**ADVISING NEWSLETTER**

**REGISTRATION FOR SPRING 2018**

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This guide is designed to help you with planning your major in International Studies. It is divided into two sections. The first contains useful announcements regarding registration. The second explains the courses available in Spring 2018 that fulfill core requirements for the IS major as well as the individual specializations.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Group Advising for Freshmen**

A group advising session for Freshmen will be held as part of the HSS 099 course on Wednesday, October 25. The session will discuss the registration process, strategies for how best to fulfill the requirements of the International Studies major, and suggestions for how and when to set up your study abroad experience. All students who attend this session will have their advising holds lifted from their accounts.

**Individual Advising**

If you would like registration advice, please schedule a meeting with your assigned advisor or Professor Bender. Prior to the meeting:

* run your PAWS Academic Requirements report,
* look at the requirements in the Undergraduate Bulletin (<http://www.tcnj.edu/~bulletin/current/International_Studies.pdf>), and
* write a draft schedule for the semester.

Consider asking questions about issues beyond the semester, such as study abroad or plans after graduation. For guidance on how to prepare better for your advisement session and plan your academic career, see the “Advising” links on the School of Humanities &Social Sciences website: <http://hss.pages.tcnj.edu/advising-resources/>

If a course is full or reserved for majors, please ask the instructor if you can have permission to enroll. If you continue to have problems, please contact Professor Bender.

**Academic Holds**

If you have an advising hold on your PAWS account, please make an appointment with Professor Bender well ahead of your registration date.

**Overloading**

The standard semester academic load at TCNJ is 4 units per semester. If you wish to take more than 4.5 units, you may do so only once, have a minimum of a 3.3 GPA, have been at TCNJ for at least a full academic semester, and have obtained permission from Professor Bender and the Assistant Dean of Humanities and Social Sciences.

The exception to this rule is if you are enrolled in an Intensive Language. If you are in an intensive section of Arabic, Chinese, Japanese, or Russian, and are not a first-semester Freshman, you may request to take a fifth course. This must be approved by Professor Bender and the Assistant Dean.

**A Note about Business Courses**

Please take your upper level economics/international business course in the semester immediately after you take ECO 102: Macroeconomics. Since better mathematical skills improve student performance in economics courses, ECO 102 requires one of the following as a prerequisite: MAT 95, 96, 125, 127 or 128.

**Specializations**

All International Studies majors need to choose a specialization for their major. This should be done by January 22, the first day of spring classes. To choose a specialization, pick up a Specialization Declaration Form from outside SSB 219, fill it out, and hand it in to Dr. Bender. If you have any questions about which specialization to choose, please set up a meeting with your advisor.

**Study Abroad**

A reminder that all International Studies majors are required to study abroad for a minimum of one academic semester (and you must pass at least 3 units). It is essential that you plan this in advance, in order to ensure that you are taking the correct courses and select a study abroad program that is well suited to your studies.

In planning your study abroad experience, be sure to consider programs/countries that complement your overall program of study. If you are studying French, for example, consider sites where you can work on your language skills. If you are interested in international development, consider programs that have a special strength in this area. Avoid selecting a study abroad program just because you really want to visit a country. Think of how your choice fits within your broader program of study.

The deadline for Fall 2018 study abroad applications will be around the end of February.

Please ask early for letters of recommendation. Professor Bender can assist with filling out your Academic Evaluation form – please bring printed descriptions of the course you want to take while abroad.

**Languages Across the Curriculum**

Many courses on this list can be complimented with Languages Across the Curriculum credit. This is a one-quarter unit independent study whereby those students who have intermediate level proficiency in another language complement work in a course by utilizing their language skills. Students must enroll before the add/drop deadline. Please visit the LAC website at http://internationalstudies.pages.tcnj.edu/student-resources/languages/ or contact Dr. Compte for more information ([dcompte@tcnj.edu](mailto:dcompte@tcnj.edu)).

