

Catalog Year 2017-2018

BA, International Studies

The United States and World Affairs (concentration)

A Major Academic Plan (MAP) illustrates one way to complete a degree in a recommended number of semesters. Below is an example of an efficient and recommended plan, but actual plans will vary by individual student needs. Program requirements are based on Catalog Year. See page two for a detailed summary of Major, General Education, Elective, and university requirements.

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| **Course Subject and Title** | **Cr.** | **Min.**  **Grade** | **\*GE,**  **UU or UM** | **\*\*Sem. Offered** | **Prerequisite** | **Co Requisite** |
| Semester One | | | | | | |
| GE Objective 1: ENGL 1101 English Composition | 3 | C- | GE | F,S,Su | Appropriate placement score |  |
| GE Objective 4: LANG 1101 | 4 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| GE Objective 4 | 3 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| GE Objective 3 | 3 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| Electives | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Semester Two | | | | | | |
| GE Objective 1: ENGL 1102 Critical Reading and Writing | 3 | C- | GE | F,S,Su | ENGL 1101 or equivalent |  |
| LANG 1102 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| GE Objective 5 with lab | 4 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| GE Objective 6 | 3 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| IS 2200: Simulation | 1 |  |  | F,S |  |  |
| Total | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Semester Three | | | | | | |
| GE Objective 6 (ECON 2201 suggested) | 3 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| GE Objective 2 – COMM 1101: Principles of Speech | 3 |  | GE | F,S |  |  |
| LANG 2201 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| GE Objective 5 | 3 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| Electives | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Semester Four |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LANG 2202 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| GE Objective 7 or 8 | 3 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| GE Objective 9 | 3 |  | GE |  |  |  |
| Free Elective (ECON 2202 suggested) | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| POLS 2221: Introduction to International Relations | 3 |  |  | F,S |  |  |
| Total | 16 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Semester Five |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Area of Concentration | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Free Electives | 9 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Semester Six |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Area of Concentration | 6 |  | UM |  |  |  |
| Free Electives | 6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Upper Division Free Electives | 3 |  | UU |  |  |  |
| Total | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Semester Seven |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| IS 4400: Simulation | 1 |  | UM | F,S |  |  |
| Major Electives | 6 |  | UM |  |  |  |
| Upper Division Electives | 8 |  | UU |  |  |  |
| Total | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Semester Eight |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| IS 4493: Senior Thesis | 4 |  | UM | F,S |  |  |
| Major Electives | 4 |  | UM |  |  |  |
| Upper Division Free Electives | 6 |  | UU |  |  |  |
| Total | 14 |  |  |  |  |  |
| \*GE=General Education Objective, UU=Upper Division University, UM= Upper Division Major  \*\*See Course Schedule section of Course Policies page in the e-catalog (or input F, S, Su, etc.) | | | | | | |

