asian Film	3
PHIL 217	Eastern Philosophy and Religion	3
POLI 223	Government and Politics of Asia	3
Area C: Latin America		
ART 267	Art of Spain	3
LATI 201	Peoples and Cultures of the Caribbean	3
LATI 202	Ethnicity, Racialism, and Culture in Mexico and Central America	3
LATI 220	Issues in Latin America	3
POLI 209	Government and Politics of South America	3
Area D: Middle East		
ENGL 322	Middle Eastern Literature: Writing Beyond Modernity	3
ENGL 389	Literature of the Palestine - Israel Conflict	3
HIST 168	Middle East, Past and Present	3
HIST 376	The Twentieth Century Middle East	3
POLI 224	Comparative Politics of the Middle East	3
POLI 324	International Relations in the Middle East	3
Language Elective		6
Select a minimum of six credits from the following pairs of courses: ²		
LANG 103 & LANG 104	Elementary Spanish I and Elementary Spanish II	6
LANG 105 & LANG 106	Elementary French I and Elementary French II	6
LANG 107 & LANG 108	Elementary Italian I and Elementary Italian II	6
LANG 117 & LANG 118	Elementary Japanese I and Elementary Japanese II	6
LANG 131 & LANG 132	Elementary Arabic I and Elementary Arabic II	6
LANG 141 & LANG 142	Elementary Chinese I and Elementary Chinese II	6
Select a minimum of six credits from the following courses with the approval of the coordinator: 6		

¹ May be used to simultaneously satisfy a General Education Program Tier I requirement.

² Students are advised to consult the Modern Languages Department to determine whether their preferred language courses will be available during the time frame they are considering for completion of the minor.