

Bachelor of Arts in International Studies

Concentration: International Relations

Year 1	Semester 1		Credits	Semester 2		Credits
	xxxx	GEN course 1	3	xxxx	GEN course 6	3
xxxx	GEN course 2	3	xxxx	GEN course 7	3	
xxxx	GEN course 3	3	xxxx	GEN course 8	3	
xxxx	GEN course 4	3	xxxx	GEN course 9	3	
xxxx	GEN course 5	3	xxxx	GEN course 10	3	
	Total	15		Total	15	
Year 2	Semester 3		Credits	Semester 4		Credits
	HIS251	World History	3	HIS203	History of the Modern Middle East	3
	ANT261	Introduction to Culture and Society	3	HIS204	History of the Twentieth Century	3
	SOC200 or HIS201	Social and Economic Trends in the Gulf History of the United Arab Emirates (*)	3	POL227	Introduction to Political Science	3
	Elective	ZU Elective	3	SOC326	Comparative Intellectual Traditions	3
	Elective	ZU Elective	3	Elective	ZU Elective	3
		Total	15		Total	15
Year 3	Semester 5		Credits	Semester 6		Credits
	ANT328	Critical Thinking	3	POL335	International Organizations	3
	HSS366	Applied Research Methods	3	ARA345	Advanced Arabic Skills	3
	POL325	Comparative Political Systems	3	POL330	International Law and World Politics	3
	SOC374	Comparative Sociology	3	POL331	Principles of International Relations	3
	HSS353	Politics of Identity	3	FLS361 or ANT362	World Cinemas Popular Cultures (*)	3
		Total	15		Total	15
Year 4	Semester 7		Credits	Semester 8		Credits
	HSS497	Senior Seminar: Modernity and its Challenges	3	HSS397	Special Topics	3
	POL332	International Relations in the Gulf Region	3	ANT430 or ANT431	World Regions: Americas World Regions: Europe (*)	3
	POL333	Foreign Relations of the United States	3	ANT432 or ANT433 or ANT434 or ANT435 or ANT436	World Regions: Middle East World Regions: South Asia World Regions: East Asia World Regions: Africa World Regions: Mediterranean (*)	3
	POL336	Foreign Policy of Emerging Powers	3	Elective	ZU Elective	3
	Elective	ZU Elective	3	HSS490	Internship	3
		Total	15		Total	15

(*) blocks with OR : only one course is required