International Studies Minor – 2018-2019
(18 semester hours)
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http://www.radford.edu/content/chbs/home/political-science/requirements/international-studies.html

Students will take two International Studies core courses and choose electives from three areas of study below.

**Introductory Course:**
INST 101, Introduction to International Studies ______ (3)

**Required Electives (12 credit hours):** One course from each of the three areas listed and one addl. course:

Politics and Economics (at least 3 credit hours):
- ECON 309, Comparative Economic Systems
- ECON 311, Economic Development
- ECON 340, Global Economy and Business
- ECON 442, International Trade Theory and Policy
- ECON 443, International Monetary Theory and Policy
- POSC 231, Comparative Government
- POSC 241, Intro to International Relations
- POSC 341, European Politics
- POSC 343, Asian Politics

Geography, History and the Environment (at least 3 credit hours):
- GEOG 101, Europe and the Americas
- GEOG 102, Africa and Asia
- GEOG 103, Intro to Human Geography
- GEOG 140, Intro to Environmental Studies
- GEOG 305, Population Geography
- HIST 101, World History to 1500
- HIST 102, World History since 1500
- HIST 300, The 20th Century World
- HIST 302, War in the Modern Age
- HIST 303, Studies in Military History
- HIST 304, Environmental History
- HIST 313, History of China

Society, Culture, and Foreign Languages and Literatures (at least 3 credit hours):
- ENGL 201, Readings in World Literature
- RELN 112, Survey of World Religions
- RELN 205, Religion and Culture
- RELN 350, Religion in India
- RELN 360, Religion in China and Japan
- SOCY 121, Understanding Cultures
- SOCY 250, Social Inequality
- SOCY 301, Culture Change and Globalization
- SOCY 333, Social and Cultural Diversity
- SOCY 441, Global Inequalities
- WGST 200, Women in the World: Intro to Women’s & Gender Studies

Capstone Experience (3 credit hours): Chose one of the following:
- INST 488, International Studies: Senior Project ______ (3) (must earn a grade of "B-" or better in INST 488) -OR-
- INST 490, Senior Seminar on Global Issues ______ (3)

**Foreign Language:** The study of foreign language is important in the understanding of international issues, and as such, students are encouraged to complement their minor with foreign language study.

**Study Abroad:** Students are strongly encouraged to study abroad as part of their International Studies minor. The Director of International Studies will work with students to determine how overseas coursework and faculty-led travel/study can be used to satisfy the requirements for the minor.