**Interdisciplinary Minor in Foreign Service***

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This interdisciplinary minor is intended to help its participants prepare for an international career, whether with the U.S. State Department, with international non-governmental organizations, with international organizations, or in the private sector. It is open to any undergraduate enrolled at Saint Louis University. All majors qualify.

Upon joining the program, students must meet individually with the program director to draw up a study plan tailored to the career goals of individual participants and identify the courses that will best serve that purpose.

This is a 24-hour program organized as follows:

Required Political Science courses (6 hours)
POLS 1600 Introduction to International Politics
POLS 2610 Introduction to Diplomacy

A 10-page career-oriented capstone paper. This paper should be planned in the junior year and written in the senior year, working in consultation with the program director. The paper is due the 2nd Monday of April before graduation (or the Monday following Thanksgiving for those graduating in December).

Nine hours of elective courses from other departments. (Choose from these courses or others approved by the program director):

POLS 2510 West European Politics
POLS 2520 Intro to African Politics
POLS 2530 Soviet and Post-Soviet Politics
POLS 2540 Ethnicity and Internal War
POLS 2550 Political Systems of Sub-Saharan Africa
POLS 2560 Politics of Asia
POLS 2600 Intro to Political Economy
POLS 2640 International Terrorism
POLS 2650 War & Peace in Middle East
POLS 2660 Middle East in International Politics
POLS 3500 The Asian Miracles
POLS 3510 Rebirth of Democracy
POLS 3520 Communism, Capitalism and Social Justice
POLS 3530 Comparative Revolution
POLS 3567 Political Development in Contemporary Spain
POLS 3600 Problems of Globalization
POLS 3610 Multilateral Diplomacy
POLS 3620 International Organization and the Management of World Problems

POLS 3650 International Relations of Africa
POLS 3914 Foreign Service Internship
POLS 3918 Overseas Fieldwork
POLS 4500 Russian Political Culture
POLS 4730 Contemporary Political Ideologies
POLS 4660 Asymmetric Warfare
POLS 4980 Advanced Independent Study: Students with 3.3 GPA or better may offer three hours of independent research

Nine hours of electives from other departments. (Choose from these courses or others approved by the program director):

ECON 3790 Economies of Latin America
ECON 3850 Pol. Economy European Union
ECON 4300 International Trade
ECON 4310 Exchange Rates and Global Economy
ECON 4560 Economic Development
HIST 2710 China and Japan Since 1600
HIST 3140 20th Century Europe: World Wars
HIST 3180 Modern Latin America
HIST 3250 The World in Conflict Since 1945
HIST 3290 Russia Since 1905
HIST 3310 Modern European Diplomatic History, 1914-Present
HIST 3540 U.S. Diplomatic History, 1900-1945
HIST 3550 U.S. Diplomatic History Since 1945
HIST 3810 Islamic Civilization
HIST 3820 Islamic Middle East
HIST 3830 Modern Middle East
PSY 4270 Cross-Cultural Psychology
SOC 1180 World Geography
SOC 3350 Social Movements
SOC 3610 Sociology of International Relations
THEO 2515 Social Justice
THEO 2710 Religion of the World
THEO 2715 Jerusalem: Three Faiths, One City
THEO 2820 Religion and Science
THEO 2905 Death and Suffering
THEO 3335 Christians in the Middle East
THEO 3515 Poverty, Wealth & Justice
THEO 3510 Faith and Politics
THEO 3710 Arts of Hinduism and Buddhism
THEO 4510 War and Peace in the Christian Tradition
THEO 4810 Nicaragua: Theology and Culture