**Requirements for the Major**

Twelve total course units are required for the International Studies major. Each student completes five courses as part of the major core and seven courses in an area of specialization. The courses for the specializations are drawn from across the Humanities and Social Sciences as well as the School of Business. **Only one course at the 100-level may be counted toward a specialization.**

The Major’s Core Requirements include:

INT 200: International Studies – Processes, Themes, and Issues

ECO 102: Principles of Macoreconomics

INT 498: Senior Seminar

2 units of a Foreign Language at the 200-level or above, relevant to the chosen specialization

The Specialization Options include:

Diplomacy

International Trade and Economics

Global Health, Development, and Environment

Asian Studies

African Studies

Chinese Studies

European Studies

Latin American and Caribbean Studies

Middle Eastern Studies

Study abroad is an important component of the major. Students are required to demonstrate at least one semester of successful academic achievement in a foreign university relevant to their field of study. A full year of study abroad is encouraged. Successful study abroad is defined as passing at least three classes for a minimum of 2.25 TCNJ units. Please consult your International Studies advisor and the [Center for Global Engagement](http://cge.pages.tcnj.edu/) for the most suitable site and program.

**COURSE OFFERINGS FOR SPRING 2018**

The following courses are being offered in the Spring 2018 semester. They are listed by the specialization, and by the specific requirement that they fulfill.

**DIPLOMACY**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Language 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, Spanish

**History 1 course unit**

HIS 370: The US in World History

**Humanities Option 1 course unit**

HGS 200: Genocide and Human Rights

HGS 210: Non-Violence and Peace Action

HGS 370: Topics in Holocaust and Genocide Studies (when relevant)

HIS 130: Topics, Asia

HIS 325: Modern Germany

HIS 335: Modern Japan

HIS 342: Modern Middle East

HIS 359: Modern Latin America

HIS 370: The US in World History

HIS 460: Readings Seminar in History, Cold War America

HIS 461: Readings Seminar in History, End of the 20th Century

**Political Science 1 course unit**

POL 335: International Organization

**Social Science Option 1 course unit**

CRI 340: International Terrorism

POL 335: International Organization

POL 370: Special Topics in Political Science

POL 380: International Political Economy

POL 390: Tutorial in Political Science

WGS 222: Non-Violence and Peace Action

**Business Option 1 course unit**

INB 260: Multinational Firms (ECO 101 or 102 prereq)

BUS 360: Issues in International Business

ECO 120: European Economic Thought

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International Economics (ECO 102 prereq)

FIN 340: International Finance (FIN 201 prereq)

FIN 335/INB 330: Capital Flows & Currency Crisis (ECO 102 prereq)

MKT 340: Marketing in International Environment (MKT 201 prereq)

**Elective courses** **2 course units**

ARA 171: Contemporary Arab World

BUS 360: Issues in International Business

CHI 371: Topics in Chinese (English)

CRI 340: International Terrorism

ECO 120: European Economic Thought

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International Economics

FIN 340: International Finance

FRE 370: Topics in French

HGS 200: Genocide and Human Rights

HGS 210: Non-Violence and Peace Action

HGS 370: Topics in Holocaust and Genocide Studies (when relevant)

HIS 130: Topics, Asia

HIS 325: Modern Germany

HIS 335: Modern Japan

HIS 342: Modern Middle East

HIS 359: Modern Latin America

HIS 370: The US in World History

HIS 460: Readings Seminar in History, Cold War America

HIS 461: Readings Seminar in History, End of the 20th Century

INB 260: Multinational Firms

POL 200: Political Analysis

POL 335: International Organization

POL 370: Special Topics in Political Science

POL 380: International Political Economy

POL 390: Tutorial in Political Science

SPA 216: Current Events in Spa-Speak World

WGS 222: Non-Violence and Peace Action

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**

**INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND TRADE**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Language 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, Spanish

