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Minor in International Relations

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The International Relations Minor provides the interested student the opportunity to gain a substantive and analytical background in foreign affairs. The program affords the student the opportunity to study the significant domestic and international factors affecting relations among countries with particular emphasis on the political and economic dimensions of these relations and their implications for American policy in the world. The program provides both the fundamental background in international relations and the chance for students to specialize in an area. Opportunities for participation in Model United Nations, study abroad, and Washington internships in the area of international relations may be available to qualified students.

The program offers an interdepartmental selection of courses from Political Science, School of Business, Anthropology, Communication, Geography, History, Psychology, and Sociology. The student is required to complete 24 credits: 12 hours of basic required courses and 12 elective hours selected by the student from among the International Relations thematic cluster tracks listed above.

Total Required Hours: 24

		# Hours Completed
Basic Requirements – 12 semester hours		
PLSC 120	Comparative Politics (3)	
PLSC 140	International Politics (3)	
PLSC 246	U.S. Foreign Policy (3)	
ECON 110	Introductory Microeconomics (3)	
Electives—four courses chosen from any one International Relations Track below* - 12 semester hours		
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	Total Hours Completed:	
* No more than two courses from any academic department; at least two at the 300-level and no more than one at 100-level.		

Related Requirements	0–12
Students completing the minor will be required to demonstrate competence through the intermediate level or its equivalent. The foreign language requirement may be satisfied by one of the following: 1. satisfactory completion of course work through the 202-level 2. satisfactory score on the Foreign Language Placement Test 3. a score of 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement ETS Examination	

Political Science majors must choose their electives outside Political Science; Economics, and Management majors must choose two of their electives outside the School of Business.

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