INTERNATIONAL SECURITY STUDIES COURSE LIST FALL 2017:

NOTE: Please make sure to pay attention to the hour requirements for your major or minor since a certain number of hours must be upper-division and some courses must be IAS designated. If you have ANY questions, please make sure to consult with an IAS Advisor.

Course list is subject to change.

ANTHROPOLOGY (ANTH)
4303 Women and Development in Africa

ECONOMICS (ECON)
4733 Economic Development in the Middle East

GEOGRAPHY (GEOG)
3513 Political Geography

HISTORY (HIST)
3713 History of Mexico, 1800-Present
3723 Africa Since 1945
3923 China Since 1911
3963 Rebirth of Israel
4503 Brazil, 1500-2000 (Rio)

HONORS COLLEGE (HON)
3993 Global Health, Poverty & Economic Development

INTERNATIONAL AND AREA STUDIES (IAS)
2003 Understanding the Global Community
3000 US/Brazil Political Systems (Rio)
3003 International Cooperation & Development
3003 Law & Public Policy:
  This course explores the relationship between law and policy making. We will review explanations for why law, lawyers, and courts have become powerful agents in government affairs, not just in the US, but also (and increasingly) in the developing world. We will use case studies in areas like race, gender, education, and environment to understand how social movements and interest groups use law and courts to seek change and why they succeed or fail. We will introduce contemporary sociolegal theories to shed light on forms of the law/policy interplay, other than litigation. Finally, we will discuss the consequences of such "legalization" or "juridification" of the policy process for democratic politics. Students will develop knowledge and skills by writing and sharing op-eds and policy memos on issues of their interest.
3003 Politics of International Systems
  This course introduces students to the workings of what International Relations (IR) scholars refer to as the international system. This interconnected set of institutions establishes the rules of the game for world politics, and provides the content of what is often referred to in media and political discussion as 'world order'. The course takes a

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hands-on approach, providing students the chance to study historical variants of international systems, as well as the opportunity to study the origins and evolution of the current international system. The course concludes with an examination of the likely future trajectory of this system. Thus, the course equips students to understand both trends and challenges across a range of pressing global issues.

3003 Small Wars/Low Conflict
3043 Global Security
3143 Chinese Politics
3273 The European Union
3323 Political Economy of Development
3413 Iran & Islam to 1800
3433 International Relations of the Middle East (Arezzo)
3643 Illicit Trafficking
3653 Energy, Climate & Security
3663 Comparative Politics of the Middle East
4013 Senior Capstone

Sec. 001 “Ethics & International Affairs”, TR 10:30-11:45am, Dr. Eric Heinze
While global events and affairs are largely driven by political actors vying for influence on the international scene, they also have an undeniable ethical dimension. From global terrorism, arms control, genocide, humanitarian intervention, global trade, and the global environment, ethical questions abound in the study of global politics. This course seeks to investigate the relationship between ethics and global politics. The focus of the class will be on the role that moral considerations play in determining how global actors behave, as well as the use of ethical frameworks as a way to appraise and critique global actors as they pursue their interests on the international scene.

Sec. 002 “Global Environment and Disease Crisis”, M 3:30-6:10pm, Dr. Miriam Gross
There are few larger threats to our global future than environmental and health crises. This class examines a series of global environmental and disease threats from the perspectives of international security, economic stability, global inequality, and social and familial well-being. Likely topics include: climate change, water scarcity, food security, pollution, AIDS, SARS, state-sponsored medical care, rural health care, chronic (lifestyle) diseases, over-population, and aging.

4533 Populism in the 20th Century South America (Crosslisted with HIST 4533)

POLITICAL SCIENCE (P SC)
2603 Governments Around the World (cross-listed with IAS 2603)
3550 Geopolitics
3563 U.S. Diplomatic History
3653 Government and Politics of Latin America
4873 Tools of Statecraft

RELIGIOUS STUDIES (RELS)
3563 Islamic Theology