

New Submission  Re-Submission

APPLICATION FOR A MAJOR IN GLOBALIZATION STUDIES

Email your completed application to the GS drop-box at: [GS@cnav.gettysburg.edu](mailto:GS@cnav.gettysburg.edu) . Due Dates of applications for AY 2019/20 are: September 25, October 30, November 27, January 29, February 26, March 25. Your application will be reviewed by GSAC the first Wednesday of the month following your submission.

1. Name (Last, First): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (check online Student Center)

Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Application Submission: \_\_\_\_\_

- Students may not submit a proposal later than November of their junior year.

2. Additional Major(s) (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Minor(s) (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

- Students who declare a major in addition to the Globalization Studies major may count up to three (3) courses from their other major toward the GS major requirements.

3. GS faculty consulted in preparing application: \_\_\_\_\_

- Students should work with a member of GSAC (Globalization Studies Advisory Committee) when preparing their application, and have this faculty member read through at least one full draft prior to submission. See GS webpage to learn who GSAC members are. In most cases, this person will be assigned as your advisor.

Advisor (leave blank; Globalization Studies director will assign): \_\_\_\_\_

4. Off-Campus Study:

	Country/City & Program	Sem	Year
Prog 1			
Prog 2 (optional)			

- Students are required to spend one semester of study off-campus, preferably in the region of focus. A second semester is optional. When studying off campus for one semester, a maximum of three courses can count towards regional and thematic tracks; when studying off campus for two semesters, four courses can count.

COURSE PLAN FOR 12 +2 COURSE GS MAJOR

Part A. FOUNDATION COURSES: Semester    Year    Completed?

1.	POL 103 "Intro to Int'l Relations" <input type="checkbox"/> or POL 104 "Intro to Comparative Politics" <input type="checkbox"/> <i>*indicate which one chosen</i>			<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	ECON 104 "Principles of Macroeconomics"			<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	ANTH 103 "Introduction to Cultural Anthropology"			<input type="checkbox"/>
4.	GS 225 "Conceptualizing Globalization"			<input type="checkbox"/>

- These courses must be taken on campus. Minimum grade of C- in each of the four foundation courses is required to count for the major. Take as early as possible (preferably before the end of the sophomore year). *No AP credit accepted.*

Part B. METHODS COURSE:

		Sem	Year	Completed?
5.				<input type="checkbox"/>

- Take prior to senior capstone course. See pull-down menu for choices. Minimum grade of C-. You must choose the methods class most suitable for inquiry into your thematic track. Take prerequisites into account or you cannot enroll.

Part C. REGIONAL TRACK:

Name of Region: \_\_\_\_\_

	Course Dept & No.	Course Name	Sem	Yr	Com?	Location
6.					<input type="checkbox"/>	
7.					<input type="checkbox"/>	
8.					<input type="checkbox"/>	

- Geographic region outside the United States. May focus on a traditionally defined geographical region (e.g. Sub-Saharan Africa, Western Europe, Middle East, etc.) or propose a non-traditional region. (Note: A single country is not a region!)
- A maximum of two courses taken off-campus can be used in the regional track. Please cut and paste the title and description of your study abroad courses at the end of the application in Part H. At least one course must be 300-level, the others 200-level or above. One of the courses should focus on some historical aspect of the region in question and one course on some aspect of society and culture in the region. These courses must draw from at least two disciplines. An SIT seminar counts as a 300-level class.

Essay #1: One of the learning outcomes for GS majors is that they employ a multidisciplinary perspective to demonstrate an advanced level of knowledge regarding a particular region of the world and the impact of global processes on local lived realities in that region, and vice versa. Keeping this in mind, explain your choice for regional track. What is the rationale for the courses you selected to support your regional track?

Part D. THEMATIC TRACK:

Name of Thematic Track: \_\_\_\_\_

	Course Dept & No.	Course Name	Sem	Yr	Com?	Location
9.					<input type="checkbox"/>	
10.					<input type="checkbox"/>	
11.					<input type="checkbox"/>	

- This should be a theme, process, or question related to some aspect of globalization. A maximum of two courses taken off-campus can be used in the thematic track. At least one course must be 300-level, the others 200-level or above. These courses must draw from at least two disciplines. An SIT seminar counts as a 300-level class.

Essay #2: One of the learning outcomes for GS majors is the ability to employ a multidisciplinary perspective on a global problem or process. Keeping this in mind, explain your choice for thematic track. Why did you choose this particular courses (how, specifically, do these courses help you to investigate your thematic track)? Why do you think your methods class, as opposed to any other, will provide you with the best tools for inquiry into your thematic track?

Part E. SENIOR CAPSTONE COURSE:

12.	Offered Spring of senior year; students will complete a thesis that builds on coursework and/or study abroad experiences. Minimum grade of C-.
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Part F. FOREIGN LANGUAGE CLASSES:

	Course Dept, Number, and Name (should indicate which language)	Sem	Yr	Com?	Location
*				<input type="checkbox"/>	
*				<input type="checkbox"/>	
13.				<input type="checkbox"/>	
14.				<input type="checkbox"/>	

•Four foreign language courses are required for the GS major. The first two courses (with \*) are required to meet the college’s language requirement. The next two courses (#13 & 14) can be in the same language or in one or two additional language(s). These can be taken on campus or off campus. Half-credit language courses, such as those offered by SIT in less-commonly taught languages, will count. Languages should be appropriate to the regional track.

**Essay #3:** Explain why you chose your study abroad program and your language courses, specifying how they are relevant to your regional track and broader learning goals.

Essay #4: Why did you choose to major in Globalization Studies (as opposed to some other field)? If you are a double major with another field, explain what you hope to gain by having Globalization Studies as a second major.

Part G. PRE-REQUISITES

An additional requirement of the GS application is that you identify and list here ALL prerequisites for courses listed in your application and confirm that you can meet these pre-requisites in time for the GS courses you are proposing. Please note that it is the student's responsibility to determine what the prerequisites are for any given course listed in his/her application. Failing to list them here will NOT waive the requirement.

**Course Pre-requisites**

**Pre-requisite met? Indicate with a ✓**

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## Part H. Study Abroad Class Title and Description

Cut and paste the title and description of your study abroad courses below.