International Studies Major with Concentration in Latin America and the Caribbean Requirements
Catalog Year: 2013-14
Degree: Bachelor of Arts
Credit Hours: 34+

“PR” indicates a pre-requisite. “CO” indicates a co-requisite.

Courses within this major may also satisfy general education requirements. Please consult http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu for more information.

Required Courses

☐ INTL 100 Introduction to International Studies (3) PR: None
☐ INTL 300 Comparative Methodology (1) PR: None
☐ INTL 495 International Studies Capstone (3) PR: None

Select one course from each of the following two categories:

Category I: International Politics, History, Geography and Economics

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POLI 103 World Politics (3) PR: None
HONS 166 Honors World Politics (3) PR: None
HIST 116 Modern History (3) PR: None
HIST 102 Modern Europe (3) PR: None
HIST 104 World History since 1500 (3) PR: None
HONS 130 Honors Colloquium in Western Civilization (6) PR: None
INTL 120 Economics of Globalization (3) PR: None
POLI 104 World Regional Geography (cross-listed as GEOG 101) (3) PR: None

Category II: International Culture and Literature

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RELS 105 World Religions (3) PR: None
ENGL 233 Survey of Non-Western Twentieth Century Literature (3) PR: ENGL 110 or equivalent
CPLT 200 Introduction to Comparative Literature (3) PR: None

OR

Any 200-level Literature in Translation survey course (i.e., LTPO, LTRS, LTFR, etc.) listed below:

LTAR 220 Modern Arabic Literature in Translation (3) PR: None
LTAR 221 Islamic World Literature (in English Translation) (3) PR: None
LTAR 250 Arabic Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None
LTAR 270 Studies in Arab Cinema (3) PR: None
LTCH 210 Traditional Chinese Literature in Translation (3) PR: None
LTCH 220 Modern Chinese Literature in Translation (3) PR: None
LTCH 250  Chinese Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None  
LTFR 250  Francophone Literature in Translation (3) PR: None  
LTGR 250  German Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None  
LTGR 270  Studies in German Film (3) PR: None  
LTHB 250  Hebrew Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None  
LTIT 250  Italian Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None  
LTIT 270  Introduction to Italian Cinema (3) PR: None  
LTJP 250  Japanese Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None  
LTPO 250  Portuguese Literature in (English) Translation: A Foreign Literature (3) PR: None  
LTPO 270  Studies in Brazilian Film (3) PR: None  
LTPO 280  Studies in Brazilian Civilization and Culture Through Literature (3) PR: None  
LTRS 210  19th Century Russian Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None  
LTRS 220  20th Century Russian Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None  
LTRS 250  Russian Literature in (English) Translation (3) PR: None  
LTRS 270  Studies in Russian Film (3) PR: None  
LTSP 250  Literature in (English) Translation: A Foreign Literature (3) PR: None  
LTSP 252  Contemporary Latin American Literature in Translation (3) PR: None  
LTSP 254  Society, History, and Culture in Spanish-American Literature (3) PR: None  
LTSP 256  The Magic and the Real: Latin American Literature and Film (3) PR: None

Select one of the following concentration areas (Asia, Africa, International Comparative Literature, Europe or Latin America and the Caribbean):  

Latin America and the Caribbean Concentration (21+ credit hours)  
The Latin America and the Caribbean Concentration in International Studies requires completion of 21 credit hours including a 3 credit hour core course, a Cross Regional (INTL 350) course of 3 credit hours, and 15 credit hours of electives chosen from the History and Politics and Literature, Film and Culture categories with at least 3 credit hours in each of three disciplines.  

Students may focus on Brazil by taking their required and elective courses from those designated BRAZ and fulfilling their language requirement in Portuguese.  

Core Course  
☐ LACS 101  Introduction to Latin American and Caribbean Studies (3) PR: None BRAZ  

Cross Regional Course  
☐ INTL 350  Cross Regional Studies (3) PR: None  

Electives (15 Credit Hours): Select 9 credit hours from one category and 6 credit hours from the other - History and Politics category and Literature, Film, and Culture category.
History and Politics (9 or 6 credit hours)

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ANTH 328 Aztecs, Maya and their Ancestors (3) PR: ANTH 101 or ANTH 202 or instructor permission

HIST 262 Colonial Latin America (3) PR: One course in pre-modern history and one course in modern history from the list of approved courses satisfying the general education history requirement (see http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu).

HIST 263 Modern Latin America (3) PR: One course in pre-modern history and one course in modern history from the list of approved courses satisfying the general education history requirement (see http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu).

HIST 264 Caribbean to 1800 (3) PR: One course in pre-modern history and one course in modern history from the list of approved courses satisfying the general education history requirement (see http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu).

HIST 265 Caribbean Since 1800 (3) PR: One course in pre-modern history and one course in modern history from the list of approved courses satisfying the general education history requirement (see http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu).

HIST 266 Aztecs, Maya and their Ancestors (3) PR: One course in pre-modern history and one course in modern history from the list of approved courses satisfying the general education history requirement (see http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu).

