

Bachelor of Arts in International Studies (BAIS)  
 Catalog: Fall 2005–Present  
**Major in International Studies with International Business Focus**  
 For Advising Purposes Only

**PART I: GENERAL EDUCATION CORE  
 CURRICULUM COMPONENTS (46-47 hours)**

**Communication (9 hrs)**

- (010)\_\_\_English 1310
- (010)\_\_\_English 1320
- (011)\_\_\_Communication 1310

**Mathematics (3 hrs)**

- (020)\_\_\_Math 1315, 1317, 1319, 1329, 2321, 2417 or 2471  
 (\*recommended for Int'l Business students)

**Natural Science (7-8 hours) - Select two courses. One course must include a lab.**

- (030)\_\_\_Anthropology 2414 (Physical Anthropology)
- (030)\_\_\_Biology 1320, 1421, 1430, 1431
- (030)\_\_\_Chemistry 1310, 1430 or 1341 (1141-lab), 1342 (1142-lab)
- (030)\_\_\_Geology 1410, 1420
- (030)\_\_\_Physics 1310, 1320, 1110
- (030)\_\_\_Physics 1410, 1420
- (030)\_\_\_Physics 1430, 2425
- (030)\_\_\_Physics 1340, 1350, 1140 (Astronomy Courses)

**Humanities and Visual and Performing Arts (9 hrs)**

- (040)\_\_\_one course from: English 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2359 or 2360
- (041)\_\_\_Philosophy 1305
- (050)\_\_\_one course from: Art 2313, Dance 2313, Music 2313 or Theatre 2313

**Social and Behavioral Sciences (15 hrs)**

- (060)\_\_\_History 1310
- (060)\_\_\_History 1320
- (070)\_\_\_Political Science 2310
- (070)\_\_\_Political Science 2320
- (080) X **\*\*Anth 1312, Eco 2301, Geo 1310, Psy 1300 or Soci 1310**

**Texas State Component (3 hrs)**

- (090)\_\_\_Physical Fitness & Wellness (PFW) course
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- (090)\_\_\_US 1100 - University Seminar

**Additional BA/BAIS College of Liberal Arts Requirements (12 hrs)**

- \_\_\_one course from: math, science, Philosophy 2330 (logic), Computer Science 1308 or Geography 2410
- \_\_\_one course from: English 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2359

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 \*\* Already fulfilled in IS Core

**PART II: INTERNATIONAL STUDIES CORE  
 (47 hours)**

Courses taken in the IS Core cannot also be used to fulfill requirements in the IS Focus.

\_\_\_ **CIS 1323:** Small Business Computer Systems,  
 or other **3-hour approved computer course such as CS 1308**

\_\_\_ **Economics 2314:** Principles of Microeconomics

\_\_\_ **Economics 2315:** Principles of Macroeconomics

\_\_\_ **Geography 1310:** World Geography

\_\_\_ **Geography 3303:** Economic Geography

\_\_\_ **History 2310:** Western Civilization to 1715  
 or **History 2311** History of World Civilization to the 17th Century

\_\_\_ **History 2320:** Western Civilization, 1715 to Date  
 or **History 2312** History of World Civilization from the 17th Century

\_\_\_ **Political Science 3322:** Introduction to International Studies

\_\_\_ Any one of the following:

**Economics 3317:** International Economics

**Political Science 4326:** Issues in World Politics

**Political Science 4327:** Theories of International Politics

**Political Science 4356:** International Law

**Political Science 4357:** International Organization

**Political Science 4359:** Politics of International Economic Relations

**Political Science 4367:** International Conflict and Security

\_\_\_ **International Studies 4380:** International Studies Seminar (capstone)

– **this course is offered every spring semester and should be taken in student's senior year**

\_\_\_ **Foreign Language:** 17 semester credit hours in one foreign language (at least one course must be upper-level)

**All majors must maintain a Texas State GPA of 3.0 or above**

**PART III: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS FOCUS\* (33 hours)**

Choose 6 courses (18 hours) from the following; no more than 3 courses from one discipline

- \_\_\_ **Accounting 2361** Introduction to Financial Accounting
- \_\_\_ **Accounting 2362** Principles of Managerial Accounting
- \_\_\_ **BLAW 3363** International Business Law
- \_\_\_ **CIS 3317** Information Technology in a Global Business Environment
- \_\_\_ **Economics 3311** Money and Banking
- \_\_\_ **Economics 3317** International Economics
- \_\_\_ **Economics 3320** Latin American Economies
- \_\_\_ **Economics 3344** Economic History of the U.S. (credit will not also be given for HIST 3344)
- \_\_\_ **Economics 3353** Comparative Economic Systems
- \_\_\_ **Finance 3312** Business Finance
- \_\_\_ **Finance 4312** Financial Management
- \_\_\_ **Finance 4331** International Finance
- \_\_\_ **Management 3303** Principles of Management
- \_\_\_ **Management 3375** International Business - Latin America
- \_\_\_ **Management 4375** Organizational Behavior and Human Relations
- \_\_\_ **Marketing 3343** Principles of Marketing
- \_\_\_ **Marketing 4310** International Marketing (previously MKT 3377)

Choose 5 courses (15 hours) from the following; no more than 3 courses from one discipline

- \_\_\_ **Agricultural Economics 3319** International Food and Fiber Systems
- \_\_\_ **French 3381** Business French I
- \_\_\_ **French 3382** Business French II
- \_\_\_ **Geography 3340** Political Geography
- \_\_\_ **Geography 3349** Population Geography or SOCI 3320 Population Dynamics
- \_\_\_ **German 3380** Business German in a Global Economy
- \_\_\_ **History 3344** Economic History of the U.S. (credit will not also be given for ECO 3344)
- \_\_\_ **History 4361** History of the United States, 1968 to the Present
- \_\_\_ **Mass Communication 3343** Introduction to Public Relations
- \_\_\_ **Mass Communication 3367** Advertising
- \_\_\_ **Mass Communication 4303** International Advertising
- \_\_\_ **Mass Communication 4310** International Communication
- \_\_\_ **Philosophy 3322** Business and Professional Ethics
- \_\_\_ **Political Science 3320** Comparative Public Administration
- \_\_\_ **Political Science 3328** Public Finance Administration
- \_\_\_ **Political Science 4326** Issues in World Politics
- \_\_\_ **Political Science 4327** Theories of International Politics
- \_\_\_ **Political Science 4356** International Law
- \_\_\_ **Political Science 4357** International Organization
- \_\_\_ **Political Science 4359** Politics of International Economic Relations
- \_\_\_ **Political Science 4367** International Conflict and Security
- \_\_\_ **Psychology 3333** Industrial Psychology
- \_\_\_ **Spanish 3311** Business Spanish I
- \_\_\_ **Spanish 3312** Business Spanish II

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\*Students should begin taking focus courses once they have completed 60 hours (at the beginning of their junior year).

Note: No more than 30 hours of course work offered by the McCoy College of Business Administration may be applied to this degree. This includes courses taken to fulfill the IS Focus, IS Core, General Curriculum,

**PART IV: MINOR**

All students must also complete a minor. See page 61 in the Texas State Undergraduate Catalog for a listing of minors offered at Texas State.

**Notice:**

Although departmental advisors are available to help students plan their programs of study, each individual student has the responsibility (1) to know and satisfy all degree requirements, including residency requirements (2) to know and observe academic deadlines, as printed in the Schedule of Classes online, (3) to schedule a comprehensive advising appointment with the College of Liberal Arts Advising Center in 322 Flowers Hall the semester before he/she intends to graduate.

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Student Signature

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Date