

GLOBAL POLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, MAJOR (0340)

Western Sydney University Major Code: 0340

Available to students in other Western Sydney University programs?

No

Global Politics and International Relations is concerned with relations among states, the role of international organisations and, foreign policies and power relations between countries. The major will examine the interaction of society, economy and politics across national boundaries. Students will develop knowledge of global politics and analyse the theory and practice of international relations by examining how communities respond to globalisation, migration, poverty and climate change. Students will also examine the influence of global movements and issues, such as environmentalism and religion and how contemporary global challenges are understood and addressed by political actors, from nation states to global social movements.

Location

Campus	Mode	Advice
Bankstown City Campus	Internal	enquiriesHCA@westernsydney.edu.au
Parramatta Campus - Victoria Road	Internal	enquiriesHCA@westernsydney.edu.au

Major Structure

Students must complete **80 credit points** as follows.

Complete the following compulsory subjects.

Subject	Title	Credit Points
POLI 1007	World Politics and International Relations	10
HUMN 3079	The Asian Century	10
Total Credit Points		20

Students must also **complete six subjects** from the following pools.

Subject	Title	Credit Points
Select two of the following:		20
HUMN 1026	Global Structures, Local Cultures	
HUMN 1028	Human Rights, Peace and Development	
BUSM 1015	Introduction to International Business	
HUMN 2001	A History of Modern Global Buddhism	
HUMN 2031	Islam in the Modern World	
HUMN 2032	Issues in World Development: Rich World, Poor World	
BUSM 2031	Managing in the Global Environment	
HUMN 2056	The Racial State	
Select four of the following:		40
HUMN 3030	Cyber Justice (UG)	
HUMN 3032	Dictators, Democrats and Dreamers: Indonesia 1942 to now	
POLI 3006	International Organisations and Global Governance	
POLI 3007	International Relations of Southeast Asia	

POLI 3008	International Special Study
POLI 3009	Looking at Global Politics Through Film
HUMN 3060	Modern Japanese History
HUMN 3064	Politics, Power and Resistance
HUMN 3093	War

Total Credit Points	60
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Related Programs

Bachelor of International Studies (1658) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2023-2024/programs/bachelor-international-studies/>)

Bachelor of International Studies/Bachelor of Laws (2758) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2023-2024/programs/bachelor-international-studies-bachelor-laws/>)

Bachelor of International Studies/Bachelor of Business (1820) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2023-2024/programs/bachelor-international-studies-bachelor-business/>)

Bachelor of International Studies/Bachelor of Laws (Honours) (2834) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2023-2024/programs/bachelor-international-studies-bachelor-laws-honours/>)

Bachelor of International Studies/Bachelor of Social Science (1807) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2023-2024/programs/bachelor-international-studies-bachelor-social-science/>)

Bachelor of Communication / Bachelor of International Studies (1932) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2023-2024/programs/bachelor-communication--bachelor-international-studies/>)