American International College   **MAJOR: International Studies**
School of Business, Arts and Sciences   **Catalog Year: 2023-2024**
Program Plan

FRESHMAN	COURSES	CREDITS	TOTAL
FALL	AIC1140, APEX 1 (or AIC1100 Introduction to ACE (3 cr))	1	16
	ENG1200, or ENG1201, English Composition or ENG1601 (Gen Ed category 4)	3	
	POL1400, Introduction to American Politics (Gen Ed category 2)	3	
	Introductory level Foreign Language I (category 4)	3	
	Gen Ed course (category 2 or 4)	3	
	Elective	3	
SPRING	ENG1202, Analytical Writing or ENG1602 (Gen Ed category 3)	3	15
	POL1500, Comparative Politics (category 2)	3	
	Introductory level Foreign Language II	3	
	Gen Ed course (category 2 or 4)	3	
	Elective	3	
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FALL	ECO1010, World Economic Geography or IBS1420, Diverse Cultures of the World	3	16
	Science with Lab (Gen Ed category 1)	4	
	Intermediate level Foreign Language I	3	
	Elective	3	
	Elective	3	
SPRING	AIC2142, APEX 2	2	14
	HST1430 World History II	3	
	POL2410, International Relations	3	
	Intermediate level Foreign Language II	3	
	Elective	3	
JUNIOR			
FALL	ECO1401, Macroeconomics or IBS1400, Introduction to International Business	3	15
	Specialization Area Course #1	3	
	Gen Ed course (category 1, 2, 3 or 4)	3	
	Elective	3	
	Elective	3	
SPRING	AIC3140, APEX 3	1	16
	Specialization Area Course #2	3	
	PSY2302, Statistics or MAT1430, Statistics (Gen Ed category 1)	3	
	Gen Ed course (category 1, 2, 3 or 4)	3	
	Elective	3	
	Elective	3	
SENIOR			
FALL	AIC4140, APEX 4	1	13
	Specialization Area Course #3	3	
	Gen Ed course (category 1, 2, 3 or 4)	3	
	Elective	3	
	Elective	3	
SPRING	INS4800, International Studies Seminar	3	15
	Specialization Area Course #4	3	
	Elective	3	
	Elective	3	
	Elective	3	
		TOTAL CREDITS:	**120**

Notes:
*A student will incur additional tuition charges in any semester in excess of 18 credits.
**A student must apply to the Dean for permission to take more than 18 credits in any given semester.

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List of Requirements (all courses are 3 credits unless otherwise noted)

Major Requirements:

Modern foreign language study (American Sign Language not eligible) through at least the intermediate-level, is required, with a strong recommendation for eight semesters. May be waived at the discretion of the program chairperson if student demonstrates fluency in a second language

_____	POL1500	Comparative Politics
_____	POL2410	International Relations
_____	HST1430	World History II (since 1400)
_____	INS4800	International Studies Seminar (with chairperson's permission, repeatable once to replace a course in a specialization requirement) **_____CREDITS**

Choose one of the following courses:

_____	ECO1010	World Economic Geography
_____	IBS1420	Diverse Cultures of the World

And one of the following courses:

_____	ECO1401	Macroeconomics
_____	IBS1400	Introduction to International Business **_____CREDITS**

Selection of a specialization consisting of at least four courses in one of the following areas (additional specializations and course substitutions possible subject to approval by program chairperson):

The International Economy:

_____	ECO2400	International Economics
_____	IBS1400	Introduction to International Business
_____	IBS3410	International Marketing
_____	IBS4430	International Organizations and Administration
_____	POL3460	Nations and Corporations **_____CREDITS**

International Conflict and Diplomacy:

_____	POL2610	European Integration
_____	POL3325	The First World War
_____	POL3327	The Second World War
_____	POL3410	International Institutions
_____	POL3412	Contemporary Problems in International Relations
_____	POL3402	American Foreign Policy
_____	POL3420	Principles of International Law and Diplomacy **_____CREDITS**

European Studies:

