INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS -BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA)

With the increasing importance of world issues to the United States, employment opportunities in government, international organizations and business continue to expand. Today there is an urgent need for college graduates with a strong background in international affairs. To meet this need, the University of Colorado offers a comprehensive and flexible interdisciplinary program in international affairs leading to the BA degree.

Requirements

Required Courses and Credits

Students must complete the general requirements of the College of Arts and Sciences and a minimum of 49–51 credit hours of specified courses with a grade of C- or better (none may be taken pass/fail).

Introductory Courses (10 credit hours)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
IAFS 1000	Global Issues and International Affairs	4
PSCI 2012	Introduction to Comparative Politics	3
PSCI 2223	Introduction to International Relations	3
Total Credit Hours		10

In addition to introductory courses, complete the requirements listed below for:

- · Functional area
- · Geographic concentration
- · Economics/methods
- · Off-campus experience
- · Foreign language
- · Senior seminar

IAFS 3000 Special Topics in International Affairs can be repeated up to 9 credit hours for different topics.

Functional Area (18 credit hours)

Students are required to complete one upper division class in each of the four functional areas and complete two additional upper division classes in any functional area. Students cannot apply more than four functional area classes from any one department.

Code	Title	Credit Hours	
Development and Culture (Functional Area I)			
ANTH 4020	Explorations in Anthropology (approved topics only)	3-6	
ANTH 4500	Cross-Cultural Aspects of Socioeconomic Development	3	
COMM 3410	Intercultural Communication	3	
ECON 3784	Economic Development and Policy	3	
ECON/GEOG 4292	Migration, Immigrant Adaptation, and Development	3	
ECON 4774	Topics in Economic Development, History and Political Economy	3	
ECON 4784	Economic Development	3	

ECON 4794	Economic Growth	3
GEOG/WGST 3672	Who Runs the World? Sex, Power, and Gender in Geography	3
GEOG 3682	International Development: Economics, Power, and Place	3
GEOG 3692	Introduction to Global Public Health	4
GEOG 4632	Development Geography	3
GEOG 4852	Health and Medical Geography	3
IAFS/JWST 3600	Contemporary Jewish Societies	3
IAFS/SCAN 3631	Arctic Society and Culture	3
IAFS/ENVS 3640	Data Analysis for Global Environmental Affairs	3
IAFS 3670/ GEOG 3622	Cities of the Global South	3
LING 3545	World Language Policies	3
MDST 3201	Media, Culture and Globalization (International Media Certificate students only)	3
MUEL 3862	Music and Global Health	3
PACS 3860	Environmental Conflict and Conflict Resolution	3
PSCI 4012	Global Development	3
PSCI 4732	Critical Thinking in Development	3
SOCY 3002	Population and Society	3
SOCY/WGST 3012	Gender and Development	3
SOCY 4007	Global Human Ecology	3
SOCY 4052	Social Inequalities in Health	3
WGST 3500	Global Gender Issues	3
WGST 4300	Sex, Power, Politics: International Perspectives	3
	nics, Business, Political Economy	
(Functional Area II)		
ECON 3403	International Economics and Policy	3
ECON 3545	Environmental Economics	3
ECON 4413	International Trade	3
ECON 4423	International Finance The New Institutional Economics:	3
ECON 4504	Institutions, Contracts and Economic Outcomes	3
ECON 4545	Environmental Economics	3
FNCE 4060	Special Topics in Finance	1-6
INBU 3300	International Business and Management	3
INBU 3450	International Business and Marketing	3
INBU 4200	International Financial Management	3
PSCI 3092	Comparative Political Economy	3
PSCI 3213	International Political Economy	3
(Functional Area III)	International Security, Foreign Policy	
ANTH/JWST 4580	The Holocaust: An Anthropological Perspective	3
GEOG 3742	Place, Power, and Contemporary Culture	3
GEOG 4712	Political Geography	3
GEOG 4742	Topics in Environment and Society (approved topics only)	3

