

International Studies, BA

Z2. Program Modification Proposal 2018-2019 (modify, deactivate, or add a new concentration) v.3

General Catalog Information

Program Type (Select "Program")* Program Shared Core

Action* Modify (less than 50% change) Deactivate

Level** Undergraduate Graduate

Department or Program (for approval process)*

Type of Program** Graduate program in an existing degree Undergraduate major in an existing degree Undergraduate Minor Concentration (new or modified) Certificate Licensure Program or Endorsement

Select one or more of the following (determines approval routing):** Request 50% or more of program be offered online Request 50% or more of program be offered off-campus Request to offer program at a different WSU campus Request a name change for an UG degree program, major, minor, concentration, or certificate Request a name change for a GR degree program, major, minor, concentration, or certificate Request a new concentration in an existing major/program Request to deactivate any program (degree, major, minor, certificate, concentration, license, or endorsement) Above options do not apply

Does this program prepare students to earn a teaching or other school personnel license or endorsement?* Yes No

Title* International Studies, BA	
College* Liberal Arts, College of	
College or Department (for catalog display)* Liberal Arts, College of	
Requested Effective Term*	Year* 2019
<input type="radio"/> Fall <input checked="" type="radio"/> Spring <input type="radio"/> Summer	
Where is the program offered? (check all that apply)* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dayton Campus <input type="checkbox"/> Lake Campus <input type="checkbox"/> Off-Campus in Ohio <input type="checkbox"/> Off-Campus outside Ohio <input type="checkbox"/> Off-Campus outside of the U.S. <input type="checkbox"/> Fully online <input type="checkbox"/> Mostly online (less than 50% offered face-to-face) 	
If 50% or more offered off-campus or online, describe all delivery and location options	
Change in location	
If program will be offered off-campus, how will services be available to students (advising, tutoring, counseling, financial aid, etc.)?	
Program Description, Admission Requirements, Learning Outcomes and Program/Department/College Links*	Program Description: <p>The international studies major offers students the opportunity to study international politics, economics, culture, and society. The major combines intensive study of a foreign language with an interdisciplinary curriculum of study chosen by a student in consultation with a faculty advisor.</p> <p>The Bachelor of Arts degree program in international studies consists of three parts: three years of study of one foreign language; the major core courses, which include introductory work in art history, economics, geography, history,</p>

political science, religion, and women, gender, and sexuality studies; and work in a specialized concentration.

The specialized concentrations in the international studies major provide six options: international diplomacy and peace studies, area studies, comparative cultures, international economics, global gender studies, and research/intelligence analysis. The international diplomacy and peace studies concentration includes courses in political science, communication, and history. The area studies concentration allows students to focus on a global region (e.g., Middle East, Europe, Africa or Latin America) and includes classes in anthropology, history, humanities, and political science. The comparative cultures concentration includes courses from anthropology, classics, English, history, humanities, philosophy, and religion. The international economics concentration focuses on global economic concerns, with supporting course work in history, political science, and sociology. The global gender studies concentration incorporates a gender-analysis approach to diplomacy, area studies, comparative cultures, and international economics. The research/intelligence concentration combines course work in research methods, ethics, and a variety of disciplines to assist those interested in international affairs to work in data analysis.

Study abroad opportunities in Australia, Chile, Costa Rica, Denmark, England, France, Germany, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Malta, New Zealand, Scotland, Spain, Thailand, and elsewhere are available through the University Studies Abroad Consortium, of which Wright State is a member. Study abroad and cultural exchange can be arranged through the University Center for International Education, E190 Student Union.

Although studying abroad is not a requirement for an international studies degree, students will find that it will greatly enrich their educational experience, as will exposure to a foreign culture and peoples. In order to have adequate language preparation, students interested in studying abroad should design their course of study well in advance of their trip.

Students interested in careers in government, international business, teaching, or journalism should contact the director of the international studies major. The major program also provides sound preparation for students interested in graduate work in law, the humanities, or the social sciences.

Admission Requirements:

Students can be admitted into the International Studies major after completing ENG 1100 or ENG 1140 with a grade of C or OR by completing at least two other Wright State Core courses taught by the college with a grade of "C" or higher.

