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

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Minimum Total Hours **15**

Upper Division Hours **9**

Minor in
Iranian Studies
N609

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

IAS 2003, Understanding the Global Community	3
Language (3 hours) – Third semester foreign language: • **PERS 2113**	3
Nine (9) additional upper-division level hours from the list below. Three (3) of the hours must be taken in the Department of International and Area Studies. • **IAS 3223** Modern Iran • **IAS 3403** US-Iranian Relations • **IAS 3413** Iran and Islam to 1800 • **IAS 3493** Iran Since 1979 • **IAS 3683** Poverty and Inequality in the Middle East • **IAS 3753** Youth Culture in Contemporary Iran • **FMS 3843** Topics in National Cinema: Iranian Cinema • **ARCH 4183** Survey of Middle Eastern Architecture Or other courses as approved by an IAS Academic Adviser	
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- Students must successfully complete at least 15 hours of coursework in international studies, including at least 9 hours at the upper-division level.
- 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.
- A minimum of 6 of the required 15 hours must be taken in the Department of International and Area Studies.
- Students are encouraged to study abroad. Courses taken while studying abroad may also be substituted to meet minor requirements, though they might not satisfy General Education requirements.
- A list of approved courses for the minor may be obtained in the IAS Academic Advising Office or on the departmental website.
- 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 Iranian Studies coordinator.

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.