

International Relations

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Program Description

The International Relations program provides an interdisciplinary, integrated approach to an understanding of modern global society and events, preparing the student for a variety of perspectives in a rapidly changing world. Students pursue global interests in language, history, culture, business, government, fine arts, literature, science, and other studies. Students in International Relations will prepare for transfer to universities offering International Relations majors or related fields. Course work will also broaden their perspective and skills to enter the business world. This is an interdisciplinary program so the descriptions for the individual courses can be found under the appropriate disciplines.

Associate in Arts Degree

The Associate in Arts Degree can be obtained by completing a total of 60 units, including the 28-unit major, general education requirements, and electives. All courses in the major must be completed with a grade of C or better or a P if the course is taken on a Pass/No Pass basis.

Program Outcomes

This information is not available at the time of printing. Please check online for current information as it is available.

REQUIRED COURSES	Units
ECON 001 Principles of Economics (Macroeconomics) ..	3
ECON 002 Principles of Economics (Microeconomics) ..	3
FOREIGN LANGUAGE (Choose 10 units from FREN, GRMN, or SPAN numbered 001-034) *	10
GEOG 004 World Geography	3
HIST 005 History of Western Civilization Since 1500	3
IR 001 Global Interdependence	3
Select three units from the electives below	3
Total Units	28

Select three (3) units from the following:

ANTH 002 Cultural Anthropology	3
ART 001 Art History	3
ART 003 World Art	3
BIO 012 Environmental Science	3
BUS 060 Introduction to International Business	3
COMM 010 Interpersonal Communications	3
ENGL 016 Masterpieces of Western World Literature ...	3
FOREIGN LANGUAGE—Any course numbered 001-034 not used above	3 - 5
GEOG 002 Cultural Geography	3
HIST 003 Modern World History	3
PLSC 002 Introduction to Comparative Government. ...	3

*A passing score on any foreign language standardized proficiency examination can be substituted for the foreign language requirement.

IR 001 3.0 Units

Global Interdependence

Course Advisory: Eligibility for English 001; PLSC 001; ENGL 062. This is the gateway course for the International Relations Major. Designed to give students a foundation for the study of international relations, it provides a backdrop to understanding global interdependence, its causes and consequences. Included are political, economic, historical, philosophical, cultural, geographical, and environmental dimensions of interdependence. This course adopts a multidisciplinary perspective and may feature guest speakers or presentations from a variety of disciplines. *Three hours lecture.*