ACADEMIC PLANNING GUIDE — GLOBAL STUDIES

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	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
First Year	•NPD 1000: Dialogue I	4	•Fine Arts Option	2
	•BTS 1850: Introduction to the Bible	4	•Mathematics Option	4
	•Culture and Society Option/Global Studies Core	4	•Science Quad/Science Quad Option	2/2
	•Foreign Language 1010 Option	4	•Personal Development Option	2
			Foreign Language 1020 Option	4
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	**16**	**TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS**	**16**
Second Year	•Biblical Studies Option	4	•NPD 2000: Dialogue II	4
	GBLS 2130: Between Worlds: Language, Culture and Globalization	4	Global Studies Core	4
			Foreign Language Minor Option	4
	Foreign Language Minor Option	4	Elective	4
	Elective	4		
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	**16**	**TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS**	**16**
Third Year	Foreign Language Minor Option	4	•NPD 3000: Dialogue III	4
	Area Studies Option	4	Area Studies Option	4
	Elective	4	Elective	4
	Elective	4	Elective	4
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	**16**	**TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS**	**16**
Fourth Year	Area Studies Option	4	Area Studies Option	4
	Area Studies Option	4	Global Studies Capstone course	4
	Elective	4	Elective	4
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• Course meets a general education requirement

All global studies majors must participate in a foreign study experience in which the foreign language of the minor is used.

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Graduation Requirement:

120 semester hours, minimum

General Education Requirements:

44 semester hours

- ☐ The North Park Dialogue (12)
  - ☐ Dialogue I (4)
  - ☐ Dialogue II (4)
  - ☐ Dialogue III (4)
- ☐ Culture and Society (4)
- ☐ Personal Development (2)
- ☐ Biblical Studies (8)
  - ☐ BTS 1850 (4)
  - ☐ BTS option (4)
- ☐ Foreign Language (8) Met by major course basic language 1010/1020
  - ☐ 1010 Level (4)
  - ☐ 1020 Level (4)
- ☐ Mathematics (4)
- ☐ Fine Arts (2)
- ☐ Natural Science (4)
  - ☐ Biology (2)
  - ☐ Chemistry/Physics (2)

See General Education checklist for specific courses that will fulfill each requirement. http://www.northpark.edu/generaleducation

Some general education courses may meet course requirements for your major.

Major Requirements:

***Required Semester Hours*: 36 semester hours**

***Required Core Courses*: 12 semester hours**

- ☐ GBLS 2130: Between Worlds: Language, Culture & Globalization (4)

Two courses from the following list

- ☐ BSE 2211: Principles of Macroeconomics (4)
- ☐ BTS 2700: World Religions (4)
- ☐ COMM 2350: Intercultural Communications (4)
- ☐ CTS 3000: Introduction to Conflict Transformation (4)
- ☐ HIST 2260: The Modern World (4)
- ☐ POGO 2200: International Politics (4)
- ☐ POGO 2250: Survey of International Politics (4)
- ☐ POGO 2300: Comparative Politics (4)
- ☐ SOC 1910: Introduction to Sociology (4)
- ☐ WGS 2010: Introduction to Women and Gender Studies (4)

Major Requirements cont:

***Additional Required Courses*: 20 semester hours, five courses from two area studies one of which must be related to the foreign language studies. At least one must be non-European.**

- ☐ Africana Studies
- ☐ French Studies
- ☐ Latin American Studies
- ☐ Middle Eastern Studies
- ☐ Scandinavian Studies

***Capstone Course:* 4 semester hours, one capstone course from the following list.**

- ☐ BSE 3230: International and Comparative Economics (4)
- ☐ COMM 3910: International Conflict Transformation (4)
- ☐ ENG 3920: Francophone Literature (4)
- ☐ POGO 3200: International Political Economy (4)
- ☐ SOC 3310: Movements for Change (4)
- ☐ SOC 3410: Migration and Identity (4)
- ☐ SOC 3800: Globalization: Transforming Economy and Culture (4)
- ☐ WGS 3100: Global Perspective on Feminism and Gender (4)

This course must be chosen from one of the core course disciplines the student studied. Any appropriate 3910 topics course in the disciplines mentioned could also serve as a capstone course, with the approval of advisors.

- ☐ GBLS 4901: Senior Assessment (0)

Co-Requirement:

- ☐ Foreign Language Minor
- ☐ Foreign Study Experience in which the foreign language is used.

Notes:

- No more than 12 hours in one discipline and no more than 8 hours can double count.
- At least 4 courses must be at the 3000 level
- A final paper is required as part of the capstone course in which an issue is analyzed in the context of the two cultural regions studied. It is to be approximately 25 pages in length, read by the subcommittee of advisors, and presented at a forum attended by other Global Studies majors.

Additional Graduation Requirements

- ☐ Total of 120 semester hours, minimum. Additional courses may need to be taken to meet this requirement.
- ☐ Grade Point Average
  - ☐ Overall cumulative grade point average of 2.00
  - ☐ Cumulative grade point average in major of 2.00
- ☐ Last 30 semester hours must be taken at North Park
- ☐ Acceptance into the major

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