

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MINOR

Introduction

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As the globe becomes increasingly connected, students gravitate towards classes that provide the interdisciplinary skills and international awareness required for success in the 21st century. The International Studies minor at CU Denver offers students a unique opportunity to create an individually tailored and relevant minor based upon a spectrum of international Liberal Arts classes.

These program requirements are subject to periodic revision by the academic department, and the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences reserves the right to make exceptions and substitutions as judged necessary in individual cases. Therefore, the College strongly urges students to consult regularly with their major, minor, and CLAS advisors to confirm the best plans of study before finalizing them.

Program Delivery

- This is an on-campus and online program, available to students at the Denver campus and International College of Beijing.

Declaring This Minor

- Denver students: please see your CLAS advisor.
- ICB students: please see the International Studies advisor.
- Click here (<http://catalog.ucdenver.edu/cu-denver/undergraduate/schools-colleges-departments/college-liberal-arts-sciences/#policiestext>) to go to information about declaring a major/minor.

General Requirements

Students must satisfy all requirements as outlined below and by the department offering the minor.

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Program Requirements

1. Students must complete a minimum of 18 credit hours from the approved courses.
2. Students must complete a minimum of 15 upper-division (3000-level and above) credit hours in the minor from the approved courses.
3. Students must earn a minimum grade of C- (1.7) in all courses that apply to the minor and must achieve a minimum cumulative minor GPA of 2.5. Courses taken using P+/P/F or S/U grading cannot apply to minor requirements.
4. Students must complete a minimum of nine credit hours with CU Denver faculty from the approved courses.

Program Restrictions, Allowances and Recommendations

1. Students cannot take more than two upper-division courses from the same department for the minor, including the introductory course.
2. The maximum amount of credit hours a student could receive through independent study courses is six.
3. Students may be able to complete all 18 credits via online courses.
4. Additional courses may be considered by individual request. Please contact Alison.Shah@ucdenver.edu

Code	Title	Hours
<i>Complete one of the following introductory courses:</i>		3
INTS 2020	Foundations of International Studies ¹	
PSCI 3022	Political Systems of the World	
PSCI 3042	World Politics	
HIST 4032	Globalization in World History Since 1945	
<i>Complete a minimum of 15 upper division (3000-4000 level) elective credits drawn from internationally themed courses.</i> ²		15
The list below is representative of courses that will apply to the minor. Various Global Education/Study Abroad courses may not appear on the approved list of courses. Please consult with an International Studies advisor for current offerings.		
ANTH 3000	Globalization, Migration and Transnationalism	
ANTH 3121	Language, Culture, and Communication	
ANTH 3142	Cultural Diversity in the Modern World	
ANTH/PBHL 3200	Human Migration: Nomads, Sojourners, and Settlers	
ANTH 4010	Medical Anthropology: Global Health	
ANTH/PBHL 4080	Global Health Practice	
ANTH/PBHL 4090	Psychedelic Anthropology	
ANTH 4200	Gender in Cross-Cultural Perspective	
ANTH 4230	Fieldwork Methods	
ANTH 4300	Immigrant Health	
ANTH 4320	Archaeology of Mexico and Central America	
ANTH 4350	Anthropology of Globalization	
CHIN 2970	Contemporary Chinese Cinema	
CHIN 3200	Contemporary Chinese Society and Culture	
CHIN 3300	Special Topics on Chinese Film	
CHIN 3840	Independent Study: CHIN	
CHIN 3995	Global Study Topics	
CHIN 4880	Directed Research	
COMM 3230	Chinese Communication & Culture in Context	
COMM 3271	Communication and Diversity	
COMM 4020	Feminist Perspectives on Communication	
COMM/INTS/RLST 4152	Religion & Communication	
COMM 4270	Intercultural Communication	
COMM 4430	Communication, China, and the US	
COMM 4601	You Are What You Eat: Food as Communication	
COMM 4720	Dynamics of Global Communication	
CMDT 4582	Commodity Supply Chain Management	