**Humanities Option 2 course units**

HIS 130: Topics, Asia

HIS 325: Modern Germany

HIS 335: Modern Japan

HIS 342: Modern Middle East

HIS 359: Modern Latin America

HIS 370: The US in World History

HIS 460: Readings Seminar in History, Cold War America

HIS 461: Readings Seminar in History, End of the 20th Century

**Political Science 1 course unit**

POL 380: International Political Economy

**Social Science Option 1 course unit**

POL 335: International Organization

POL 370 Special Topics in Political Science

POL 390: Tutorial in Political Science

POL 498: Seminar in Political Science

WGS 222: Non-Violence and Peace Action

**Business 2 Course Units**

BUS 360: Issues in International Business

ECO 120: European Economic History

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International Economics

FIN 201: Fundamental Financial Methods

FIN 340: International Finance (prereq FIN 201)

INB 260: Multinational Firms

INB 330: Capital Flows & Currency Crisis

MGT 201: Management Principles and Practices

MGT 310: Cross-Cultural Management (prereq MGT 201)

MKT 340: Marketing in Intl Environment

**Elective course 1 course unit**

BUS 360: Issues in International Business

ECO 120: European Economic History

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International Economics

FIN 201: Fundamental Financial Methods

FIN 340: International Finance (prereq FIN 201)

HIS 130: Topics, Asia

HIS 325: Modern Germany

HIS 335: Modern Japan

HIS 342: Modern Middle East

HIS 359: Modern Latin America

HIS 370: The US in World History

HIS 388: Environmental History

HIS 460: Readings Seminar in History, Cold War America

HIS 461: Readings Seminar in History, End of the 20th Century

INB 260: Multinational Firms

INB 330: Capital Flows & Currency Crisis

MGT 201: Management Principles and Practices

MGT 310: Cross-Cultural Management (prereq MGT 201)

MKT 340: Marketing in Intl Environment

POL 200: Political Analysis

POL 335: International Organization

POL 370: Special Topics in Political Science

POL 390: Tutorial in Political Science

POL 498: Seminar in Political Science

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**

**ASIAN STUDIES**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Languages 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: Chinese, Japanese, Arabic

**History 1 course unit**

HIS 335: Modern Japan

**Humanities Option 1 course unit**

CHI 371: Topics in Chinese (English)

HIS 330: Post-Mao China

HIS 335: Modern Japan

REL 110: World Religions

REL 111: Buddhism and Buddhist Thought

REL 210: Indian Philosophy

**Political Science 1 course unit**

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

**Social Science Option 1 course unit**

CRI 340: International Terrorism

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

**Business Options 1 course unit**

INB 260: Multinational firms

BUS 360: Issues in International Business law

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International economics

FIN 340: International Finance

INB 330: Capital Flows and Currency Crisis

**Asian Studies Electives 2 course units**

CHI 252: Second-year Intensive Chinese II

CHI 371: Topics in Chinese (English)

CRI 340: International Terrorism

BUS 360: Issues in International Business law

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International economics

FIN 340: International Finance

HGS 210: Non-Violence and Peace Action

HIS 330: Post-Mao China

HIS 335: Modern Japan

INB 260: Multinational firms

INB 330: Capital Flows and Currency Crisis

JPN 171: Contemporary Japan

JPN 301: Advanced Japanese I

POL 200: Political Analysis

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

RUS 252: Second-Year Intensive Russian II

Courses in relevant Asian languages taken during study abroad (not offered at TCNJ, such as Hindi, Urdu, Thai, etc.) will be counted as electives toward this specialization.

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**

**EUROPEAN STUDIES**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Language 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: French, German, Italian, Russian, Spanish

**History Options 1 course unit**

HIS 325: Modern Germany

**Humanities Options 1 course unit**

AAH 221: Arts of Medieval Europe

AAH 253: Twentieth Century Art

HGS 200: Genocide and Human Rights

HGS 210: Non-Violence and Peace Action

HIS 130: Contemporary Russia

HIS 325: Modern Germany

HIS 461: Readings Seminar, End of the 20th century

HIS 462: Readings Seminar, Early Medieval Religion

HIS 462: Readings Seminar, Icelandic Saga in the Viking Era

LIT 354: Middle English Literature

LIT 357: Early Modern British Literature

LIT 360: British Augustanism and its Rivals

**Political Science 1 course unit**

No courses offered Spring 2018

**Social Sciences Option 1 course unit**

CRI 340: International Terrorism

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

SOC 303: Women in World Perspective

**Business Option 1 course unit**

INB 260: Multinational firms

BUS 360: Issues in International Business law

ECO 120: European Economic History

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International economics

FIN 340: International Finance

INB 330: Capital Flows and Currency Crisis

MGT 310: Cross- Cultural Management

MKT 340: Marketing in International Environment

**European Studies Electives 2 course units**

French

FRE 211: Intermediate French Composition and Conversation

FRE 301: Advanced French Conversation and Composition I

FRE 370: Topics in French (French)

