GLOBAL STUDIES (GLBL)

GLBL 88. First-Year Seminar: Beg, Borrow, and Steal: The Political Economy of Aid, FDI, and Corruption. 3 Credits.
This seminar examines how politics and economics condition different countries' path towards and experience with foreign aid, foreign investment, and corruption. In doing so, the course will examine the effect of political conditions on economic outcomes and the effect of economic conditions on political outcomes.
Gen Ed: SS, GL.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 89. First-Year Seminar: Special Topics. 3 Credits.
Special topics course. Content will vary each semester. Honors version available
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit; may be repeated in the same term for different topics; 6 total credits. 2 total completions.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 89H. First-Year Seminar: Special Topics. 3 Credits.
Special topics course. Content will vary each semester.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit; may be repeated in the same term for different topics; 6 total credits. 2 total completions.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 110. Global Policy Issues. 3 Credits.
Global issues are challenges whose sources, impacts, and solutions extend beyond the borders of any one country. This course introduces students to some of the most pressing issues facing populations around the globe and to possible policy responses. Honors version available
Gen Ed: SS, GL.
Grading status: Letter grade
Same as: PLCY 110, PWAD 110.

GLBL 110H. Global Policy Issues. 3 Credits.
Global issues are challenges whose sources, impacts, and solutions extend beyond the borders of any one country. This course introduces students to some of the most pressing issues facing populations around the globe and to possible policy responses.
Gen Ed: SS, GL.
Grading status: Letter grade
Same as: PLCY 110H, PWAD 110H.

GLBL 181. Teaching Great Decisions. 1 Credit.
Permission of the department. This course gives credit to the Great Decisions coordinating committee for organizing the eight lectures in GLBL 381.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit. 3 total credits. 3 total completions.
Grading status: Pass/Fail.

GLBL 193. Global Studies Internship. 1 Credit.
Internship in a sponsoring organization whose work or mission is meaningfully connected to a global studies topic.
Gen Ed: EE- Academic Internship.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit. 3 total credits. 3 total completions.
Grading status: Pass/Fail.

GLBL 196. Independent Study. 1-12 Credits.
Permission of the instructor. Reading and research on special topics in global studies.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit. 12 total credits. 4 total completions.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 210. Global Issues and Globalization. 3 Credits.
Survey of international social, political, and cultural patterns in selected societies of Africa, Asia, America, and Europe, stressing comparative analysis of conflicts and change in different historical contexts. LAC recitation sections offered in French, German, and Spanish.
Gen Ed: GL.
Grading status: Letter grade
Same as: ANTH 210, GEOG 210, HIST 210, POLI 210.

GLBL 281. Phillips Ambassadors Program. 3 Credits.
This academic course is mandatory for Phillips Ambassadors. Course open only to Phillips Ambassadors.
Gen Ed: BN.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 290. Current Topics in Global Studies. 0.5-21 Credits.
An interdisciplinary approach to the study of the background, current status, and future prospects for one of a series of global issues such as the nuclear age, the environment, technological transition.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 381. Great Decisions. 1 Credit.
Eight evening guest lectures, with a discussion session after each, on eight issues in current foreign policy. May be repeated for credit. Students may not receive credit for both GLBL 381 and POLI 381.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit. 3 total credits. 3 total completions.
Grading status: Pass/Fail.

