

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

The Foreign Affairs Track provides students with a broad background and understanding of international relations and comparative politics. Students study patterns of conflict and cooperation among nations, international organizations, and other international actors while developing a broader understanding of the problems of governance, justice, economic development, and political stability.

The program is designed to accommodate students seeking careers in such fields as diplomacy, international security, humanitarian and technical assistance, international education, international trade, and public affairs.

COURSE	TITLE	S.H.
FIRST YEAR REQUIREMENT -STUDENT SUCCESS SEMINAR		
YSU 1500	Success Seminar	1-2
or SS 1500	Strong Start Success Seminar	
or HONR 1500	Intro to Honors	
General Education Requirements		
ENGL 1550	Writing 1	3-4
or ENGL 1549	Writing 1 with Support	
ENGL 1551	Writing 2	3
CMST 1545	Communication Foundations	3
Mathematics Requirement		3-4
Arts and Humanities		6
Natural Science		6-7
Social Science (Met in Major - POL 1560, ECON 1501)		0
Social and Personal Awareness (Met in Major - HIST 1512, POL 2640)		0
Foreign Language Requirement		8
FNLG 1550	Elementary Foreign Language (or FNLG 1505)	
FNLG 2600	Intermediate Foreign Language (or FNLG 1506)	
Major Requirements		
Select one course from each of the following:		
Economics		3
ECON 1501	Economics in Action	
For students minoring in Economics, one of the following may be substituted:		
ECON 2610	Principles 1: Microeconomics (For students minoring in Economics)	
ECON 2630	Principles 2: Macroeconomics (For students minoring in Economics)	
Geography		3
GEOG 2626	World Geography	
GEOG 3713	Geography of South America	
GEOG 3715	Geography of Middle America	
GEOG 3717	Geography of Europe	
History		3
HIST 1512	World Civilization from 1500	
Required Political Science Courses		
POL 1560	American Government	3
POL 2640	Contemporary World Governments	3
POL 2660	International Relations	3
One additional Upper-level course in American Government		3
POL 4801	Senior Research Seminar	3
Political Thought		
Select one of the following:		3
POL 3785	Political Thought 1	
POL 3786	Political Thought 2	
POL 3787	Political Thought 3	

Upper-Division Courses

Select a total of 15 s.h. from the courses listed below. A minimum of 6 s.h. 15 must be taken from International relations area and a minimum of 6 s.h. from the Comparative Politics area.

International Relations

Select 2-3 of the following:

POL 3760 International Political Economy

POL 3761 United States Foreign Policy

POL 3763 International Law

POL 3764 International Organizations

POL 3768 International Conflict

Comparative Politics

Select 2-3 of the following:

POL 3741 Russia and China: From Revolution to Reform

POL 3742 Political Development and Political Regimes

POL 3744 European Politics

POL 3751 Latin American Politics

POL 3767 Asian Politics

Electives (Minimum 27) 27

Minor Requirements 18

Total Semester Hours 120-124