

# MINOR

# GLOBAL STUDIES

**\*\* 18-19 credits \*\***

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Global studies examines economic, political, social, cultural, and scientific practices in a transnational and cross-cultural perspective. The Global Studies minor is designed to provide students with an integrated exposure to globally related scholarship across the disciplines, and encourages a student in any major discipline to think in terms of the globalization that marks the contemporary world. The program of study is designed to provide an exciting interdisciplinary global perspective on the arts, humanities, social sciences, and sciences. The minor is flexible and complements majors from across the University, affording students the opportunity to reach beyond their majors, or to take courses related to their majors outside of the context of the United States.

- **9 credits of the minor must be earned in upper division (300-400) level courses**
- **Upper division courses must be taken in residence at WSU or through WSU-approved education abroad or educational exchange courses (WSU academic regulation #54.).**

**CORE COURSES • 12-13 credits (FOUR courses).** Choose one course from each of the following four categories of Student Learning Outcomes (SLO's)\*. **(Highlighted courses available online)**

<i>Connections Among Contexts (SLO1):</i>	<i>Knowledge About Identities and Values (SLO2):</i>	<i>Communication Skills (SLO3):</i>	<i>Respectful Interaction (SLO4):</i>
ANTH 203 [DIVR] CES 244 [SSCI] <b>ECON 101 [SSCI]</b> ECONS 198 [HONORS] <b>POLS 103 [SSCI]</b> SOC 415 [CAPS]	<b>ANTH 316 [DIVR]</b> FINE ART 202 [ARTS] POL S 428 [CAPS]	FOREIGN LANGUAGE BEYOND THE WSU ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENT – 203 or above or begin a new language.	<b>COM 105 [HUM]</b> COM SOC 321 [DIVR] <b>FOR LANG 120 [DIVR]</b>

## **ELECTIVE COURSES • 6 credits (TWO courses).**

Choose one course from two of the following four categories targeting two different SLO's:

<i>Connections Among Contexts (SLO1):</i>	<i>Knowledge About Identities and Values (SLO2):</i>	<i>Communication Skills (SLO3):</i>	<i>Respectful Interaction (SLO4):</i>
ANTH 260 [BSCI] CES 380 <b>CROPS 360</b> ENGLISH 373 <b>FINE ART 301</b> GEOLOGY 390* HISTORY 494 or HISTORY 495 [CAPS] or approved upper-level World History course HONORS 370, 380 or 390 IBUS 380 or 470 POL S 429 SOC 334 or 430  *Fall 2017 implementation	ANTH 301[ARTS] or <b>ANTH 404[CAPS]</b> BIOL 407 [BSCI] ENTOM 150 [BSCI] <b>SOE 110 [BSCI]</b> <b>FOR LANG 110</b> HUMANITY 350 MUS 163 [ARTS] or <b>MUSIC 265 [HUM]</b> POL S 435	Additional semester of same FL as used for the CORE requirement, or additional FL course taught in the foreign language at WSU.  **Student may choose to begin a new language rather than continue on to the 200 level as long as the FL WSU Admissions requirement is fulfilled. The intent is for the student to acquire additional training in the/a foreign language.	BIOL 110 [BIOSCI] NATRS 312 [DIVR]* <b>ANTH 418</b> COMSOC 421 [DIVR] HIST 491  *Fall 2017 implementation

**\*\*\*LEARNING OUTCOMES and SPECIAL NOTES ON BACK \*\*\***

**\*Student Learning Outcomes:** The minor gives students a competitive edge in the global job market. Students earning the minor will be prepared to:

- 1) understand connections that can be made from historical, cultural, economic, and political contexts that shape society and reflect global systems;
- 2) demonstrate knowledge of and be sensitive to others' differing identities and values across cultures;
- 3) apply intercultural communication skills to interact effectively with individuals, and in groups; and
- 4) interact respectfully and responsibly across boundaries in diverse environments.

## **SPECIAL NOTES**

- Only 6 credits of transfer work may be counted towards the minor;
- 12-13 credits must be taken in residence at WSU or through WSU-approved education abroad or educational exchange courses;
- No courses taken Pass/ Fail may count towards the minor;
- No more than two courses with the same prefix may be applied to the minor.

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