

Bachelor of Arts in International Studies (BAIS)
Major in International Studies – Russian/East European Studies
 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

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

 ** 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.

___ **Anthropology 1312:** Cultural Anthropology

___ **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

___ **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 (previously POSI 2323)

___ 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 German, Russian or other Eastern European language (at least one course must be upper-level)

All majors must maintain a Texas State GPA of 2.75 or above

PART III: RUSSIAN/EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES FOCUS* (27 hours)

Choose 9 courses, no more than 3 from one discipline

- ___ **Economics 3317** International Economics
- ___ **Economics 3353** Comparative Economic Systems
- ___ **English 3325** Russian Literature in Translation
- ___ **Geography 4328** Geography of the Russian Realm
- ___ **History 4333** History of Russia and Eurasia to 1917
- ___ **History 4334** History of the Russia and Eurasia from 1917 to the Present
- ___ **History 4335** Selected Topics in 20th Century East European History
- ___ **Political Science 4340 Government and Politics of Europe**
(replaces POSI 4372: Government and Politics of Central and Eastern Europe, which is no longer taught)
- ___ **Political Science 4341** Government and Politics of Russia
- ___ **Political Science 4367** International Conflict and Security

*Students should begin taking focus courses once they have completed 60 hours (at the beginning of their junior year).
Note: Students must meet all course prerequisites.

PART IV: MINOR

All students must also complete a minor. See pages 70-74 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.

Student Signature

Date