GLBL 382. Latin American Migrant Perspectives: Ethnography and Action. 3 Credits.
This course examines race as a theory and practice as it has been constructed in academic disciplines, popular culture, and social struggle.
Gen Ed: HS, GL.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 383. Global Whiteness. 3 Credits.
This course looks at race as a theory and practice as it has been constructed in academic disciplines, popular culture, and social struggle.
Gen Ed: HS, GL.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 390. Current Topics in Global Studies. 3 Credits.
Topics vary from semester to semester.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit; may be repeated in the same term for different topics; 12 total credits. 4 total completions.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 394. Great Decisions and International Relations. 2 Credits.
This course links the Great Decisions lecture series with readings and analyses of international relations. Its purpose is to provide the students on the Great Decisions coordinating committee with a practical and intellectual engagement with United States foreign policy and global issues.
Requisites: Pre- or corequisite, GLBL 381.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit. 6 total credits. 3 total completions.
Grading status: Pass/Fail.
GLBL 481. NGO Politics. 3 Credits.
This course will investigate how nongovernmental organizations emerge, how they structure their organizations, how they function, and how they influence public policy. Honors version available
Grading status: Letter grade.
GLBL 481H. NGO Politics. 3 Credits.
This course will investigate how nongovernmental organizations emerge, how they structure their organizations, how they function, and how they influence public policy.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 482. Soviet and Post-Soviet Politics and Institutions. 3 Credits.
This course is an introduction to the history and contemporary politics of the post-Soviet region and explores topics of religious, ethnic, and identity politics; international influences; and civil society and social movements. Honors version available
Grading status: Letter grade.
GLBL 482H. Soviet and Post-Soviet Politics and Institutions. 3 Credits.
This course is an introduction to the history and contemporary politics of the post-Soviet region and explores topics of religious, ethnic, and identity politics; international influences; and civil society and social movements.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 483. Comparative Health Systems. 3 Credits.
This course provides students with an understanding of the origins and comparative performance of a range of international healthcare systems. Honors version available
Grading status: Letter grade.
GLBL 483H. Comparative Health Systems. 3 Credits.
This course provides students with an understanding of the origins and comparative performance of a range of international healthcare systems.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 484. History and Politics of Central Asia. 3 Credits.
This course is an introduction of the history, politics, and societies of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, and Uzbekistan. The class explores the foundations and conditions of change in the modern history of these societies and investigates how these issues influence contemporary politics.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 485. Comparative Development. 3 Credits.
This course provides students with an understanding of the origins and evolution of development thinking, and exposure to the challenges facing practitioners of development, in some of its many substantive and geographical contexts.
Gen Ed: EE- Service Learning.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 486. Sports and Globalization. 3 Credits.
This course explores some of the relationships between sports and globalization and will delve into sports as an important social and cultural practice within larger social, cultural, and political forces shaping studies of globalization. Honors version available
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 486H. Sports and Globalization. 3 Credits.
This course explores some of the relationships between sports and globalization and will delve into sports as an important social and cultural practice within larger social, cultural, and political forces shaping studies of globalization.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 487. Social Movements: Rethinking Globalization. 3 Credits.
This course explores the history, objectives, and manifestations of global social movements. Honors version available
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 487H. Social Movements: Rethinking Globalization. 3 Credits.
This course explores the history, objectives, and manifestations of global social movements.
Grading status: Letter grade.
GLBL 489. Paradigms of Development and Social Change. 3 Credits.
By deliberately juxtaposing questions of global development with
an investigation of approaches in community organizing locally--
both through course material and service-learning assignments—the
course encourages students to develop a more critical understanding
of the relationship between development projects and emancipatory
frameworks.
Gen Ed: BN, EE: Service Learning.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 490. Current Topics. 3 Credits.
Current topics in international and area studies. Topics vary by semester.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 491H. Major Controversies in Human Rights. 3 Credits.
A forum for exploring conceptual and practical problems related to the
emergence of a global human rights regime after World War II. The course
analyzes relevant arguments, and students will consider whether it is