Learning Outcomes:

All graduates with a B.A. in International Studies will be:

Proficient in a second language (passing two 3000-level foreign language

courses, or equivalent).

Skilled writers, able to analyze and explain how cultural, historical, political, and economic forces affect international relations.

More informed global citizens.

Honors Program:

Departmental honors in international studies are awarded upon graduation to qualified international studies majors who carry out independent research under the guidance of a faculty sponsor or for an advanced, limited enrollment seminar in any discipline in which s/he has had significant coursework and who complete an honors thesis with a grade of A or B. Juniors with a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 (and 3.5 in the major) should contact the program director about this opportunity and its requirements.

For additional information:

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Program Requirements*

Program Requirements:

I. Wright State Core: 38 Hours

Element 1: Communication *Credit Hour(s): 6*

Element 2: Mathematics *Credit Hour(s): 3*

Element 3: Global Traditions *Credit Hour(s): 6*

Element 4: Arts and Humanities *Credit Hour(s): 3*

Element 5: Social Sciences *Credit Hour(s): 6*

Element 6: Natural Sciences *Credit Hour(s): 8*

Additional Core Courses *Credit Hour(s): 6*

II. Departmental Requirements: 36 Hours

Major core courses (5 of 7 listed): 15 Hours

ART 2120 Art History II: Renaissance to Contemporary OR

ART 2140 Themes in Visual Culture

EC 2500 Economic Systems of the Global South OR

EC 2900 Global Economic, Business and Social Issues OR (required for International Economic Affairs concentration)

EC 2040 Principles of Microeconomics and

EC 2050 Principles of Macroeconomics

GEO 3300 World Regional Geography OR

GEO 2200 Human Geography HST 3900 Global Encounters OR

PLS 2220 International Politics

PLS 2510 Comparative Nonwestern Social Systems OR (required

REL 2320 Nonwestern Religions for Middle Eastern Studies concentration)

REL 2040 Bible, Qur'an, and Western Culture

WGS 2000 Introduction to Women and Gender Studies (required for Global

Gender Studies Concentration)

International Economic Affairs concentration must take:

EC 2040 Principles of Microeconomics

EC 2050 Principles of Macroeconomics

Middle Eastern Studies concentration must take:

REL 2040 Bible, Qur'an, and Western Culture

Global Gender Studies concentration must take:

WGS 2000 Introduction to Women and Gender Studies**Major Concentration - must select one: 21 hours**

Check with your advisor for other courses that might be acceptable within your concentration. Courses marked as Special Topics, Studies, Seminar, etc. must be relevant to the concentration.

International Diplomacy and Peace Studies Concentration

ARA 4210 Introduction to Media Arabic
ARA 4310 Classical Arabic Texts
ARA 4410 Introduction to Arabic Fiction
ART 2430 Non-Western Art
ATH 2150 Comparative Nonwestern Cultures
ATH 2500 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology for Health Care Professionals
ATH 3010 Peoples and Cultures of Africa
ATH 3020 Peoples and Cultures of South Asia
ARA 3980 Studies in Selected Subjects
ATH 3100 Anthropology of Sex and Gender
ATH 3200 Special Topics in Cultural Anthropology
ATH 4000 Political Anthropology
ATH 4010 Kinship and Social Structure
ATH 4020 Anthropology of ReligionATH 4030 Urban Anthropology
ATH 4100 Special Topics in Cultural Anthropology
ATH 4210 Biomedical Anthropology
ATH 4300 Special Topics in Biological Anthropology
ATH 4600 African Oral Traditions
ATH 4700 Development of Anthropological Thought
ATH 4750 Seminar in Archaeological Theory
CLS 1500 Introduction to Greek and Roman Culture
CLS 2600 Classical Mythology
CLS 3300 Studies in Ancient Literature
CLS 3400 Ancient Art and Archaeology
CLS 3500 Studies in Ancient Culture and Society
CLS 3600 Studies in Ancient Mythology
CLS 3700 Studies in Ancient Politics, Law and Warfare
CLS 4100 Advanced Studies in Antiquity
COM 4570 Intercultural Communication
EC 2500 Economic Systems of the Global South
EC 2900 Global Economic, Business and Social Issues
EC 3450 Economics of DiversityEC 4190 International Economics
EC 4350 Comparative Capitalist Institutions
EC 4440 Problems in Economic Development
EC 4450 Political Economy of Women
EC 4460 Gender and Economic Policy in International Comparison
EC 4770 Economic StudiesEES 1070 Sustainable Earth
EES 4260 Earth and Environmental Sciences Seminar
ENG 2310 Comparative Literature: Non-Western Literatures