HIST 364 Sugar and Slaves in Colonial Brazil (3) PR: One course in pre-modern history and one course in modern history from the list of approved courses satisfying the general education history requirement (see http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu). BRAZ

HIST 365 Modern Brazil (3) PR: One course in pre-modern history and one course in modern history from the list of approved courses satisfying the general education history requirement (see http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu). BRAZ

HIST 366 Comparative Slavery in the Americas (3) PR: One course in pre-modern history and one course in modern history from the list of approved courses satisfying the general education history requirement (see http://registrar.cofc.edu/general-edu).

POLI 340 Politics of Latin America (3) PR: None

POLI 351 The Politics of Contemporary Brazil (3) PR: None BRAZ

POLI 347 International Development (3) PR: None BRAZ

POLI 245 Cuban Revolution (3) PR: None

POLI 266 International Diplomacy Studies (3) PR: None

Literature, Film, and Culture (9 or 6 credit hours)

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ANTH 325 Peoples and Cultures of Latin America (3) PR: ANTH 101 or ANTH 202 or instructor permission

ANTH 327 Peoples and Cultures of the Caribbean (3) PR: ANTH 101 or ANTH 202 or instructor permission

ARTH 205 Pre-Columbian Art and Culture (3) PR: None

ARTH 255 Latin American Colonial Art (3) PR: None

ENGL 233 Survey of Non-Western 20th Century Literature (3) PR: ENGL 110 or equivalent

ENGL 234 Survey of Third World Masterpieces (3) PR: ENGL 110 or equivalent

ENGL 358 Colonial and Post-Colonial British Literature (3) PR: ENGL 110 or equivalent

FREN 320 Survey of Francophone Literature (3) PR: FREN 213 and FREN 214 or instructor permission

FREN 326 A Survey of Francophone Civilization (3) PR: FREN 213 and FREN 214 or instructor permission

LACS 103 Introduction to Contemporary Cuba (3) PR: None
LACS 104  Introduction to Contemporary Chile [PR: None]
LACS 105  Introduction to Contemporary Brazil [PR: None  BRAZ]
LACS 106  Introduction to Contemporary Argentina [PR: None]
LACS 332  Latin American Politics and Society in Film [PR: None]
LTPO 250  Portuguese Literature in (English) Translation: A Foreign Literature [PR: None  BRAZ]
LTPO 270  Studies in Brazilian Film [PR: None  BRAZ]
LTPO 280  Studies in Brazilian Civilization and Culture Through Literature [PR: None  BRAZ]
LTPO 350  Portuguese Literature in (English) Translation: A Foreign Author [PR: None  BRAZ]
LTPO 450  Portuguese Literature in (English) Translation: Comparative Literature [PR: None  BRAZ]
LTSP 252  Contemporary Latin American Literature in Translation [PR: None]
LTSP 254  Society, History and Culture in Spanish American Literature [PR: None]
LTSP 256  Magic and The Real: Latin American Literature and Film [PR: None]
SPAN 315  Special Assignment Abroad [PR: SPAN 313 and one of the following: SPAN 312, 314, 328; or SPAN 350; or instructor permission]
SPAN 326  Latin American Civilization and Culture I [PR: SPAN 313 and one of the following: SPAN 312, 314, 328; or SPAN 350; or instructor permission]
SPAN 327  Latin American Civilization and Culture II [PR: SPAN 313 and one of the following: SPAN 312, 314, 328; or SPAN 350; or instructor permission]
SPAN 328  Spanish Language Study Abroad [PR: SPAN 275 or instructor permission]
SPAN 329  Current Issues in Spain or the Spanish-Speaking World [PR: SPAN 313 and one of the following: SPAN 312, 314, 328; or SPAN 350; or instructor permission]
SPAN 371  Survey of Spanish American Literature I [PR: SPAN 320 or instructor permission]
SPAN 372  Survey of Spanish American Literature II [PR: SPAN 320 or instructor permission]
SPAN 447  Spanish Dialectology [PR: SPAN 381 or instructor permission]
SPAN 454  Contemporary Spanish American [PR: SPAN 320 and an additional 300-level literature course; or instructor permission]
SPAN 455  Contemporary Spanish American Fiction [PR: SPAN 320 and an additional 300-level literature course; or instructor permission]
SPAN 456  Contemporary Spanish American Theatre [PR: SPAN 320 and an additional 300-level literature course; or instructor permission]
SPAN 457  Early Colonial Spanish American Texts [PR: SPAN 320 and an additional 300-level literature course; or instructor permission]
SPAN 458  Contemporary Hispanic Caribbean Theatre [PR: SPAN 320 and an additional 300-level literature course; or instructor permission]

☐ Foreign language Requirement: Spanish, French and Portuguese. Complete 202 (or the equivalent) in Spanish, French or Portuguese language and an additional 6 credit hours in the same or the other language (or the equivalent) or related language. Students with a Brazil focus must fulfill the requirement entirely in Portuguese. Spanish, French and Portuguese language courses above the 200-level may double count for the major and Foreign Language Requirement.

☐ Study Abroad Requirement: Earn 6 credit hours (may be applied to the Concentration).

☐ 300-level Credit Requirement: International Studies students must take a minimum of 9 credit hours at the 300-level in the International Studies major.
**Note:** Departmental special topics, research seminar, tutorials, and independent study courses will also be counted as appropriate.