GEOG 4762	Coographics of Political Johns	2
	Geographies of Political Islam	3
HIST 4050	A Global History of World War II	3
HIST 4126	History of U.S. Foreign Relations Since 1941	3
HIST 4146	U.S. Military History since 1898	3
HIST 4166	The Vietnam War in US Politics and Culture	3
IAFS 3010	Islam, Geopolitics and Society: Gender, Identity and Place	3
IAFS 3500/ HIST 4190	French Connections: Contemporary France and America in Historical Context (Global Seminar)	3
IAFS/JWST 3650	History of Arab-Israeli Conflict	3
PACS 3800	Security Studies	3
PHIL 3190	War and Morality	3
PSCI 3123	War, Peace, and Strategic Defense	3
PSCI 3143	Current Affairs in International Relations	3
PSCI 3163	American Foreign Policy	3
PSCI 3193	International Behavior	3
PSCI 4243	Modern Warfare: Terrorism, Ideology, Identity	3
International Instituti	ions, Rights and Norms (Functional Area	
ANTH 4525	Global Islams	3
HIST 4820	Human Rights: Historical Perspectives	3
IAFS 3630/	Radical Nationalism in Contemporary	3
SCAN 3301	Northern Europe	
INVS 4402	Nonviolent Social Movements	3
JRNL 4411	International Media and Global Crises (International Media Certificate students only)	3
MUEL 3882	Music and Violence	3
PACS 3540	Migration, Human Rights, and Conflict in the Mediterranean	
PACS 3850	International Conflict Resolution and Peacebuilding	
PACS 3870	Nonviolent Civil Resistance: Movements and Strategies	3
PHIL 3260	Philosophy and the International Order	3
PRLC 3810	Global Issues in Leadership	3
PSCI 3062	Revolution and Political Violence	3
PSCI 4173	International Organizations	3
PSCI 3183	International Law	3
PSCI 4252	Politics of Ethnicity and Nationalism	3
PSCI 4783	Global Issues	3
SOCY/ENVS 4027	Inequality, Democracy, and the Environment	3
SOCY 4121	Sociology of Religion	3
WGST 3220	Women in Islam	3
WGST 3712	Topics in Global Gender and Sexuality Studies (SS)	3
WGST 4010/	Gender, Genocide and Mass Trauma	3
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WGST 4500/	Gender Politics and Global Activism	3
PSCI 4391		

Geographic Concentration (9 credit hours)

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Students are required to complete three upper-division classes concentrating on one of the four following global regions: Africa/Middle East, Asia, Europe/Eurasia or Latin America. Students should choose a geographic concentration and a language appropriate to that geographic concentration no later than the beginning of their junior year.

Geographic concentration coursework should be mainly in the social sciences, must include one course in contemporary history and can include a maximum of three credit hours of regional literature and arts (taught in the foreign language whenever possible).

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		Hours			
Africa/Middle East Geographic Concentration					
ANTH 3100	Africa: Peoples and Societies in Change (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
ANTH 4630	Nomadic Peoples of East Africa	3			
ARAB/WGST 3410	Gender, Sexuality and Culture in the Modern Middle East	3			
ARAB 3340	Representing Islam	3			
GEOG 4762	Geographies of Political Islam	3			
GEOG 3862	Global Africa: Environment, Development, and Culture	3			
HIST 4218	Lost Kingdoms & Caliphates: West Africa to 1900 (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4238	History of Southern Africa (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4258	Africa under European Colonial Rule (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4328	The Modern Middle East, 1600 to the Present (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4329	Islam in the Modern World: Revivalism, Modernism, and Fundamentalism, 1800-2001 (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4338	History of Modern Israel/Palestine (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4339	Borderlands of the British Empire (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4349	Decolonization of the British Empire (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4359	The Global History of Modern Arabia (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
IAFS 3010	Islam, Geopolitics and Society: Gender, Identity and Place	3			
IAFS 3520/ JWST 4302	Global Seminar: Justice, Human Rights and Democracy in Israel	6			
IAFS/RLST 3530	Global Seminar. Jews and Muslims - The Multiethnic History of Istanbul	3			
IAFS/JWST 3650	History of Arab-Israeli Conflict (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
PSCI 3082	Political Systems of Sub-Saharan Africa (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
PSCI 4242	Middle Eastern Politics	3			