ENG 3010 Topics in Reading
ENG 3020 Topics in Writing
ENG 3210 British Texts: Medieval to 17th Century
ENG 3220 British Texts: 1660 to Later 19th Century
ENG 3230 British Texts: Mid-19th to 21st Century
ENG 3400 Studies in African Literature
ENG 3420 Post-Colonial Texts
ENG 3430 Survey of Women and Literature
ENG 4200 Studies in British Literature
ENG 4430 Studies in Literature, Gender and Sexuality
ENG 4470 Studies in Post-Colonial Literature
FR 3310 Survey of French Literature
FR 3320 Francophone Culture and Literature

**Latin
American
Studies
Concentration**

GR 3310 Readings in Greek Drama

**European
Studies
Concentration**

LAT 4550 Readings in Roman Politics

African

**Studies
Concentration**

PLS 4520 Soviet Successor States

**Middle Eastern
Studies**

Concentration

**Required: 6 hrs of 3000/4000
level courses from HST and
PLS with Middle East focus;
REL
3310
required.**

REL

3310

Required

RST 2620 Regional Studies: China

**Asian Studies
Concentration**

**HST 4500 Studies in Latin American History
HST 4870 Special Topics in History
ML 2040 The Hispanic World: Cultures in Motion**

**Comparative
Cultures
Concentration**

151 & 150 Studies in Modern Europe

**Global Gender Studies
Concentration**

PLS 3300 Politics and Society in France

**International
Economic Affairs
Concentration**

*Select 9 credit hours minimum
from the following courses plus
12 credits in Economics.*

**Economics Coursework (Required
EC 4190 and 9 additional credit
hours minimum):**

Required **EC 4190**

APT 3150 Studies in Nineteenth Century Art

**Research/Intelligence
Analyst
Concentration**

Courses required:

OR

OR

OR

Plus any
international upper-
level IW course

**Select 4 courses
from Categories 1 and 2 below,
with at least 1
course from each category:**

*Category 1
(Classics/Culture*

/Geography/History)

Category 2
**(Economics/Political
Science/Sociology)**

LAT 4510 Readings in Roman Didactic Literature

III.

**Related
Requirements: 6
Hours**

2
courses in foreign

language at the 3000 level or
above or
demonstrated

proficiency at

that
level

WGS 3200 Women in Multicultural Perspective

IV. College

**Requirements: 18
Hours**

WGS 3500 Feminist Activism

Foreign

**Language: 12
Hours**

Through 2020 level

(1010, 1020, 2010,
2020) of one
language:

Arabic, Spanish,
French, German,
Greek, Latin,
Chinese, American
Sign Language or
other.

EC 2900 Global Economic, Business and Social Issues
EES 1070 Sustainable Earth
EES 4260 Earth and Environmental Sciences Seminar
ENG 2310 Comparative Literature: Non-Western Literatures
ENG 3010 Topics in Reading

