

Degree: Bachelor of Arts in International Studies (BAIS)
Major: International Studies
Concentration: International Business

Minimum Graduation Requirements

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 120 total semester hours <input type="checkbox"/> 36 advanced hours <input type="checkbox"/> 24 advanced hours at Texas State <input type="checkbox"/> 12 advanced hours in major at Texas State <input type="checkbox"/> 9 Writing Intensive (WI) hours at Texas State | <input type="checkbox"/> 24 of last 30 hours at Texas State <input type="checkbox"/> 2.75 Texas State GPA <input type="checkbox"/> 3.00 Major GPA <input type="checkbox"/> 2.00 Minor GPA (Minor not required) |
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General Education Core Curriculum (42 hours)

General Education Core Requirements: <http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/undergraduate/general-education-core-curriculum/> .

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Communication (Core 010) <input type="checkbox"/> Communication (Core 010) <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics (Core 020) ¹ <input type="checkbox"/> Life and Physical Science (Core 030) <input type="checkbox"/> Life and Physical Science (Core 030) <input type="checkbox"/> Language, Philosophy, and Culture (Core 040) <input type="checkbox"/> Creative Arts (Core 050) | <input type="checkbox"/> American History (Core 060) <input type="checkbox"/> American History (Core 060) <input type="checkbox"/> Government/Political Science (Core 070) <input type="checkbox"/> Government/Political Science (Core 070) <input type="checkbox"/> Social & Behavioral Science (Core 080) ² <input type="checkbox"/> Component Area (091) <input type="checkbox"/> Component Area (094) <input type="checkbox"/> US 1100 |
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¹ It is recommended students take MATH 1315 or 1319 as pre-requisites to ECO courses required in major.

² It is recommended students take GEO 1310 (Core Code 080) as it is an International Studies Core requirement.

Additional BA Requirements (6 hours)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> BA Science Requirement (3 hours) ² Students are encouraged to take MATH 1329 as it is a pre-requisite for the advanced Economics options in the major | Choose one of the following: ANTH 2414, BIO @, CHEM @, CJ 3347, CS 1309, GEO 2401, GEO 3301, GEOL @, HP 3302, MATH @ ² , PHIL 2330, PHYS @, PS 3315, PA 3311, QMST 2333, SOCI 3307, CJ 3347, MATH @ except MATH 1300 or 1311 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BA English Requirement (3 hours) | Choose one of the following: ENG 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2359, 2360. Students who make B or better in their Core Component Area (094) course may take an advanced (3000-4000 level) literature course instead. |

International Studies Core Requirements (41 hours)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ECO 2314 Microeconomics | <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2310 Western Civilization to 1715 or HIST 2311 World Civilization to the 17 th Century |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECO 2315 Macroeconomics | <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2312 World Civilization from the 17 th Century or HIST 2320 Western Civilization, 1715 to Date |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GEO 1310 World Geography | <input type="checkbox"/> PS 3351 Introduction to International Studies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GEO 3303 Economic Geography | <input type="checkbox"/> IS 4380 International Studies Seminar (Must be taken in final semester; departmental approval required) |

Global Studies Requirement

All International Studies majors are required to complete a global studies component that can be fulfilled by completing a study abroad program. Study abroad programs are available at <https://www.educationabroad.txst.edu/>. Non-Texas State programs must be evaluated by the Center for International Studies and Education Abroad. Students may seek approval to substitute the global studies requirement with an internship course (IS 4387 or IS 4687) if the internship entails international work, service, or research. All internships must be pre-approved by the Center for International Studies.

Foreign Language Requirement

All courses must be completed in the same language. Foreign language credit from high school will not count for the International Studies degree.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ARAB, CHI, FR, GER, ITAL, JAPA, POR, RUSS, or SPAN 1410 | <input type="checkbox"/> ARAB, CHI, FR, GER, ITAL, JAPA, POR, RUSS, or SPAN 2320 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ARAB, CHI, FR, GER, ITAL, JAPA, POR, RUSS, or SPAN 1420 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3/4000 level ARAB, CHI, FR, GER, ITAL, JAPA, POR, RUSS, or SPAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ARAB, CHI, FR, GER, ITAL, JAPA, POR, RUSS, or SPAN 2310 | |

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International Business Concentration (33 Hours)

International Business Focus I: Choose 15 hours of coursework from the following; no more than 3 courses may be taken from one discipline. Departmental prerequisites and restrictions may apply. You may need to get departmental approval for a course from the offering department.

