

Global Studies Program

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The objectives of this interdisciplinary minor are to prepare students to make effective decisions as citizens of an interconnected world, induce global perspectives in students as they pursue various academic majors, and increase the academic opportunities for undergraduate students to study and learn about other cultures in relation to their own.

Requirements

Twenty-one semester credit hours are required for the minor. The requirements include the three-hour introductory course G S 2010 and the senior seminar G S 4990. Students will be required to take one course beyond the University foreign language requirement and meet a field experience requirement (see the Global Studies advisor).

The remaining 15 semester credit hours will be selected from any of the courses that have been approved for inclusion in the minor. Students may take only two courses in a single discipline. Students should see the Global Studies program advisor to assist in the selection of these courses.

Upon entry into the program, students contact the Global Studies director to be assigned a global studies minor advisor. The advisor will recommend a course of study for the student after assessing interests and career goals.

Interdisciplinary

- G S 2010 Introduction to Cross-Cultural Experiences (required)
G S 3010 Field Experience and Study in Another Culture
G S 4990 Senior Seminar (required)

Departmental

- BIOL 3050 Parasitology
BMOM 4670 International Business Communication
ECON 3540 Japanese Economy and Business
ECON 4470 Economic Development of the Third World
FREN 3030 Business French
FREN 3130 Twentieth Century Women Writers in French
GEOG 3410 Geography of the U.S. and Canada
GEOG 3420 Geography of Latin America
GEOG 3430 Geography of Europe
GEOG 3450 Geography of Australia and Oceania
GEOG 3460 Geography of the Former Soviet Union
GEOG 3470 Geography of Africa
GEOG 4330 Political Geography
GEOG 4360 Cultural Geography
GEOG 4500 Geography of the Middle East
GEOG 4540 Geography of Native Americans
GEOG 4550 Global Issues
GERM 3030 Business German

- HIST 1110 Survey World Civilization I
HIST 1120 Survey World Civilization II
HIST 3150 Global History: 1945-1975
HIST 4490 Mexico and the Caribbean
HUM 2610 Foreign Literature in Translation
EST 2810 Introduction to Environmental Science
MGMT 4620 International Human Resource Management
MGMT 4710 International Business
MUHL 4130 Survey of World Music
PHIL 3200 Oriental Thought
P S 3000 The Political Status of Women in the World
P S 3180 African Politics
P S 3190 Middle East Politics
P S 3210 International Relations
P S 3300 Comparative European Governments
P S 3310 Comparative Asian Governments
P S 3500 International Law
P S 3510 International Political Economy
P S 3770 The Former Soviet Union
P S 3900 Latin American Politics
P S 4220 World Politics
PSY 4620 Psychology of Women
PSY 4720 Multicultural Perspectives in Psychology and Education
RIM 3890 International Recording Industry
ANTH 2010 Cultural Anthropology
ANTH 3510 Peoples and Cultures of Asia
ANTH 3511 Peoples and Cultures of Oceania
ANTH 3512 Peoples and Cultures of South America
ANTH 3513 Peoples and Cultures Mexico and Central America
ANTH 3514 Peoples and Cultures of Africa
ANTH 3515 Peoples and Cultures of Native North America
ANTH 3516 Peoples and Cultures of Europe
SPAN 3030 Business Spanish
COMM 4560 Intercultural Communication
U H 4600 Senior Interdisciplinary Seminar: Contemporary Middle Eastern Culture

Courses in Global Studies [G S]

- 2010 (201) Introduction to Cross-Cultural Experiences.** Three credits. Required of all Global Studies minors. Establishes a broad-based foundation for understanding perspectives and values in a culture other than one's own. Topics may include inter-cultural communications, verbal and non-verbal interaction, psychology of inter-cultural contact, cross-cultural behavior concepts, and ethnocentrism and geocentrism. This course will be offered on campus as well as in the field.
- 3010 (301) Field Experiences and Study in Another Culture.** One to twelve credits. Prerequisite: G S 2010 for all Global Study minors. Planned study on a specified topic or discipline in a foreign country or another culture. May be preceded by classroom preview and concluded by a time of evaluation; may be in the form of independent study or academic coursework.
- 4990 (499) Senior Seminar.** Three credits. Culmination of Global Studies minor requiring integration and demonstration skills and sensitivities necessary to function in a multicultural environment.