

***International Studies Major Sequence*** (requirements from the 2020-2021 Course Catalog pages 217-228)

A minimum of ten course units to include the following. (A minimum of four courses must be at the 300-400 level.)

- International Studies 240: Introduction to International Studies
- One course on international systems, structures and processes to be chosen from the following
- One course on the nature and the analysis of culture to be chosen from the following
- All majors are required to complete an appropriate study abroad experience (excluding May Term). This requirement does not apply to Diplomatic studies majors, although they are strongly encouraged to study abroad. Diplomatic studies majors who do not study abroad must complete an equivalent off-campus study program such as the Washington Semester. The courses taken abroad or in Washington must be approved by the Director of the International Studies Program prior to the study.
- Six additional courses in a geographical or functional area of concentration

GEOGRAPHICAL AREA CONCENTRATION (African, Latin American and Western European Studies are no longer available for students entering in 2021-2022)

Each student declaring a concentration in a geographic area - African, [Asian](#), Latin American, and Western European Studies - must take one course beyond the general education requirements in the language of the area, and five courses from various disciplines in the cultural, economic, historical, political, and social life of the area. Information for the Minor Sequences will also be detailed on these pages.

FUNCTIONAL AREA OF CONCENTRATION (for students entering in 2021, both concentrations are combined into one newly designed concentration: International Relations and Global Development).

Each student declaring a concentration in a functional area - [Development Studies](#) or [Diplomatic Studies](#) - must take six courses from across the various disciplines that are related to the concentration.