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RLST 3100 WGST 3520	Judaism Gender and Sexuality in Africa	3	RLST 3200	Yoga, Castes and Magic: Hindu Society and Spirituality	3
	Regional Literature and Arts		RLST 3300	Foundations of Buddhism	3
ARAB 3231	In the Footsteps of Travelers: Travel	3	RLST 3800	Chinese Religions	3
711111111111111111111111111111111111111	Writing in Arabic Lit	Ü	WGST/HIST 4619	Women in East Asian History (fulfills	3
ARAB 3330	The Arabic Novel	3		Contemporary History)	
FREN 4170	Francophone Literature	3	Asia Regional Literati	ure and Arts	
Asia Geographic C	Concentration		CHIN 4110	Advanced Readings in Modern Chinese 1	3
ANTH 3160	Peoples of the South Pacific (fulfills	3	CHIN 4120	Advanced Readings in Modern Chinese 2	3
	Contemporary History)		JPNS 4110	Advanced Readings in Modern Japanese	3
ANTH 4750	Culture and Society in South Asia	3	15110 47.00	1	
ANTH 4760	Ethnography of Southeast Asia and Indonesia	3	JPNS 4120	Advanced Readings in Modern Japanese 2	3
GEOG 3822	Contemporary China: Environment,	3		graphic Concentration	
0500 4010	Society, Politics	2	ECON 4514	Economic History of Europe (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
GEOG 4812	Political Ecology & Latin America World War II in Asia and the Pacific	3	FREN 3500	French Current Events: Conversation and	3
HIST 4109	(fulfills Contemporary History)			Composition	
HIST 4339	Borderlands of the British Empire (fulfills	3	GEOG 4892	Geography of Western Europe	3
LUOT 40 40	Contemporary History)		GRMN 3150	Issues in German Politics and Literature	3
HIST 4349	Decolonization of the British Empire (fulfills Contemporary History)	3	GRMN/WGST 4301	Gender, Race and Immigration in Germany and Europe	3
HIST 4528	Islam in South and Southeast Asia (1000 to the Present) (fulfills Contemporary	3	HIST 4053	Britain and the Empire, 1688-1964 (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
HIST 4538	History) History of Modern India (fulfills	3	HIST 4233	History of France since 1815 (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
	Contemporary History)		HIST 4412	Europe, 1890-1945 (fulfills Contemporary	3
HIST 4548	Women in Modern India (fulfills Contemporary History)	3		History)	
HIST 4558	Buddha to Gandhi: A History of Indian	3	HIST 4422	World War I in Europe (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
11101 1000	Nonviolence (fulfills Contemporary History)	Ü	HIST 4423	German History 1848-1989: Weimar Republic, Nazism, State Socialism	3
HIST 4628	Modern China: Collapse of Imperial	3		(fulfills Contemporary History)	
	Brilliance, 1644-1949 (fulfills Contemporary History)		HIST 4424	Modern European Thought and Culture, 1870-Present (fulfills Contemporary	3
HIST 4638	Contemporary China: Radicalism and Reform, 1949 to Present (fulfills	3		History)	
	Contemporary History)		HIST 4433	Nazi Germany and the Holocaust (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
HIST 4638	Contemporary China: Radicalism and Reform, 1949 to Present (fulfills	3	HIST 4442	Europe since 1945 (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
HIST 4648	Contemporary History) Inventing Chinese Modernity, 1800 to	3	HIST 4623	History of Eastern Europe Since 1914 (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
HIST 4658	Present (fulfills Contemporary History) China and Islam from the 7th Century to	3	HIST 4723	Imperial Russia (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
	the 20th Century (fulfills Contemporary History)		HIST 4733	The Russian Revolution and the Soviet Regime (fulfills Contemporary History)	3
HIST 4728	Modern Japanese History (fulfills Contemporary History)	3	IAFS 3500/ HIST 4190	French Connections: Contemporary France and America in Historical Context	3
PSCI 3072	Government and Politics in Southeast Asia (fulfills Contemporary History)	3	ПІЗТ 4190	(fulfills Contemporary History, Global Seminar)	
PSCI 3102	South Asian Politics	3	IAFS 3621/	Rogues to Revolutionaries: Russian	3
PSCI 4022	Chinese Foreign Policy (fulfills	3	RUSS 4481	Rebels, Past and Present	
	Contemporary History)		IAFS 3630/	Radical Nationalism in Contemporary	3
PSCI 4052	Chinese Politics (fulfills Contemporary	3	SCAN 3301	Northern Europe	
RLST 3060	History) Fundamentalism and Islam	3	IAFS/SCAN 3631	Arctic Society and Culture	3
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ITAL 4250/HIST 4313 History of Modern Italy (fulfills Contemporary History)					
ITAL 4730	Italian Feminisms: Culture, Theory, and Narratives of Difference	3			
PSCI 3022	Russian Politics (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
PSCI 4002	Western European Politics (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
PSCI 4062	East European Politics (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
PSCI 4213	Europe and the International System	3			
PSCI 4302	European Union Politics	3			
RUSS 3601	Russian Culture Past and Present (Global Seminar)	3			
RUSS 4301	American-Russian Cultural Relations	3			
RUSS/WGST 4471	Women in 20th-21st Century Russian, East European and Eurasian Cultures	3			
RUSS 4221	Stalinism: Culture and Society	3			
SPAN 3200	Spanish Culture	3			
Europe/Eurasia Region	nal Literature and Arts				
FREN 3120	Main Currents of French Literature 2	3			
FREN 4480	20th Century French Novel	3			
ITAL 3140	Literary and Artistic Cultures in Italy 3: 1900-present	3			
GRMN 3110	German Literature from the Avant-garde to the Postmodern	3			
RUSS 4210	Topics in Russian, East European and Eurasian Culture	3			
RUSS 4230	Russian Cultural Idioms	3			
SPAN 3310	20th Century Spanish Literature	3			
Latin America Geogra	aphic Concentration				
ANTH 3110	Ethnography of Mexico and Central America (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
GEOG 3812	Mexico, Central America, and the Caribbean (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
GEOG 4812	Political Ecology & Latin America	3			
HIST 4118	History of Mexico to 1821 (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4128	The History of Modern Mexico Since 1821 (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
HIST 4158	(fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
PSCI 3032	Democracy, Inequality and Violence in Latin America (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
PSCI 3052/	Gender and Politics in Latin America	3			
WGST 3650	(fulfills Contemporary History)				
PSCI 4012	Global Development	3			
PSCI 4792	Issues in Latin American Politics (fulfills Contemporary History)	3			
SOCY 3161	Global Perspectives on Race and Ethnicity	3			
SPAN/PORT 3220	Latin American Culture: Spanish America and Brazil	3			
Latin America Regiona	Latin America Regional Literature and Arts				

