

Application for INTERNATIONAL AND GLOBAL STUDIES Major

Once you complete your application and it is revised and approved by your assigned the IGS faculty advisor, send it to IGS_Major@gettysburg.edu a week before the end September, October, November, January, February, or March. If courses you have selected for the completion of your IGS major are not available or you need to replace them by the time you can take them, submit a [Course Change Form](#) to your advisor for evaluation and approval before sending to the IGS Chair.

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

Application Date: _____

Name (Last, First): _____

Student ID No.: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Graduation Year: _____

Additional Major(s): _____

Minor(s)? _____

Students may count up to three (3) courses from another major toward sections C and D of the IGS major requirements.

Advisor: _____

Global Study	Country/City & Program	Semester	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 sections C and D of the IGS major requirements; when studying off campus for two semesters, four courses can count.

PART A. FOUNDATION COURSES

		Semester	Year	Completed?
1	HIST 103 "19th Century World History" <input type="checkbox"/> or HIST 110 "20th Century World History" <input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>
2	ANTH 103 "Introduction to Cultural Anthropology"			<input type="checkbox"/>
3	ECON 104 "Principles of Macroeconomics"			<input type="checkbox"/>
4	POL 103 "Intro to Int'l Relations" <input type="checkbox"/> or POL 104 "Intro to Comparative Politics" <input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>

These courses must be taken on campus. Take them as early as possible. No AP credit accepted.

PART B. METHODS COURSE

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

Take prior to senior capstone course. You must choose the methods class most suitable for inquiry into your track, and/or your theme within your global studies track. Make sure you take prerequisites into account or you may not be able to enroll in your methods course.

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS TRACK

PART C: IA Required Courses

	Dept & #	Course Name	Sem	Year	Com?	Location
6	Econ 251	International Economics				GC
7	POL 203 <input type="checkbox"/> or POL 242 <input type="checkbox"/> POL 252 <input type="checkbox"/> or POL 253 <input type="checkbox"/>					GC
8	Pol					

GLOBAL STUDIES TRACK

PART C. REGION:

	Dept & #	Course Name	Sem	Year	Com?	Location
6						GC
7						
8						

PART D: IA Elective Courses

PART D. THEME:

Dept & #	Course Name	Sem	Year	Com?	Location
9	Hist				
10					
11					

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IA Required and Elective Courses: at least two of the six courses must be at the 300-level. Elective courses need to be in at least two disciplines [other than Pol and Econ]. **GS Region & Theme Courses:** Geographic region must be outside the United States. May focus on traditionally defined region (e.g. Sub-Saharan Africa, Western Europe, Middle East, the Americas, etc) or propose a non-traditional region. Note: a single country is not a region! At least one course in the Region and one course in the Theme must be at the 300-level, the others at the 200-level or above. Courses in each part must draw from at least two disciplines. An SIT seminar taken while abroad counts as a 300-level course.

Part E. SENIOR CAPSTONE COURSE

12	Offered Spring of senior year; students will complete a research project that builds on tracks, coursework and/or study abroad experiences.
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PART F. FOREIGN LANGUAGE CLASSES

	Semester	Year	Completed?
*			<input type="checkbox"/>
*			<input type="checkbox"/>
13			<input type="checkbox"/>
14			<input type="checkbox"/>

Four foreign language courses are required for the IGS 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. Languages should be appropriate for the region of your IGS track.

PART G. ESSAY (no more than 500 words): Why are you interested in the International & Global Studies major, and either the International Affairs or Global Studies track? Include current interests and potential future plans. Explain why you chose the courses you did.