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| **2020-2021** | **Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Degree - International Studies Major**  **Name:** **ID:** | | | | | | | |
| **Courses in BOLD are required by this major**  **Courses in regular type are to fulfill essential education requirements and DO NOT have to be taken the specific semester stated. If you choose to earn an Essential Education Theme Concentration, you must complete 4 theme-based courses from one of the Essential Education themes.**  ***Courses in ITALIC are strongly recommended***  **+denotes courses offered only every other year**  **ALSO REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION**   * **120 credit hours** * **39 Upper division credits** * **2.00 GPA** * **Completion of all major & essential ed requirements** |
| **First Year Fall** | **Learning Outcome** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** | **First Year Spring** | **Learning Outcome** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** |
| **History Option₁** | 5d | **3** |  | Elective |  | *3* |  |
| ENGL1100 Discourse I OR  HONR1010 Honors 101 | 1a | 3 |  | Elective |  | 3 |  |
| **Cultural Option₂** |  | 3 |  | **GEOG/INTD/POLS1200 Intro to International Studies** | 4 | **3** |  |
| Elective |  | *3* |  | Knowledge of Human Culture: Arts | 5a | **3** |  |
| INTD1100 Critical Thinking in Arts & Sciences | 2 | 3 |  | **History Option₁** |  | **3** |  |
| **Total Hours** | **15** |  |  | **Total Hours** | **15** |  |  |
| **Notes:** | | | | | | | |
| **Second Year Fall** | **Learning Outcome** | **Sem**  **Hours** | **Date Met** | **Second Year Spring** | **Learning Outcome** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** |
| **Political Science/Economics Option₄** |  | **3** |  | **Political Science/Economics Option₄** |  | **3** |  |
| *BIOL1260 Environmental Biology\** | 6a | 3 |  | **Humanities Option₅** |  | **3** |  |
| *ECON1300 Macroeconomics\** | 5c | 3 |  | **COMM/INTD3100 Inter. Comm** |  | **3** |  |
| ENGL2100 Discourse II OR  HONR2010 Honors 201 | 1b | 3 |  | *ECON1320 Microeconomics\** | 5c | 3 |  |
| Knowledge of Physical and Natural World: Math | 6b | 3 |  | *MATH1380 Intro to Statistics\** | 6b | 3 |  |
| **Total Hours** | **15** |  |  | **Total Hours** | **15** |  |  |
| **Notes: *COMM3100 will only be offered in odd-year spring semester.* Be sure to connect with your faculty advisor early on during the third year to discuss internship opportunities! Internships need to be approved in order to receive academic credit.** | | | | | | | |
| **Third Year Fall**  ***(check your degree audit!)*** | **Learning Outcome** | **Sem**  **Hours** | **Date Met** | **Third Year Spring** | **Learning Outcome** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** |
| **Area Studies requirements (see NOTE below)** |  | **9-15** |  | **Behavioral Option₃** |  | **3** |  |
| **Political Science/Economics Option₄** |  | **3** |  |
| Study Abroad experience may be taken another semester or over the summer, but must be approved by faculty advisor. Although only 9 s.h. are required, it is recommended to take 12 s.h. for full time and financial aid status. Students are encouraged to take a foreign language as part of their study abroad coursework. | | | | Elective |  | 3 |  |
| Elective |  | 3 |  |
| **INTD4200 Study Abroad Retro. ##**  Elective |  | **1**  **3** |  |
| **Total Hours** | **15** |  |  | **Total Hours** | **16** |  |  |
| **Notes:** | | | | | | | |
| **Fourth Year Fall**  ***(apply for graduation!)*** | **Learning Outcome** | **Sem**  **Hours** | **Date Met** | **Fourth Year Spring** | **Learning Outcome** | **Sem Hours** | **Date Met** |
| Elective |  | **3** |  | **Humanities Option₅** |  | **3** |  |
| ENGL3100 Discourse III | 1c | 3 |  | Knowledge of Human Culture: Humanities | 5b | 3 |  |
| Ethical Thinking & Action | 3 | 3 |  | Elective |  | 3 |  |
| Elective |  | 3 |  | Elective |  | 3 |  |
| Elective |  | 3 |  | Elective |  | 3 |  |
| **Total Hours** | **15** |  |  | **Total Hours** | **15** |  |  |
| **Notes: Students must complete 9sh of study pertaining to one country or area of the world, excluding courses above, which corresponds to the area chosen for their approved study abroad experience. Students must participate in an approved study abroad or internship abroad experience at a nationally or internationally accredited institution for a min. of 6sh. At least 6 weeks in residence in their chosen area of the world is required. International students whose residence is not in the US and/or whose primary language is not English, are required to participate in the Internship option** **in a US location that is outside of a 500-mile radius, whose center point is Lamoni, Iowa.**  **## Must be taken in the fall or spring semester immediately following study abroad.** | | | | | | | |
| **Updated:**  **8/31/20** |
| \**Recommended courses for the International Studies major: ECON1300, ECON1320, BIOL1260, MATH1380 and a min. of 2 semesters of single foreign language.*  **₁History Option – Choose 2 of the following: HIST1310, 1320, 2200, 2210, 2340, 2360, 3530 ₂Cultural Option – Choose 1 of the following: ARTS2300, 2310, MUSC 2320, MUSC2350, THTR3380, ₃Behavioral Option – Choose 1 of the following: COMM/PEAC/SOCI3210, COMM 3220, PSYC/SOCI 3310, PSYC3370, ₄Political Science/Econ Option – Choose 3 of the following: ECON/GEOG3280, ECON3440, HIST/POLS3460, 3470, PEAC/POLS2200, POLS2360, 2370, 2380, 3220 ₅Humanities Option – Choose 2 of the following: ENGL 2310, 2320, 2370, 2540, 2600, PHIL2420, SPAN 3110, 3120,3220, 3240**  **DISCLAIMER: These plans are to be used as guides only and are subject to changes in curriculum requirements. Refer to your Graceland Catalog for complete and accurate information. Some courses listed on the plans may have prerequisites that have not been stated. The student has the ultimate responsibility for scheduling and meeting the graduation requirements.** | | | | | | | |