ANTH 4730	Latin American Politics and Culture through Film and Text	3
SPAN 3340	20th Century Spanish American Literature	3
SPAN 4180	Major Works and Trends in Literature and	3

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Economics/Methods (6–8 credit hours)

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Students are required to complete 6–8 credit hours in economics/methods.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Choose one of the following options:		
ECON 2010 & ECON 2020	Principles of Microeconomics and Principles of Macroeconomics	
ECON 2010 & 3-4 below	credit hours from the Methods courses	
6-8 credit hours fi	rom the Methods courses below	
Methods Courses		
ANTH 4000	Quantitative Methods in Anthropology	3
GEOG 3023	Statistics and Geographic Data	4
GEOG 4023	Advanced Quantitative Methods for Spatial Data	4
IAFS/ENVS 3640	Data Analysis for Global Environmental Affairs	3
PSCI 2075	Quantitative Research Methods	3
PSCI 3035	Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods	3
PSCI 3075	Applied Political Science Research	3
SOCY 2061	Introduction to Social Statistics	3
WGST 3020	Feminist Methods of Inquiry and Praxis	3

Off-Campus Experience (3 credit hours)

Complete 3 upper-division credit hours to fulfill the off-campus experience requirement from one of the following: IAFS 4930 Internship in International Affairs; a CU Boulder study abroad course; a CU in DC course; or other credit-bearing off-campus experience approved by the program. The 3 credits that fulfill the off-campus experience requirement cannot be applied to any other International Affairs major requirement. Fulfillment of the off-campus experience requirement through study abroad is subject to the student's final transcript from the Office of Education Abroad. Students should contact their advisor (https://www.colorado.edu/iafs/student-resources/advising/) with questions.