_____	POL2610	European Integration
_____	POL3325	The First World War
_____	POL3327	The Second World War
_____	POL3661	Political Philosophy II
_____	( )____	*Any modern European language literature or literature in translation course.*
_____	INS4800	International Studies Seminar (with chairperson's permission, repeatable once to replace a course in a specialization requirement)

INS4890 Study Abroad and INS4899 Internship also may be used with the chairperson's permission to fill a specialization requirement

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General Education Requirements Catalog Year: 2023-2024

Content Category #1: Exploring Scientific World			7 or 10 credits*
Requirements: 1 Math Course (3 cr) & 1 Science course w/Lab (4 cr). A 2nd science course*, with or without lab, may be completed in lieu of one INT course.			
Choose 1	Math	MAT1430, MAT2004, PSY2302	
Choose 1	SCIENCE with LAB	BIO1020/1021, BIO1120/1121, BIO1130/1131, BIO1200/1201, BIO1210/1211, BIO1400/1401, BIO1500/1501, CHE1100/1101, CHE1110/1111, PHY1010/1011, PHY1020/1021, PHY1030/1031, PHY1050/1051 *BIO1250/1251 for Health Science majors only*	
*OPTION: Choose 1	SCIENCE with/ without LAB (Choose this option OR a 3rd INT, Category 3)	BIO1020/1021, BIO1120/1121, BIO1130/1131, BIO1200/1201, BIO1210/1211, BIO1400/1401, BIO1500/1501, CHE1100/1101, CHE1110/1111, PHY1010/1011, PHY1020/1021, PHY1030/1031, PHY1050/1051 *BIO1250/1251 for Health Science majors only*	
Content Category #2: Understanding Self and Others			9 credits
Requirements: 1 course in each category: Self Context (3 cr), US Context (3 cr), Global Context (3 cr)			
Choose 1	Self Context	AAL1200, PSY1200, SOC1100	
Choose 1	US Context	ECO1401, ECO1402, HST1510, HST1520, PCH1030, POL1400, SOC1400	
Choose 1	Global Context	ECO1010, HST1400, HST1410, IBS1420, PCH2030, POL1500, SOC2650	
Content Category #3: Exploring Interdisciplinarity			9 or 12 credits*
Requirements: ENG1202/1602 (3 cr) AND 2 (or 3*) Interdisciplinary (INT) courses (6 or 9 cr)			
Choose 1	Analytical Writing	ENG1202 or ENG1602	
Choose 2	Interdisciplinary courses	AIC3100, EXS1200, INT1500, INT1600, INT2100, INT2125, INT2200, INT2350, INT2400, INT2460, INT2540, INT2620, INT2655	
*OPTION: Choose 1	Interdisciplinary: a 3rd INT course (OR a science course, Category 1)	AIC3100, EXS1200, INT1500, INT1600, INT2100, INT2125, INT2200, INT2350, INT2400, INT2460, INT2540, INT2620, INT2655	
Content Category #4: Exploring the Arts and Humanities			9 credits
Requirements: 1 course in each category: Arts (3 cr) and Humanities (3 cr)			
Choose 1	English Composition	ENG1200, ENG1201 or ENG1601	
Choose 1	Arts	ART1000, COM2460, COM3290, ENG2325, MUS1000, MUS1020, THR1400, THR1420, VDA2640	
Choose 1	Humanities	ENG2390, ENG2410, ENG2420, ENG2430, ENG2510, ENG2520, ENG3200, ENG3210, ENG3430, ENG3440, ENG3800, ITL1000, PHI1000, PHI1200, PHI1400, PHI2010, SPA1010, SPA1100, SPA1201, SPA1202	
Content Category #5: Developing Professional Readiness			5 or 7 credits
Requirements: APEX 1 – 4 (5 cr) OR AIC1100 (3 cr) & AIC			
Choose 1	APEX or ACE	AIC1100 (3 cr) or AIC1140 (1 cr)	
Choose 1	APEX	AIC2142 (2 cr)	
Choose 1	APEX	AIC3140 (1 cr)	
Choose 1	APEX	AIC4140 (1 cr)	
Choose 1 (AIC Online or RN to BSN programs only)	APEX for special programs	AIC Online program only: AIC4141 (3 cr) AIC RN to BSN program only: NUR4600 (3 cr)	