MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

40 hours beyond General Education with a grade of ‘C-’ or better in each course with an overall 2.0 major GPA. 18 of these hours must be at the 3/4000 level. All major coursework must be selected from the approved course list published each semester by the International Affairs program.

REQUIRED COURSES

- INS2010: Professional Development for IA Majors (1 hour, S grade needed)
- INS3003: Introduction to International Affairs (3 hours, C- grade or better needed)
  - Can count towards the Upper Division Writing University Requirement

24 hours from the Asian Studies Area Specific course list

- Includes coursework from departments such as Art History, Economics, History, Modern Languages, Political Science, and Religion.

12 hours of International Affairs Electives from the approved course list

- Includes coursework from departments such as Anthropology, Economics, Geography, Modern Languages, Political Science, Public Administration, Philosophy, Religion, Sociology, and Urban and Regional Planning.

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

Students must complete coursework or demonstrate proficiency through the intermediate level in Chinese, Japanese, Arabic, Sanskrit, or another approved Asian language. Courses taken towards this requirement do not count toward major hours.

Optional Business Emphasis

An Asian Studies major with Business emphasis consists of 21 hours of Area Specific coursework and 15 hours of coursework from an approved list in either an International Marketing/Management or an International Finance track, along with the 4 hours of required courses and Language requirement.

Requirements for a MINOR in Asian Studies

Eighteen hours of coursework beyond General Education requirements with ‘C-’ grades or higher. All coursework for the minor must come from the Area Specific course list. A maximum of six semester hours of DIS or internship credits may apply to the minor. Modern language courses numbered above 2999 may count towards the minor. At least 9 of these 18 credit hours must be at the 3/4000 level.