Language Requirement

A third year, university-level proficiency in a foreign language appropriate to the geographic concentration is required. This requirement may be met by completion of one or two semester-long, third year, university-level grammar courses (depending on the language) with a grade of C- or better, while also satisfying language department requirements for advancement through the sequence. See the International Affairs Program (http://www.colorado.edu/iafs/) website for more information.

Senior Seminar (3 credit hours)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Choose one of the	following:	3
IAFS 4500	The Post-Cold War World	
IAFS 4800	Honors Seminar in International Affairs	
PACS 4500	Senior Seminar. Research in Conflict Contexts (for IAFS majors in PACS only)	
Total Credit Hours	·	3

Recommendations

- All international affairs majors should have a good command of the English language.
- Students should choose electives with a view to their relevance to this program or usefulness as prerequisites for upper-division work.
- Students in international affairs are encouraged to consider the
 possibility of participating in one of the Study Abroad programs
 affiliated with the University of Colorado. Students wishing to
 participate in such a program should contact their advisor to work out
 an appropriate program.
- Internships are a useful experience for students seeking a career in international affairs. The (Internship in International Affairs (IAFS 4930)) provides the opportunity to earn academic credit for appropriate internships in the field. This course is generally offered during the spring and fall semesters and during summer sessions. Interested sophomores, juniors or seniors should consult with the director of the Internship Program. An application is required for admission to the Internship Program; see the International Affairs Program (http://www.colorado.edu/iafs/) website for more details. IAFS 4930 could count for the off-campus experience with approval from the internship director.
- The IAFS Honors Program offers the opportunity to learn and apply research skills for a select number of IAFS majors. Entry into the IAFS Honors Program is limited to seniors with a 3.40 major GPA and a 3.30 overall GPA. The Honors Seminar in International Affairs (IAFS 4800-offered each fall semester) provides instruction in research methods and facilitates the development of a sound research project. Research continues into the spring semester under the guidance of individual faculty members and through the continuation course, Honors in International Affairs (IAFS 4810). Interested and eligible students should consult with their academic advisor and the director of the Honors Program before spring break of their junior year. An application is required for admission to the Honors Program; see the International Affairs Program (http:// www.colorado.edu/iafs/) website for more details. IAFS 4810 could count for either an upper-division functional area and/or a geographic concentration class with approval from the honors director.
- Students interested in international affairs may want to consider the Global Studies Residential Academic Program offered through the residence halls. See Residential Academic Programs for information.
- International affairs majors who wish to minor in political science must apply the following additional rules:
 - No more than 9 credit hours toward the PSCI minor can come from courses that count toward another major
 - International affairs majors must take at least one upper-division course in American politics and one course (lower- or upperdivision) in political theory, in addition to the regular minor requirements.

The specific courses that may be counted to meet the requirements in this program are determined by the committee on international affairs and the dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.

Graduating in Four Years

Consult the Four-Year Guarantee Requirements for information on eligibility. The concept of "adequate progress" as it is used here only refers to maintaining eligibility for the four-year guarantee; it is not a requirement for the major. To maintain adequate progress in international affairs, students should meet the following requirements:

- · Declare the major by the beginning of the second semester
- · Begin language study by the third semester
- Complete the introductory requirements and any lower-division economics/methods requirements by the end of the sophomore year
- Begin geographic concentration and any upper-division economic/ methods courses by the first semester of the junior year
- Begin upper-division general international affairs requirements by the first semester of the junior year
- Successfully complete any remaining major requirements by the end of the eighth semester
- See your IAFS advisor by the end of sophomore year to plan study abroad, the off-campus experience, and language requirements

Recommended Four-Year Plan of Study

Through the required coursework for the major, students will fulfill all 12 credits of the Social Sciences area of the Gen Ed Distribution Requirement. Depending on the courses selected within the major, students can also potentially complete some or all credits toward the Arts & Humanities area of the Gen Ed Distribution Requirement and both categories in the Gen Ed Diversity Requirement. The off-campus experience should be completed in the third or fourth year through an Education Abroad program, IAFS 4930 with an approved internship, or other off-campus experience course approved by IAFS.