CMDT 4682/ FNCE 4802	Commodity Valuation and Hedging	GEOG 3120	Geography of Europe
CMDT 4802	Foundations of Commodities	GEOG 3130	Central America and the Caribbean
ECON 3400	Economics of Sex and Drugs	GEOG 3140	Geography of South America
ECON 3415	Issues in International Trade and Finance	GEOG 3160	Geography of China
ECON 3770	Issues in Economic Development	GEOG 3401	Geography of Food and Agriculture
ECON 4081	Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory	GEOG 3412	Globalization and Regional Development
ECON 4410	International Trade	GEOG 3430	Geography of Tourism
ECON 4420	International Finance	GEOG 4265	Sustainability in Resources Management
ECON 4530	Economics of Natural Resources	GEOG 4301	Population, Culture, and Resources
ECON 4540	Environmental Economics	GEOG 4305	Water Quality and Resources
ECON 4770	Development Economics	GEOG 4335	Climate Change & Society
ENGL 3080	Global Cinema	GEOG 4420	The Politics of Nature
ENGL 3798	International Perspectives in Literature and Film	GEOG 4710	Disasters, Climate Change, and Health
ENGL 4190	Advanced Topics in Writing, Rhetoric, & Linguistics (topic must be approved by International Studies minor advisor)	GEOG/ENVS 4720	Climate Change: Causes, Impacts and Solutions
ENGL 4460	Contemporary World Literature	GRMN 3200	Current German Society and Culture
ENGR 3600	International Dimensions of Technology and Culture	HIST 3121	The World at War, 1914-1945
ENGR 3995	Global Technology, Business & Culture	HIST 3232	The American Colonies to 1750
ETST 3108	Chicano/a and Latino/a History	HIST/INTS/ ETST/PHIL/ RLST 3003	From Buddha to #BlackLivesMatter: The Past and Future of Nonviolence
ETST 3110	Indigenous Studies	HIST 3345	Immigration and Ethnicity in American History
ETST 3129	Contemporary Latin American Literature	HIST/ETST 3350	Colonial Latin America
ETST 3272	Global Media	HIST 3364	Native Americans and Spaniards in North America
ETST/SOCY 3697	Contemporary Asian American Experience	HIST 3451	Introduction to African History
ETST 3704	Culture, Racism and Alienation	HIST 3460	Modern Latin American History
FINE 4610	Pre-Columbian Art	HIST 3470	Intro to East Asia: Since 1800
FINE 4630	History of Latin American Art:1520-1820	HIST 3480	Introduction to European History
FINE 4715	Islamic Art and Architecture	HIST 3500	African History in Novels and Films
FINE 4730	Arts of Japan	HIST 3616	Global History of Energy
FINE 4750	Arts of China	HIST 3706	Age of Revolution
FINE 4770	Art of India and Southeast Asia	HIST/INTS/ CHIN/ETST/ RLST 4002	Race, Gender and Religious Nationalisms in Asia and the US
FITV 3550	World Theatre	HIST 4027	Enlightenment and Revolution
FNCE 3000	Principles of Finance	HIST 4028	Nations and Classes: 19th Century Europe
FNCE 3600	Financial Markets and Institutions	HIST 4029	Age of Anxiety in Europe
FNCE/INTB 4370	International Financial Management	HIST 4032	Globalization in World History Since 1945
FREN 3112	Survey of French Literature I	HIST 4046	Victorians and Victorianism
FREN 3122	Survey of French Literature II	HIST 4055	The Atlantic Slave Trade: Africa, Caribbean and U.S.
FREN 3130	Current Topics of the French-Speaking World	HIST 4062	Modern France, 1789 to the Present
FREN 3140	Contemporary Francophone Cultures	HIST 4071	Modern Germany
FREN 3200	The Francophone World in the Post-Colonial Era	HIST 4074	Post-War Germany
FREN 4200	French Civilization Through the Nineteenth Century	HIST 4083	Russia Since 1917
FREN 4210	French Civilization - Twentieth and Twenty-First Centuries	HIST 4086	Eastern Europe
FREN 4430	Nineteenth Century French Novel	HIST 4220	U.S. Foreign Policy Since 1912
FREN 4480	Twentieth Century French Novel	HIST/WGST 4303	Sex and Gender in Modern Britain
FREN 4490	Twentieth Century French Theater	HIST/WGST 4345	Gender, Science, and Medicine: 1600 to the Present
FREN 4510	French Women Writers	HIST 4348	Mind and Malady: A History of Mental Illness
FREN 4520	Voices of Haiti and the Caribbean		
FREN 4600	History of the French Language		

