

COURSE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE JOINT MAJOR IN INTERNATIONAL STUDIES AND CATHOLIC STUDIES

Student _____ ID# _____ Advisor _____

Certification of Fulfillment of INST/CS Requirements: _____ **Advisors/Date**

Note: Participants in the Joint major will be assigned an academic advisor in each department.

COURSES WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY CORE (71 HOURS)

Date Req.
Completed

Theology and Philosophy: (24 hours) combined total as follows:

a. Theology: **9 hours**. Must be taken in the following sequence:

_____ Theology 1300/3300 Teachings of the Catholic Church

_____ Theology 2300 Introduction to the Sacred Scriptures

_____ Any other 3000 or 4000-level theology course.

Joint major students are **recommended** to take:

Theology 3375 World Religions I (Eastern Religions) or

Theology 3376 World Religions II (Western Religions) or

Theology 4334 Social Justice and the Church

b. Philosophy: **9 hours**, three consecutive courses in either the historical or the systematic sequence.

Course 1/Date _____

Course 2/Date _____

Course 3/Date _____

c. **6 Hours** in other approved theology and/or philosophy.

Course 1/Date _____ Course 2/Date _____

Note: Transfer students with 30-59 credit hours require 9 hours in both theology and philosophy; those with 60+ hours, 6 hours in both theology and philosophy. The theology requirement can be satisfied by completing THEO 1300/3300 and one other upper level course.

English: 12 Hours taken in the order shown:

Engl 1341/Date _____ Engl 1342/Date _____

Engl 2312/Date _____ Engl any 3 or 4 except 3312/Date _____

Foreign Language (Core requirements are for a minimum of **6 hours**. Joint CS and INST majors must demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language through the 3000 series course level. This may require as many as 12 semester hours beyond the core language requirements if the student is not able to demonstrate the required level of proficiency through appropriate tests.

Course 1: _____ Course 2: _____ Course 3: _____

Course 4: _____ Course 5: _____ Course 6: _____

_____ **History (6 hours)** For Joint CS and INST majors, the following is recommended:
 _____ History 1335 World community I, to 1750
 _____ History 1336 World Community II, since 1750

_____ **Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 hours)** For Joint majors, this university requirement must be fulfilled with:
 _____ Geography 2332 World Regional Geography, and
 _____ One of the following:
 Geography 4330 – Geography of Natural Resources or
 Geography 3333 – Urban Geography

_____ **Natural Sciences. (8 hours)** of laboratory sciences from among biology, chemistry, environmental studies, geology, and physics.
 Course 1/Date: _____ Course 2/Date: _____

_____ **Mathematics. (3 hours)** International Studies majors math requirement can be fulfilled by:
 _____ Math 3332 – Statistical Methods

_____ **Oral Communications (3 hours)** from one of the following:
 _____ Comm 1231 – Fundamentals of Oral Communication or
 _____ Comm 1331 – Public Speaking or
 _____ Comm 2331 – Forensics or
 _____ Comm 2332 – Persuasion and Argumentation

_____ **Fine Arts (3 hours):**
Arths Any upper division CS cross-listed course.

COURSES WITHIN THE INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MAJOR (30 HOURS)

REQUIRED COURSES:

- _____ INST 1351 Introduction to International Studies
- _____ INST 2352 Research Methods in International Studies
- _____ INST 3351 Comparative Political Systems
- _____ INST 3352 International Politics
- _____ INST 3354 International Political Economy
- _____ INST 3355 Intercultural Issues
- _____ Plus one of the following regional studies:
- _____ INST 3357 Regional Study of Europe
- _____ INST 3359 Regional Study of Latin America
- _____ INST 3360 Regional Study of East Asia
- _____ INST 3363 Regional Study of North Africa and the Middle East
- _____ INST 4354 American Foreign Policy
- _____ INST 4393 Special Topics in International Studies
- _____ INST 4399 Senior Thesis in International Studies

NOTE: With the approval of the director of the Center for International Studies, a 4392 Directed Readings/Independent Study, 4395 Special Topic course, or other appropriate courses may be substituted for one of the above requirements.

Other requirements for all International Studies Majors

Each International Studies Major must complete one of the following International Experiences:

- _____ 1. Study Abroad. Depending upon the courses taken, credits will apply to the University core, International Studies requirements, or electives.
- _____ 2. Internship in International Business, Government Organization, or Non Governmental Organization. If taken for academic credit, may substitute for one of the other requirements within the INST major.
- _____ 3. Structured experience abroad without academic credit. Requires prior approval by the Director of the Center for International Studies.

COURSES WITHIN THE CATHOLIC STUDIES MAJOR (30 HOURS)

REQUIRED COURSES:

- _____ CS 3300 Mapping the Catholic Cultural Landscape
- _____ CS 3310 Opening to Transcendence: Rediscovering Symbol
- _____ CS 3320 Catholicism and the Natural and Social Sciences
- _____ CS 4300 Catholic Impact on the Profession (Capstone Course)

18 HOURS OF CS CROSS-LISTED COURSES FROM AT LEAST FOUR DIFFERENT DISCIPLINES.

CAPSTONE EXPERIENCE

For students pursuing a joint major in Catholic Studies/ International Studies, *CS 4300 Catholic Impact on the Profession* is required to fulfill the capstone course.

- ELECTIVES:**
- 1. _____
 - 2. _____