

# Sample Recommended Program for International Studies Majors

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<b>1<sup>st</sup> Year:</b>	<u>Fall</u> First-year Seminar (FYS) Language/distribution POL 104/ANT 105 ECN 111/ distribution(CSI 100?)	<u>Spring</u> HIS 204or206/POL 104/ANT 105 Language/distribution HIS 204or206/POL 104/ANT 105 ECN 111/Other distribution(lab science?)
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year:</b>	<u>Fall</u> ECN 218 (fall only) ANT 105/POL 104 Language/distribution Other distribution	<u>Spring</u> (may spend off-campus*) Any remaining 100-level IS requirement Upper-level IS/HIS 204or206 Language/distribution Upper-level IS * May study abroad if 100-level requirements are complete
<b>Summer:</b> consider an IS-related internship or summer program abroad		
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Year:</b>	<u>Fall</u> (typically spent abroad) Upper-level IS Upper-level IS Possible Humanities distribution Language * <b>Note: For a Regional Concentration</b> students must take two courses on the region while abroad	<u>Spring</u> (typically spent abroad or in DC) Upper-level IS (POL 371 or 374 if at WC) Upper-level IS Possible Humanities distribution Language
<b>Summer:</b> consider an IS-related internship or summer program abroad		
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Year:</b>	<u>Fall</u> INT 491 ECN 410 <u>or</u> POL 375 Final distribution <u>or</u> elective Elective/minor/Upper-level IS * Off-campus study <i>not</i> permitted	<u>Spring</u> Sr. Capstone Credit POL 371 <u>or</u> POL 374 Elective/minor/Upper-level IS Elective/minor * May spend off-campus only if senior thesis is complete.

**Required components of the major:** (Note that HIS 203-206 was labeled 101-104 prior to Fall 2016)  
\*ANT 105    \*ECN 111    \*ECN 218 (fall only)    \*POL 104    \*HIS 203,204,205, or 206  
Foreign language: through 200 level at WC, or one year at WC plus one semester of language abroad (a language not taught at WC is acceptable).  
\* International Economics: BUS 310 or 311 or ECN 410 or 411 or POL 375  
\* International Politics: POL 201 (fall only) or POL 371 or 374 (spring only)  
\* IS Seminar: INT 491 (fall only, sr. year) + Senior Capstone (4 credits)  
\* 5 additional upper-level IS courses at WC or abroad (typically at least 3 are taken abroad).  
\* Study abroad: one semester is required, two are encouraged  
\* Experiential learning requirement: one experience is required (semester-long or summer) – such as an internship (credit or non-credit), participation in a model United Nations simulation (together with the 2-credit course), or additional study abroad; opportunities available from the Washington Center or private arrangements with the help of the Director of IS.

**There is no minor in International Studies**, but majors and non-majors are encouraged to consider related minors in regional studies (African, Asian, European, Latin American, and Near Eastern) and in Global Business and Peace and Conflict Studies.