HIST/ETST 4411	Modern Mexico	PSCI 3914	The Urban Citizen
HIST 4414	Nationalism and State Building in Latin America, 1750-1850	PSCI 4025	Local Governance and Globalization
HIST 4415	Social Revolutions in Latin America	PSCI 4057/ RLST 4500	Religion and Politics
HIST 4416	The Age of Imperialism	PSCI 4085	Comparative Governance: Environment and Society
HIST 4417	Commodities and Globalization	PSCI 4105	Comparative Politics: Europe
HIST 4420	Traditional China: China to 1600	PSCI 4115	Third World Politics
HIST 4421	Modern China	PSCI 4126	Politics, Power, and Profit
HIST 4431	Modern Japan	PSCI/ETST 4144	Indigenous Political Systems
HIST 4451	Southern Africa	PSCI/ETST 4146	Indigenous Politics
HIST 4455	African Struggle for Independence	PSCI/WGST 4150	Gender Politics in the Middle East: Beyond Orientalism & Islamism
HIST 4461	The Modern Middle East	PSCI 4155	Political Systems of the Middle East and North Africa
HIST/RLST 4462	Islam in Modern History	PSCI/ETST 4156	The Arab-Israeli Peace Process
HIST 4471	The Second World War	PSCI 4165/ RLST 3100	Islamic Politics and Culture
HIST 4472	The 1950s: Korean War, the Cold War and Social Transformation	PSCI 4176	Civil Resistance in Theory and Practice
HIST 4475	The Vietnam War	PSCI 4185	Corruption in the U.S. and Abroad
HIST 4490	Weapons of Mass Destruction	PSCI 4186	East Asia in World Affairs
HIST 4621	Explorers and Exploration	PSCI 4195	Political Systems of Sub-Saharan Africa
HIST 4622	Oceans In History	PSCI 4206	Social Movements, Democracy and Global Politics
INTB 3000	Global Perspectives	PSCI 4207	Theories of Social and Political Change
INTB/ENTP 4028	Global Study Topics	PSCI/WGST 4215	Women's Rights, Human Rights: Global Perspectives
INTB/MGMT 4400	Environments of International Business	PSCI 4216	International Politics: Human Rights
INTB/MGMT 4410	Operations of International Business	PSCI 4224	Dictatorships in 21st Century
INTB 4950	Special Topics in International Business	PSCI 4225	Democracy and Democratization
INTS 3939	Internship	PSCI 4226	The United Nations in World Affairs
INTS 4840	Independent Study	PSCI 4235	Politics and Markets in Latin America
INTS 4880	Directed Research	PSCI 4236	American Foreign Policy
LDFS 3000	Undocumented Mexican Immigration	PSCI 4237	American National Security
LING 3100	Language in Society	PSCI 4240	International Security
MGMT 3830/4830	Business and Sustainability	PSCI/WGST 4248	Gender, Development and Globalization
MGMT/MKTG 4834	London Calling: Global Sports & Entertainment Management	PSCI 4265	Social Justice And Globalization
MKTG/INTB 4200	International Marketing	PSCI 4266	International Law
MKTG 4580	International Transportation	PSCI 4276	Conflicts and Rights in International Law
PBHL 3041	Health, Culture and Society	PSCI 4280	The Politics of War Law
PBHL 3070	Perspectives in Global Health	PSCI 4286	International Relations: War or Peace?
PBHL 3071	Global Topics In Sexual and Reproductive Health	PSCI 4326	Advanced International Political Economy: Globalization
PBHL 4020	Global Health: Comparative Public Health Systems	PSCI 4354	Environmental Politics
PBHL 4200	The Global HIV/AIDS Epidemic	PSCI 4365	Global Ecological Crises
PHIL 3280	War and Morality	PSCI 4437	Coercion and the State
PHIL 3430	How to think green: Environmental Ethics	PSCI 4446	Advanced Indigenous Peoples' Politics
PHIL 3500	Ideology and Culture: Racism and Sexism	PSCI 4505	Political System of Russia and Its Neighbors
PHIL 4341	Latin American Philosophy	PSCI 4535	Labor and Working Class Politics
PSCI 3022	Political Systems of the World	PSCI 4545	Immigration Politics
PSCI 3042	World Politics	PSCI 4605	Politics and Governments of South Asia
PSCI 3050	Islamophobia		