possible to construct a coherent, workable, universally accepted system
for articulating and enforcing human rights norms.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 492H. Global Food Films. 3 Credits.
Thinking about one of our most basic human needs illuminates aspects
of our own everyday lives, such as our relationship to nature, other
cultures, and to history, as well as our general assumptions about
humanity. Students will study films that explore cross-cultural differences
in the social and philosophical understandings of what it is to be human.
Gen Ed: VP.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 492. Global Food Films. 3 Credits.
Thinking about one of our most basic human needs illuminates aspects
of our own everyday lives, such as our relationship to nature, other
cultures, and to history, as well as our general assumptions about
humanity. Students will study films that explore cross-cultural differences
in the social and philosophical understandings of what it is to be human.
Honors version available
Gen Ed: VP.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 560. Human Rights, Ethics, and Global Issues. 3 Credits.
This seminar examines the political, economic and intellectual
developments that led to the emergence of human rights as a global
phenomenon historically and in the current phase of globalization. Also
engages with debates concerning the role of human rights as an ethical
philosophy in thinking through global issues.
Gen Ed: GL.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 691H. Honors in Global Studies. 3 Credits.
Permission of the instructor. Preparation for writing the honors thesis.
Gen Ed: EE: Mentored Research.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 692H. Honors in Global Studies. 3 Credits.
Permission of the instructor. Completion of the honors thesis and an oral
examination of the thesis.
Gen Ed: EE: Mentored Research.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 700. Introduction to Research and Theory in Global Studies. 3
Credits.
Global studies examines world systems, transnational processes, and
global-local interactions from a multi-disciplinary perspective. This
course will introduce students to current interdisciplinary theoretical
approaches to global studies and examine the primary topics of
contemporary research relating to the rise of a complex but increasingly
integrated world society.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 701. Political Economy of Development. 3 Credits.
This course will focus on the interactions of migration, labor rights,
human rights, economics, health disparities, and cross-border tensions.
Students with this concentration will also take at least one appropriate
disciplinary methodology class.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 702. Global Politics, Institutions, and Societies. 3 Credits.
This course will address global governance and global public policy;
interactions among states, international organizations, businesses,
social movements, and NGOs. It addresses the diffusion and promotion
of democracy and other norms and the interactions between political
institutions and social cleavages. Students with this concentration must
take one appropriate methodology class.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 703. Global Migration and Labor Rights. 3 Credits.
The course will focus on the interactions of migration, labor rights,
human rights, economics, health disparities, and cross-border tensions.
Students with this concentration will also take at least one appropriate
disciplinary methodology class.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 710. Monitoring and Evaluation for Peacebuilding Interventions. 2
Credits.
This introductory course offers a review of the core concepts, skills
and practical steps in monitoring and evaluation of coexistence and
peacebuilding interventions. The course will stress participatory methods
in monitoring and evaluation, in which multiple stakeholders are involved
in the process of planning, collecting, interpreting, synthesizing, and
using information. The course will feature case studies, proposals, and
organizational evaluation plans and reports.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 730. Identities and Transitions. 3 Credits.
Capstone course for the REEES concentration in the Global Studies MA
program. Interdisciplinary course focusing on the variety of problems
encountered by the societies of East European countries and successor
states of the former Soviet Union in their transition from communism to
democracy.
Grading status: Letter grade
Same as: POLI 746.

GLBL 890. Special Topics in Global Studies. 1-3 Credits.
Instructors and topics vary from semester to semester.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit; may be repeated in the same
term for different topics; 9 total credits. 3 total completions.
Grading status: Letter grade.
GLBL 893. Global Studies Internship and Field Experience. 1-9 Credits.
Students may earn academic credit toward degree requirements for completion of an internship or other field experience. Internship and work load must be approved by the Director of Graduate Studies. Specific guidelines must be followed earn academic credit.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 896. Independent Reading and Research. 3 Credits.
Permission of the instructor. Reading and research on special topics in global studies.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit; may be repeated in the same term for different topics; 6 total credits. 2 total completions.
Grading status: Letter grade.

GLBL 992. Master's (Non-Thesis). 3 Credits.
Master's thesis substitute paper; permission of the instructor required.
Repeat rules: May be repeated for credit.

GLBL 993. Master's Research and Thesis. 3-6 Credits.