

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon Successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

•Disciplinary and Interdisciplinary Knowledge:

On successful completion of the program, the student will demonstrate a solid understanding of major ideas, works, theories, and debates in the humanities and social sciences, analyze various connections across these disciplines, and apply this knowledge when explaining the relations between states and non-state actors at the local, regional and international levels.

•Language and Communication:

On successful completion of the program, the student will demonstrate solid written, oral, and visual communication skills in English using rigorous academic standards and, when required, advanced informational technology skills to present and explain complex matters and arguments.

•Critical Thinking:

On successful completion of the program, the student will critically assess and evaluate information to develop logical and coherent arguments, weigh the merits of alternative ideas, and develop informed conclusions within and across various fields of study.

•Global Awareness:

On successful completion of the program, the student will exhibit an understanding of the political, economic, social and cultural trends happening in the world and will evaluate differences from an informed and responsible point of view.

•Research Capacity:

On successful completion of the program, the student will demonstrate a strong ability to investigate, assess and use data from multiple sources, a solid proficiency in qualitative and quantitative research methods, and an ability to conduct high- quality research projects.

•Professional Competency:

On successful completion of the program, the student will show high ethical and professional standards when engaging with colleagues, either individually or as part of a team, and will demonstrate responsibility and a sense of self-independence and leadership.