PSCI 4615	Politics and Government of China
PSCI 4645	Comparative Political Leadership
PSCI 4726	Seminar on U.S. and China Relations
PSCI 4736	The Middle East in World Affairs
PSCI 4770	Middle East Politics and Society in Film
PSCI 4807	Political Violence
PSCI 4808	Strategies of Peacebuilding
PSCI 4878	War, Film, and International Law
RLST 3000	Judaism, Christianity and Islam: Affinity and Difference
RLST 3120	Islamic Traditions
RLST/PHIL 3410	Asian Philosophies and Religions
RLST 3500	Religions of India
RLST 3660/PHIL 3981	Chinese Philosophy and Culture
SOCY 3720	Global Perspectives on Social Issues
SPAN 3101	Introduction to the Study of Literature
SPAN 3199	Topics in Spanish Literature
SPAN 3212	Spanish American Culture and Civilization
SPAN 3213	Contemporary Latin American Culture and Institutions
SPAN 3221	Culture and Civilization of Spain I
SPAN 3222	Culture and Civilization of Spain II
SPAN 3223	Contemporary Spanish Culture and Institutions
SPAN 3225	Special Topics In Hispanic Culture
SPAN 3230	Ibero-American Cultures through Film
SPAN 3270	Bilingual Communities: Spanish as a Language of Contact
SPAN 3400	Survey of Spanish Literature I
SPAN 3410	Survey of Spanish Literature II
SPAN 3700	Spanish for International Business I
SPAN 3710	Spanish for International Business II
SPAN 3782	Introduction to Translation I
SPAN 3792	Introduction to Translation II
SPAN 4010	History of the Spanish Language
SPAN 4020	Spanish Sociolinguistics
SPAN 4060	Dialects of the Spanish-Speaking World
SPAN 4110	Contemporary Spanish Literature
SPAN 4130	Medieval Spanish Literature
SPAN 4150	Masterpieces of Spanish Literature
SPAN 4170	Golden Age Drama
SPAN 4180	Modernism
SPAN 4190	Nineteenth-Century Spanish Novel
SPAN 4300	Generation of 1898
SPAN 4320	Interculturalism and Transnationalism in Modern Spain
SPAN 4330	Modern Culture of Spain through Film and Narrative
SPAN 4340	Race, Class, and Gender in Spanish Golden Age Literature
SPAN 4350	Don Quijote
SPAN 4360	Women and the Spanish Civil War

SPAN 4380	Romanticism in Spain
SPAN 4399	Special Topics: Spanish Peninsular Literature
SPAN 4501	Borges: An Introduction to His Labyrinths
SPAN 4512	Contemporary Argentine Short Stories
SPAN 4521	Mexican Literature I: pre-Columbian and Colonial
SPAN 4522	Mexican Literature II: 19th to 21st Centuries
SPAN 4525	Orientalisms In The Hispanic Tradition
SPAN 4541	Unexpected Lives: Ibero-American Queer Cinema
SPAN 4550	Garcia Marquez: Words of Magic
SPAN 4590	Ibero-American Thought

Total Hours **18**

¹ Students who do not select INTS 2020 (<https://catalog.ucdenver.edu/search/?P=INTS%202020>) Foundations of International Studies for their introductory course are permitted to take that course to fulfill one of the five upper division elective courses.

² Students are encouraged to select a 3000- or 4000-level seminar in a discipline other than their major to ensure that high level work in another field is being performed.

Courses on international and global topics may come from Anthropology, Communication, Economics, Ethnic Studies, Geography, History, Political Science, or other departments. Pre-approved courses have been clustered by department to guide student selection. Other courses may be approved with permission of an International Studies program advisor. More recent course updates and thematic groupings of course may be found on the International Studies program website.

To learn more about the Student Learning Outcomes for this program, please visit our website. (<https://clas.ucdenver.edu/international-studies-learning-outcomes/>)