Year One

IAFS website for options)

Fall Semester		Credit Hours
IAFS 1000	Global Issues and International Affairs	4
PSCI 2223	Introduction to International Relations	3
Beginning Foreig major course req	n Language 1 (if needed, does not fulfill IAFS uirements)	4-5
Gen. Ed. Skills co Communication)	ourse (example: Lower-division Written	3
	Credit Hours	14-15
Spring Semester		
Lower-division Ed IAFS website for	conomics/Methods course (if needed; see options)	3-4
Beginning Foreig major course req	n Language 2 (if needed, does not fulfill IAFS uirements)	4-5
Gen. Ed. Skills co	ourse (example: QRMS)	3
Gen. Ed. Distribu Lab)	tion course (example: Natural Sciences with	4
	Credit Hours	14-16
Year Two		
Fall Semester		
Lower-division E	conomics/Methods course (if needed; see	3-4

Credit Hours	
Elective or Upper-division Elective (if needed)	3
Gen. Ed. Distribution course (example: Natural Sciences)	3
IAFS Geographic Concentration - Africa/Middle East, Asia, Europe/Eurasia, or Latin America (see IAFS website for options)	3
IAFS Coographic Concentration Africa (Middle Feet Asia	3
website for options)	
IAFS Functional Area 3 - Political Geography, e.g. (see IAFS	3
IAFS 4500 or IAFS 4800 Senior Seminar	3
Fall Semester	
Year Four	15-18
Europe/Eurasia, or Latin America (see IAFS website for options) Credit Hours	
Gen. Ed. Distribution/Diversity course (example: Arts & Humanities/Global Perspective) IAFS Geographic Concentration - Africa/Middle East, Asia,	3
IAFS Functional Area 2 - International Economics, e.g. (see IAFS website for options)	3
Upper-Division Economics/Methods course (if needed; see IAFS website for options)	3-4
Upper-Division Foreign Language (if needed; see IAFS website for options)	3-5
Credit Hours Spring Semester	15-18
Communication)	
Gen. Ed. Skills course (example: Upper-division Written	3
IAFS Geographic Concentration - Contemporary History (see IAFS website for options)	3
IAFS Functional Area 1 - Development & Culture, e.g. (see IAFS website for options)	3
Upper-Division Economics/Methods course (if needed; see IAFS website for options)	3-4
Upper-Division Foreign Language (if needed; see IAFS website for options)	3-5
Year Three Fall Semester	
Credit Hours	15-17
Elective or MAPS if needed	3
Gen. Ed. Distribution course (example: Arts & Humanities)	3
IAFS major course requirements) Gen. Ed. Distribution course (example: Natural Sciences)	3
Intermediate Foreign Language 2 (If needed; does not fulfill	3-5
Spring Semester PSCI 2012 Introduction to Comparative Politics	3
Credit Hours	15-18
Elective or MAPS	3
Gen. Ed. Distribution course (example: Natural Sciences)	3
Gen. Ed Distribution/Diversity course (example: Arts & Humanities/US Perspective)	3
Intermediate Foreign Language 1 (If needed; does not fulfill IAFS major course requirements)	3-5

Spring Semester

	Credit Hours	15-18	
Elective if needed to	reach 120 total credits	0-3	
Elective or Upper-division Elective (if needed)		3	
Gen. Ed. Distribution course (example: Arts & Humanities) - Upper-division (if needed)		3	
IAFS Additional Fun website for options)	FS Additional Functional Area (2 of 2 required; see IAFS ebsite for options)		
AFS Additional Functional Area (1 of 2 required; see IAFS rebsite for options)		3	
IAFS 4930	Internship in International Affairs (or other approved course to fulfill off-campus experience if not studying abroad)	3	

Learning Outcomes

The undergraduate degree in international affairs gives students the knowledge and skills to:

- Understand and examine fundamental issues, interdisciplinary theories and approaches to the study of international affairs.
- Analyze international challenges from a political, economic, historical and cultural perspective.
- Consider issues related to a specific geographic region of the world, including historical factors that give rise to regional institutions and processes.
- Communicate, orally and in writing, about international affairs to scholars in the field and to a broader audience, including in other cultural contexts.
- $\bullet\,$ Develop grammar-based proficiency in a foreign language.