WLC 220: Introduction to Romance Linguistics (with LAC)

WLC 371: Topics in Foreign Literature in English (with LAC)

Italian

ITL 171: Contemporary Italy

ITL 203: Intermediate Oral Proficiency

ITL 351: Italian Cinema from 1945 to the Present

WLC 220: Introduction to Romance Linguistics (with LAC)

WLC 371: Topics in Foreign Literature in English (with LAC)

German

GER 203: German Grammar Review

HIS 325: Modern Germany (with LAC)

Russian

RUS 171: Contemporary Russia

RUS 252: Second Year Intensive Russian II

Spanish

SPA 203: Intermediate Oral Proficiency

SPA 211: Intermediate Writing Proficiency

SPA 215: Spanish Phonetics

SPA 216: Current Events in the Spanish-speaking World

SPA 218: Business Spanish

SPA 219: Spanish for Medical Purposes

SPA 241: Introduction to Literature in Spanish

SPA 348: Seminar in Hispanic Film

SPA 370: Topics

WLC 220: Introduction to Romance Linguistics (with LAC)

WLC 371: Topics in Foreign Literature in English (with LAC)

Comparative

AAH 221: Arts of Medieval Europe

AAH 253: Twentieth Century Art

CRI 340: International Terrorism

LIT 354: Middle English Literature

LIT 357: Early Modern British Literature

LIT 360: British Augustanism and its Rivals

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

POL 390: Tutorial in Political Science (when relevant)

POL 498: Seminar in Political Science (when relevant)

SOC 303: Women in World Perspective

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**

**LATIN AMERICAN and CARIBBEAN STUDIES**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Languages 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: French, Spanish

**History 1 course unit**

HIS 359: Modern Latin America

**Humanities Option 1 course unit**

LIT 334: Lit by Latinas and Latin American Women

**Political Science 1 course unit**

No courses offered Spring 2018

**Social Sciences Option 1 course unit**

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

**Business Option 1 course unit**

INB 260: Multinational Firms

BUS 360: Issues in International Business

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International Economics

FIN 340: International Finance

**Latin American and Caribbean Electives 2 course units**

FRE 301: Advanced French Comp and Conv

FRE 370: Topics in French (if applicable)

HIS 359: Modern Latin America

LIT 334/WGS 360: Lit by Latinas and Latin Am Women

LIT 335: Caribbean Women Writers

POL 200: Political Analysis

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

SPA 215: Spanish Phonetics

SPA 218: Business Spanish

SPA 219: Spanish for Medical Purposes

SPA 241: Intro to Lit in Spanish

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**

**MIDDLE EASTERN STUDIES**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Languages 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: Arabic

**History Option 1 course unit**

HIS 342: Modern Middle East

**Humanities Option 1 course unit**

HIS 342: Modern Middle East

REL 110: World Religions

**Political Science 1 course unit**

No courses offered Spring 2018

**Social Sciences Option 1 course unit**

CRI 340: International Terrorism

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

POL 390: Tutorial in Political Science (when relevant)

SOC 370: Topics in Sociology (Sociology of Islam)

**Business Option 1 course unit**

INB 260: Multinational firms

BUS 360: Issues in International Business law

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International economics

FIN 340: International Finance

INB 330: Capital Flows and Currency Crisis

MGT 310: Cross- Cultural Management

MKT 340: Marketing in International Environment

**Middle Eastern Electives 2 course units**

ARA 171: Contemporary Arab World

ARA 252: Second-Year Intensive Arabic II

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International economics

FIN 340: International Finance

HIS 342: Modern Middle East

INB 260: Multinational firms

INB 330: Capital Flows and Currency Crisis

MGT 310: Cross- Cultural Management

MKT 340: Marketing in International Environment

POL 200: Political Analysis

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

REL 110: World Religions

SOC 370: Topics in Sociology (Sociology of Islam)

Courses in relevant Middle Eastern languages taken during study abroad (not offered at TCNJ, such as Modern Hebrew, etc.) will be counted as electives toward this specialization.