Methods of Inquiry: 6 Hours

Research Methods - One course from approved list *Credit Hour(s): 3*

TR 4420 Seventeenth and Twentieth Century Theatre

V. Electives: 22 Hours

GR 3510 Readings in Greek Drama

Total:
120
Hours

HST 3450 Studies in Middle Eastern History

Graduation Planning Strategy

The Graduation Planning Strategy (GPS) has been created to illustrate one option to complete degree

requirements within a particular time frame. Students are encouraged to meet with their academic advisor to adjust this plan based on credit already earned, individual needs or curricular

changes that may not be reflected in this year's

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PLS 4670 Chinese Domestic Politics
 PLS 4700 Topics in International Relations
 PLS 4710 International Law
 PLS 4720 International Terrorism
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 REL 3540 Asian Religions and Ecology
 REL 3550 Human Rights in China
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 RST 2610 Regional Studies: Japan
 RST 2620 Regional Studies: China
 RST 2710 Regional Studies: Africa
 RST 2810 Regional Studies: Latin America
 RST 2910 Regional Studies: Middle East
 RST 2920 Regional Studies: India
 SOC 4100 Political Anthropology
 SOC 4300 International Migration and Integration
 SPN 3310 Survey of Spanish Literature
 SPN 3320 Survey of Spanish-American Literature
 SPN 3430 Spanish Culture
 SPN 3440 Spanish-American Culture
 SPN 3990 Studies in Selected Subjects
 SPN 4030 Advanced Studies: Language and Civilization
 SPN 4310 Seminar in Spanish Literature
 SPN 4320 Seminar in Spanish American Literature
 SPN 4710 Spanish As a World Language
 SPN 4830 Doing Business in Latin America
 WGS 3200 Women in Multicultural Perspective
 WGS 4200 Women in International Perspective
 EC 3450 Economics of Diversity
 EC 4190 International Economics
 EC 4350 Comparative Capitalist Institutions
 EC 4440 Problems in Economic Development
 EC 4450 Political Economy of Women
 EC 4460 Gender and Economic Policy in International Comparison
 EC 4770 Economic Studies
 PHL 3110 Ethics
 PHL 3120 History of Ethics
 PHL 4110 Ethics Seminar
 URS 3300 Ethics in Public Service
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FR 3500 French Immersion Ambassador Program
FR 3510 French Civilization
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FR 4210 Literature of the Middle Ages
FR 4420 Seventeenth and Twentieth Century Theatre
FR 4530 Post Revolutionary Poetry
FR 4540 Nineteenth Century Short Story
FR 4630 Twentieth Century Literature: Drama
FR 4650 Studies in French and Francophone Literature
FR 4910 History of French Film
FR 4920 Occupation, Collaboration and Resistance
GEO 2210 Nonwestern Human Environments
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HST 3800 Introduction to Gender History: Special Topics
HST 4000 Studies in Ancient History
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 PLS 4520 International Human Rights
 PLS 4530 Soviet Successor States
 PLS 4540 Politics of the Middle EastPLS 4550 Politics of Iraq
 PLS 4560 Politics of Europe
 PLS 4570 Politics of Developing Nations
 PLS 4580 Latin American PoliticsPLS 4590 Contemporary Brazil
 PLS 4600 Seminar in Comparative Politics
 PLS 4610 Comparative Social Movements
 PLS 4620 US- India-Pakistan-Afghanistan Relations
 PLS 4630 International ConflictPLS 4650 Politics of Nationalism
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 SOC 3310 Globalization and Social ChangeSOC 3700 Criminology
 SOC 4100 Political Anthropology
 SOC 4300 International Migration and Integration
 PHL 3000 Critical Thinking
 PLS 3100 Quantitative Methods in Political Science
 SOC 3410 Introduction to Research Methods
 URS 3980 Quantitative Research Methods

Does this program modification require an update to the Graduation Planning Strategy (GPS)?*
 Yes
 No
 Not applicable - not an undergraduate degree program

Department Chair:
 Please copy and paste the url (web link) from the GPS modification proposal form.

Additional information, if needed The changes are being made so that the concentration the student selects is listed on the transcript.

Program Name Change

Rationale for

name change:

Describe how the name change will affect students in the current program.

Are there any administrative, curricular, faculty or support service changes occurring along with the name change?

Yes

No

If "yes", please describe:

Administrative Data

CIP Code

CIP Code Name

Approved Effective Term

Fall

Spring

Summer

Year

Banner Program Name

Banner Program Code

Banner Major Name

Banner Major Code

Concentration Name(s) and Code(s), if applicable:

Degree Type Bachelor of Arts

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