

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS - BA

Program Requirements

First Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
BUSH 101	Freshman Success Seminar ¹	1
ENGL 104	Composition and Rhetoric ¹	3
INTS 205	Current Issues in International Studies ¹	1
STAT 201	Elementary Statistical Inference	3
Foreign language ²		4
Government/Political science (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#government-political-science)		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

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INTS 201	Introduction to International Studies ¹	3
INTS 205	Current Issues in International Studies ¹	1
American history (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#american-history)		3
Foreign language ²		4
Life and physical sciences (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences)		3
Semester Credit Hours		14

Second Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
ECON 202	Principles of Economics ¹	3
INTA 302	Principles of International Affairs ¹	3
Select one of the following:		3
COMM 203	Public Speaking	
COMM 205	Communication for Technical Professions	
COMM 243	Argumentation and Debate	
ENGL 203	Writing about Literature	
ENGL 210	Technical and Professional Writing	
Foreign language ²		3
Language, philosophy and culture (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#language-philosophy-culture)		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Spring

INTS 205	Current Issues in International Studies ¹	1
ECON 203	Principles of Economics ¹	3
American history (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#american-history)		3
Foreign language ²		3
Government/Political science (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#government-political-science)		3

Life and physical sciences (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences)		3
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Third Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
INTS 300	International Experience ³	0
Focus area ^{1,4}		3
Foreign language ²		3
Social and behavioral sciences (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#social-behavioral-sciences)		3
Humanities directed elective (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/government-public-service/)		3
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Semester Credit Hours		15

Spring

INTA 303	Principles of the Global Economy ¹	3
Creative arts (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#creative-arts)		3
Focus area ^{1,4}		3
Foreign language ²		3
Life and physical sciences (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences)		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Fourth Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
Focus area ^{1,4}		3
Mathematics (MATH prefix required) (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#mathematics)		3
Social and behavioral sciences (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#social-behavioral-sciences)		3
Humanities directed elective (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/government-public-service/)		3
International affairs elective ^{1,5}		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

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INTS 481	Senior Seminar in International Studies ^{1,6}	3
Focus area ^{1,4}		3
General elective ⁷		3
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Semester Credit Hours		15
Total Semester Credit Hours		120

¹ Must make a grade of C or better.

² Students completing a Bachelor of Arts in the Bush School are required to complete 14 hours of a foreign language through the intermediate level. Students in International Affairs are required to complete an additional 6 hours of a foreign language through the advanced level. If

you choose to enroll in a language you have studied previously without receiving college credit, you must first take a placement test. See the Foreign Language paragraph.

³ The course will be used to track student's completion of the International Experience Requirement.

⁴ Select 12 hours from one focus area from the list below.

⁵ Select from INTA 400-499 (<http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/inta/>)

⁶ Students can substitute INTS 497.

⁷ Select any 100-499 course not used elsewhere.

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
International Social Processes		
HISP 363	Borderlands: U.S. and Mexico	3
INTA 445	Women and International Affairs	3
INTS 211/ ENGL 211	Foundations in Cultural Studies	3
INTS 215/ FILM 215	Global Cinema	3
INTS 405	War and Memory	3
INTS 409	Culture, Neoliberalism and Globalism	3
POLS 328	Globalization and Democracy	3
SOCI 337	International Migration	3
SOCI 423	Globalization and Social Change	3
International Development and Economic Policy		
AGEC 105	Introduction to Agricultural Economics	3
AGEC 408	Economics of Foreign Intervention, Conflict and Development	3
AGEC 452	International Trade and Agriculture	3
ALEC 350	Global Agricultural Issues	3
ECON 320	Economic Development of Europe	3
GEOG 304	Economic Geography	3
INTA 418	Economic Statecraft	3
INTS 406	Technology and Global Change	3
INTS 409	Culture, Neoliberalism and Globalism	3
POLS 324	Politics of Global Inequality	3
International Politics, Security and Diplomacy		
INTA 415	American Foreign Policy	3
INTA 443	International Organizations	3
INTA 452	Intelligence and National Security	3
INTA 455	European Politics	3
INTA 473	Modern Chinese Political History	3
INTA 476	International Politics of the Middle East	3
INTA 486	Russia and the Former Soviet Union	3
INTA 494	Latin American Politics	3
INTS 251	Contemporary Issues in the Middle East	3
INTS 321	Political Islam and Jihad	3
INTS 403	Nations and Nationalisms	3
International Geographic Information Systems		

GEOG 361	Remote Sensing in Geosciences	4
GEOG 390	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	4
GEOG 475	Advanced Topics in GIS (Geographic Information Systems)	4
Quantitative Methods		
PHIL 451	Probability, Decision Theory and Game Theory - How Should I Choose	3
PHIL 452	Social Choice, Polarization and Democracy - How Should We Choose	3
STAT 211	Principles of Statistics I	3
STAT 212	Principles of Statistics II	3
STAT 303	Statistical Methods	3
STAT 307	Sample Survey Techniques	3
STAT 407	Principles of Sample Surveys	3
STAT 408	Introduction to Linear Models	3