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| **2017-2018 Major Requirements** | **CR** | **2017-2018 GENERAL EDUCATION OBJECTIVES**  **Satisfy Objectives 1,2,3,4,5,6 (7 or 8) and 9** | | | | | **36 cr. min** |
| **MAJOR REQUIREMENTS** | **56** | 1. Written English (6 cr. min) ENGL 1101 | | | | | 3 |
| **Modern Foreign Language Requirement** | **16** | ENGL 1102 | | | | | 3 |
| **Required Courses** | **9** | 2. Spoken English (3 cr. min) COMM 1101 | | | | | 3 |
| IS 2200: Simulation | 1 | 3. Mathematics (3 cr. min) | | | | |  |
| IS 4400: Simulation | 1 | 4. Humanities, Fine Arts, Foreign Lang. **(2 courses; 2 categories; 6 cr. min)** | | | | | |
| IS 4493: Senior Thesis | 4 | LANG 1101 | | | | | 4 |
| POLS 2221: Introduction to International Relations | 3 |  | | | | |  |
| **Area of Concentration – The United States and World Affairs** (18 cr. are to be selected from the following list and approved by your advisor. No more than 12 can be taken from any one department’s offerings) | **18** | 5. Natural Sciences **(2 lectures-different course prefixes, 1 lab; 7 cr. min)** | | | | | |
| Communication, Media, and Persuasion: CMP 4422: Conflict Management |  |  | | | | |  |
| Economics: ECON 4434: International Trade, ECON 4435: International Finance |  |  | | | | |  |
| History: HIST 3309: Modern United States, HIST 4429: Foreign Relations since 1900 |  |  | | | | |  |
| International Studies: IS 2202: The World Today: Introduction to Global Issues, IS 2203: Introduction to International Organizations, IS 3301: Seminar International Studies |  | 6. Behavioral and Social Science **(2 courses-different prefixes; 6 cr. min)** | | | | | |
| Political Science: POLS 3326: Recent US Foreign Policy, POLS 4403: The Presidency, POLS 4404: The Legislative Process, POLS 4425: Topics in International Politics, POLS 4434: Terrorism and Political Violence, POLS 4453: Public Policy Analysis |  | ECON 2201: Principles of Macroeconomics (suggested) | | | | |  |
|  |  | One Course from EITHER Objective 7 OR 8 **(1course; 3 cr. min)** | | | | | |
| **Major Electives** (10 credits are to be selected from either courses listed in area of concentration not taken to fulfill requirements, from courses below, or a mixture of both) | **10** | 7. Critical Thinking | | | | |  |
| Business: FIN 4475: International Corporate Finance, MGT 4465: International Business, MKTG 4465: International Marketing |  | 8. Information Literacy | | | | |
| Communication, Media, and Persuasion: CMP 4481: Rhetoric of Hitler and Churchill |  | 9. Cultural Diversity **(1 course; 3 cr. min)** | | | | | |
| English: ENGL 4455/CMLT 4415: Studies in National Literatures, ENGL 4456: Comparative Literature |  |  | | | | |  |
| History: HIST 3340: Middle East since 1500, HIST 4435: Colonial Frontiers, HIST 4439: Women in World History, HIST 4441: The Viking Age, HIST 4443: British History, HIST 4445: Modern Ireland, HIST 4476:Islam in the Modern World, HIST 4478: Imperialism and Progressivism, HIST 4490: Cartography History and Design |  | General Education Elective to reach 36 cr. min. **(if necessary)** | | | | | |
| International Studies: IS 2200: Simulation, IS 2202: The World Today: Introduction to Global Issues, IS 2203: Introduction to International Organizations, IS 3300: Travel and Study Abroad, IS 3301: Seminar International Studies, IS 3350: International Symposium, IS 4400: Simulation |  | Total GE | | | | |  |
| Political Science: POLS 4492: Seminar |  | GE Objectives Courses:  [2017-2018 General Education Requirements (PDF)](http://www.isu.edu/media/libraries/central-academic-advising/pdf-files/gened-requirements/2017-2018-General-Education-Requirements.pdf) | | | | | |
| Sociology: SOC 3330: Sociology of Health and Illness, SOC 3368: The Sociology of Religion, SOC 4462: Power Class and Prestige |  |
|  |  | **MAP Credit Summary** | | | | **CR** | |
|  |  | Major | | | | 56 | |
|  |  | General Education | | | | 38 | |
|  |  | Free Electives to reach 120 credits | | | | 26 | |
|  |  | TOTAL | | | | 120 | |
|  |  | **Graduation Requirement Minimum Credit Checklist** | | **Confirmed** | | | |
|  |  | Minimum 36 cr. General Education Objectives (15 cr. AAS) | | X | | | |
|  |  | Minimum 16 cr. Upper Division in Major (0 cr. Associate) | |  | X | | |
|  |  | Minimum 36 cr. Upper Division Overall (0 cr. Associate) | |  | X | | |
|  |  | Minimum of 120 cr. Total (60 cr. Associate) | |  | X | | |
| **Advising Notes** | | ***MAP Completion Status (for internal use only)*** | | | | | |
| IS 2200 and IS 4400 may each be repeated once. | |  | *Date* | | | | |
| IS 2202 is a major elective that also satisfies GE Obj. 9. | | *Department:* | 03/28/2017 | | | | |
| IS 2203 is a major elective and partially satisfies GE Obj. 6. | | *CAA or COT:* | 03/23/2017 | | | | |
| HIST 2251, HIST 2252, HIST 2254, and HIST 2255 are major electives that also satisfy GE Obj. 9. | | *Registrar:* |  | | | | |
| ECON 2201 and 2202 are required prerequisites for ECON major electives. | |  |  | | | | |

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