## International Studies minor

Required Credits: 28 Required GPA: 2.00

# I REQUIRED CORE COURSES

#### COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- ANTH 1110 Cultural Anthropology (3 credits)
- GEOG 1400 World Regional Geography (3 credits)
- INTL 4100 Seminar in International Studies (3 credits)
- POL 1400 Introduction to Comparative Politics (3 credits)

#### SELECT 1 OF THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- GEOG 2300 Economic Geography (3 credits)
- INTL 2300 Comparative International Study Project (1-3 credits)
- INTL 2509 The Global Economy (3 credits)

#### SELECT 1 OF THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- HST 2700 The History of World Religions (3 credits)
- REL 2000 Religion in the Modern World (3 credits)

#### A. INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS/ECONOMICS

# SELECT 8-9 SEMESTER CREDITS FROM THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- BUAD 2750 International Business (3 credits)
- ECON 3400 International Trade and Finance (3 credits)
- INTL 2100 Instructed International Tour (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2200 International Study Experience Humanities (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2300 Comparative International Study Project (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2400 International Study Experience Social Science (1-3 credits)

#### SELECT 2-3 CREDITS FROM COURSES IN OPTION C, D, OR E.

#### **B. HUMANITIES**

# SELECT 8-9 SEMESTER CREDITS FROM AT LEAST 2 OF THE FOLLOWING DISCIPLINES:

#### **ENGLISH**

• ENGL 3607 Film Topics (3 credits)

#### **GERMAN**

• GER3311

## INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

• INTL 2100 Instructed International Tour (1-3 credits)
or INTL 2200 International Study Experience - Humanities (1-3 credits)
or INTL 2300 Comparative International Study Project (1-3 credits)
or INTL 2400 International Study Experience Social Science (1-3 credits)

# MASS COMMUNICATION

• MASC 2190 International Communication (3 credits)

#### **PHILOSOPHY**

- PHIL 3360 Asian Philosophy (3 credits)
- PHIL 3380 Political Philosophy (3 credits)

SELECT 2-3 CREDITS FROM COURSES IN OPTION C, D, OR E.

#### C. EAST ASIA

SELECT 8-9 SEMESTER CREDITS FROM THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- GEOG 3820 Geography of East, South, and Southeast Asia (3 credits)
- HST 3419 East Asia (3 credits)
- INTL 2100 Instructed International Tour (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2200 International Study Experience Humanities (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2300 Comparative International Study Project (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2400 International Study Experience Social Science (1-3 credits)
- POL 3130 Asian Political Development (3 credits)

SELECT 2-3 CREDITS COURSES IN OPTION A OR B. COURSES SELECTED SHOULD RELATE TO REGION OF CONCENTRATION.

#### D. EUROPE/COMMONWEALTH INDEPENDENT STATES

SELECT 8-9 SEMESTER CREDITS FROM THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- GEOG 3810 Geography of Europe (3 credits)
- HST 2580 Russia (3 credits)
- INTL 2100 Instructed International Tour (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2200 International Study Experience Humanities (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2300 Comparative International Study Project (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2400 International Study Experience Social Science (1-3 credits)
- POL 3160 Comparative European Politics (3 credits)

SELECT 2-3 CREDITS FROM COURSES IN OPTION A OR B. COURSES SELECTED SHOULD RELATE TO REGION OF CONCENTRATION.

#### E. SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST ASIA

SELECT 8-9 SEMESTER CREDITS FROM THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- HST 3429 South and Southeast Asia (3 credits)
- INTL 2100 Instructed International Tour (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2200 International Study Experience Humanities (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2300 Comparative International Study Project (1-3 credits)
   or INTL 2400 International Study Experience Social Science (1-3 credits)
- POL 3130 Asian Political Development (3 credits)

SELECT 2-3 CREDITS FROM COURSES IN OPTION A OR B. COURSES SELECTED SHOULD RELATE TO REGION OF CONCENTRATION.

## III REQUIRED SECOND LANGUAGE

Complete 6-8 semester credits of a second language. If your native language is other than English and your English TOEFL score is 500 or higher, you will have met this requirement.

# IV REQUIRED INTERNATIONAL/OTHER CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

This minor requires an International/Other Cultural experience. Select one

experience from the following list. Note: To meet this requirement with C through I, the student will have to submit a proposal to the International Studies Committee for approval. The proposal must include a plan of completion as well as a method of evaluation.

A. Participation in a BSU study abroad program, at the present time this includes:

Akita-Japan Eurospring Kansai Gaidai-Japan P.J. College-Kuala Lumpur Sino Summer-China Växjö-Sweden \*New programs may be added

- B. Participation in a study abroad program through another university; however, the student must get the approval of the International Studies program.
- C. Have an international student or student of another race as a BSU roommate.
- D. Student teach in another country, a Hispanic inner city, or reservation school.
- E. Interning with a firm or organization that has a definite international orientation, such as an import-export position, international business, or a refugee settlement organization.
- F. Taking an international student as an "adopted" family member, sharing holidays and school breaks.
- G. Doing volunteer work in an inner city or minority area.
- H. Past experiences can be evaluated on a case by case basis.
- I. Other related/relevant experiences; consult the program director.