



2017 Study Plan Bachelor of International Studies

| Year 1 | | | | |
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| S1 | POLIS 1104 Comparative Politics of Rising Powers | ARTS 1007 The Enquiring Mind: Freedom and Media (semester 1 or 2 or Winter School) | Minor Level I | Language Level I (*If exempt from language studies: International Studies Closed Elective Level I) |
| S2 | POLIS 1102 Global Politics | International Studies Closed Elective Level I (selected from any stream) | Minor Level I | Language Level I (*If exempt from language studies: International Studies Closed Elective Level I) |
| Year 2 | | | | |
| S1 | POLIS 2124 Global Justice and International Order | International Studies Closed Elective Level II | Minor Level II | ^Language Level II (*If exempt from language studies: International Studies Closed Elective Level II) |
| S2 | International Studies Closed Elective Level II | International Studies Closed Elective Level II | Minor Level II | Arts Elective Level II (or continue language studies to achieve a second minor) |
| Year 3 | | | | |
| S1 | POLIS 3107 International Studies Internship or POLIS 3108 International Studies Capstone (not available 2017) 6 units | | Minor Level III | Arts Elective Level II or III (or continue language studies to achieve a second minor) |
| S2 | International Studies Closed Elective Level III | International Studies Closed Elective Level III | Minor Level III | Arts Elective Level II or III (or continue language studies to achieve a second minor) |
| | International Studies course (core, language & closed electives) | Minor course | Compulsory course | Arts Elective course |

Degree information

You will complete 23 courses (72 units) to finish your degree, with not more than 8 courses (24 units) at Level I and at least 16 courses (48 units) at Levels II and III. Most courses are worth 3 units each, except some Level III courses which are worth 6 units. The Bachelor of International Studies requires completion of core courses, International Studies closed electives, a mandatory language component*, a minor and open electives.

International Studies Courses

There are five core courses (18 units) that you must complete for your degree. There are also six international studies closed elective courses (18 units), which you choose from a specific list. The closed electives are grouped into four streams as a guide only, should you wish to focus your electives in a particular area: Asia's Rising Powers, Global Citizenship, Global Governance and Justice, and International Security. You can access the closed elective list at: www.arts.adelaide.edu.au/current-students/undergrad/majorsminors/.

Global Experience

A Global Learning experience may be included in your program. One option is to study a global stream within the program - in addition to studying POLIS 1102 and POLIS 2124, you are able to study an additional 6 units of either overseas study tours or exchange programs in your second year of study. Please email arts@adelaide.edu.au for more information.

The Minor

You will complete a minor as part of this degree comprising six courses (18 units) from one of the following disciplines: *Asian Studies, Geography Environment and Population, History, International Business, or International Development*. A second minor may also be completed in a language. No more than two Level I courses (6 units) can count towards the minor. You can access minor lists on the Faculty of Arts website at: www.arts.adelaide.edu.au/current-students/undergrad/majorsminors/

Mandatory Language Component (9 units)

You must complete a minimum of three courses (9 units) in Language Studies (6 units of Language at Level I and 3 units of Culture at Level II) chosen from the following disciplines: *Chinese Studies, French Studies, German Studies, Indonesian Studies, Italian Studies, Japanese Studies or Spanish Studies*. Refer to the minor lists to select your language courses.

You may complete a minimum of 9 units or pursue a second minor in your chosen language (in place of Arts electives).

*Exemption: International students, students studying a diploma in languages or a language major or minor in another degree are exempt from completing the mandatory language component, although may complete language units in a different language if they wish. Students who are exempt from language study must complete International Studies closed electives instead. These can be selected from any stream.

^Language Level II: if you wish to only study the mandatory 9 units of language, you must enrol in a Culture Level II course in semester 1 of second year. If you wish to continue your language studies to achieve a second minor, please check the minor of your particular language at www.arts.adelaide.edu.au/current-students/undergrad/majorsminors/

Arts Electives

Three open electives (9 units) can be chosen from any faculty in the University. Electives can be from the same or different areas of study. To view elective course options, visit:

www.arts.adelaide.edu.au/current-students/undergrad/courses/

Further Information and Enrolment Advice

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