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| ACC 2361 | Introduction to Financial Accounting | ACC 2362 | Principles of Managerial Accounting |
| BLAW 3363 | International Business Law | CIS 3317 | E-Business |
| ECO 3311 | Money and Banking | ECO 3314 | Intermediate Microeconomics |
| ECO 3315 | Intermediate Macroeconomics | ECO 3317 | International Economics |
| ECO 3320 | Emerging Market Economies | ECO 3353 | Comparative Economic Systems |
| IS 4387 | International Studies Internship | IS 4687 | International Studies Internship |
| MGT 3303 | Management of Organizations | MGT 3375 | International Business |
| MGT 4375 | Organizational Behavior and Human Relations | MKT 3343 | Principles of Marketing |
| MKT 4310 | International Marketing | | |

Additional courses may be applied to Focus I with approval from the Center for International Studies.

International Business Focus II: Choose 18 hours of coursework from the following; no more than 3 courses may be taken from one discipline. Departmental prerequisites and restrictions may apply. You may need to get departmental approval for a course from the offering department.

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| AG 3319 | International Food and Fiber Systems | ANTH 3309 | Cultures through Film |
| ARAB 3301 | Levantine Arabic | ARAB 3302 | Media Arabic |
| CHI 3301 | Conversational Chinese | CHI 4390 | Studies in Chinese Language and Culture |
| COMM 3329 | Intercultural Communication | COMM 3336 | Diversity and Communication |
| DVST 3320 | Introduction to Global Diversity Studies | FR 3381 | Business French I |
| FR 4390 | Studies in French Culture, Language, & Literature | GEO 3307 | Geography of Europe |
| GEO 3308 | Latin America | GEO 3309 | US & Canada |
| GEO 3328 | Geography of North Africa & Middle East | GEO 3340 | Political Geography |
| GEO 3349 | World Population | GER 3380 | Business German in Global Economy |
| GER 4390 | Studies in German Culture, Language, & Literature | HIST 3340 | History of the US, 1877-1914 |
| HIST 3341 | History of the US 1914-1945 | HIST 3343 | Social and Intellectual History of the US Since 1865 |
| HIST 4360 | History of the US, 1945-1968 | HIST 4373 | Economy and Social History of the Americas |
| IS 4387 | International Studies Internship | IS 4687 | International Studies Internship |
| ITAL 3308 | Advanced Grammar & Composition | ITAL 4390 | Studies in Italian Language and Culture |
| JAPA 3306 | Modern Japanese Literature & Culture | JAPA 3308 | Advanced Japanese for Business |
| JAPA 4390 | Studies in Japanese Language and Culture | LING 4307 | Foreign Language Acquisition |
| LING 4390 | Independent Study in Applied Linguistics and Language Learning | MC 3343 | Introduction to Public Relations |
| MC 3367 | Advertising | MC 4303 | International Advertising |
| MC 4310 | International Communication | MC 4319 | Latinas/Latinos and the Media |
| PA 3310 | Public Finance Administration | PHIL 3322 | Professional Ethics |
| PHIL 3332 | Social & Political Philosophy | PS 3341 | Comparative Politics |
| PS 3352 | Theory of International Politics | PS 3353 | Issues in World Politics |
| PS 4342 | Economic Development in Latin America | PS 4351 | International Conflict & Security |
| PS 4352 | International Law | PS 4353 | International Organizations |
| PS 4354 | Politics of International Economic Relations | PSY 3333 | Industrial Psychology |
| PSY 4393 | International Psychology | RUSS 4390 | Studies in Russian Language & Culture |
| SOCI 3322 | Sociology of Latinos & Immigration | SOCI 3327 | Sociology of Racial and Ethnic Relations |
| SOCI 3328 | Complex Organizations | SOCI 3330 | Globalization and Development |
| SPAN 3311 | Business Spanish I | SPAN 3312 | Business Spanish II |
| SPAN 4390 | Studies in Spanish Culture, Language, & Literature | | |

Additional courses may be applied to Focus II with approval from the Center for International Studies.