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**

**AFRICAN STUDIES**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Language 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: French, Arabic

**History 1 course unit**

No courses offered Spring 2018

**Humanities Option 1 course unit**

No courses offered Spring 2018

**Political Science Option 1 course unit**

No courses offered Spring 2018

**Social Science Option 1 course unit**

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

**Business Option 1 course unit**

INB 260: Multinational Firms

BUS 360: Issues in International Business

ECO 120: European Economic History

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International Economics

FIN 340: International Finance

**African Electives 2 course units**

HGS 200: Genocide and Human Rights

HGS 210: Non-Violence and Peace Action

POL 200: Political Analysis

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

Courses in relevant African languages taken during study abroad (not offered at TCNJ, such as Swahili, Wolof, etc.) will be counted as electives toward this specialization.

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**

**CHINESE STUDIES**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Language 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: Chinese

**History 1 course unit**

HIS 330: Post-Mao China

**Humanities Option 1 course unit**

CHI 371: Topics in Chinese (English)

REL 111: Buddhism and Buddhist Thought

**Political Science Option 1 course unit**

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

**Social Science Option 1 course unit**

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

**Business Option 1 course unit**

INB 260: Multinational firms

BUS 360: Issues in International Business law

ECO 120: European Economic History

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International economics

FIN 340: International Finance

INB 330: Capital Flows and Currency Crisis

**Chinese Electives 2 course units**

CHI 252: Second-year Intensive Chinese II

CHI 371: Topics in Chinese (English)

BUS 360: Issues in International Business law

ECO 120: European Economic History

ECO 210: History of Economic Thought

ECO 340: International economics

FIN 340: International Finance

HGS 210: Non-Violence and Peace Action

HIS 330: Post-Mao China

HIS 335: Modern Japan

INB 260: Multinational firms

INB 330: Capital Flows and Currency Crisis

POL 200: Political Analysis

POL 230: International Relations

POL 335: International Organization

POL 380: International Political Economy

Courses in relevant African languages taken during study abroad (not offered at TCNJ, such as Swahili, Wolof, etc.) will be counted as electives toward this specialization.

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**

**GLOBAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENT and ENVIRONMENT STUDIES**

**INT 200: International Studies: Processes, Themes, and Issues 1 course unit**

**ECO 102: Principles of Macroeconomics 1 course unit**

Several Spring 2018 offerings (See PAWS)

**Foreign Language 2 course units at 200 level or above**

Languages: Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, Spanish

**Health, Development & Environment Core 2 course units**

HIS 388: Environmental History

**Humanities Option 1 course unit**

HIS 342: Modern Middle East

HIS 359: Modern Latin America

PHL 265: Environmental Ethics

**Social Science Option 1 course unit**

PBH 240: Intro to Epidemiology

ANT 341: Environmental Anthropology

POL 370: Global Environmental Politics

**Business Option 1 course unit**

ECO 350: Economics of Environmental Quality (prereq ECO 101)

**Health, Development and Environment Electives 2 course units**

ANT 341: Environmental Anthropology

ECO 350: Economics of Environmental Quality (prereq ECO 101)

HIS 388: Environmental History

PHL 265: Environmental Ethics

POL 200: Political Analysis

POL 370: Global Environmental Politics

POL 380: International Political Economy

SOC 345: Inequality, Pollution, and the Environment

Courses in languages taken during study abroad (not offered at TCNJ) may be counted as electives toward this specialization.

**Study abroad experience** (includes some courses which will fulfill above requirements)

**INT 498/Senior Seminar in International Studies (capstone course) 1 course unit**