

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MINOR
COLLEGE OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
 THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Minimum Total Hours 15
 Upper Division Hours 9

Minor in International
 Security Studies
 N603

The requirements for a minor must be completed concurrently with the major degree requirements. No minor may be added by completing courses after receiving the bachelor's degree.

REQUIRED COURSES

1. Language (3 hours) – Third semester foreign language:
 - ARAB 2113 • HEBR 2113 • PORT 2113 • SPAN 2113
 - CHIN 2113 • JAPN 2113 • RUSS 2113

2. Social Sciences (6 hours) - Two courses from the following:
 - ECON 4713; 4853
 - GEOG 2603; 3513; 3243; 3203; 3253; 4433
 - IAS 2003; 2413; 2603; 3003 (Topics: Peace Operations; National Security Policy; Low Intensity Conflict); 3013; 3023; 3033; 3043; 3053; 3073; 3143; 3153; 3163; 3173; 3183; 3193; 3213; 3313; 3323; 3423; 3433; 3443; 3473; 3483; 3623; 3633; 3643; 4523; 4533; 4543
 - P SC 2603; 3020 (Topic: Genocide/US Intervention); 3053; 3090 (Topic: Tools of Statecraft); 3503; 3513; 3550 (Topic: Terrorism/ Political Violence); 3563; 3623; 3633; 3543; 3653; 3663; 3683; 4113; 4613

3. Arts and Humanities (6 hours) – Two courses from the following:
 - AFAM 2113; 4123; 4143
 - HIST 2713; 2803; 3723; 3783; 3903; 3923; 3953; 3963
 - RELS 2013; 2923; 3213; 3533; 3543; 4203

- At least 6 credit hours must be earned in courses acceptable for residence credit by standards set forth by the Department of International and Area Studies, excluding transfer, correspondence, and examination (AP, CLEP, Advanced Standing) credit.
- Students must successfully complete at least 15 hours of coursework in International Security Studies, including at least 9 hours at the upper-division level.
- Students are encouraged to study abroad in a strategic area of the world. Courses taken while studying abroad may also be substituted to meet minor requirements, though they might not satisfy General Education requirements.
- All courses listed are approved for International Security Studies, though not all courses have been approved for General Education credit. Students may take other appropriate courses as approved by the Academic Adviser.
- No single course may be used by a student to satisfy a major requirement and a minor requirement. A course may be used, however, to satisfy both a major support requirement and a minor requirement. Requests to substitute a minor requirement must be approved in writing by the International Security Studies coordinator.

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Minors are available to all undergraduate students at OU. If the minor is officially declared, successfully completed, and noted on the graduation application, the student's transcript will so indicate at the time the bachelor's degree is posted.