Master of International Studies Degree Requirements

Students may choose from a specialization to complete coursework within a focus area.

Degrees earned will be distributed as: "Master of International Studies" without specialization specifications.

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<td>Colloquium in International Studies</td>
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Select one of the following:

- PS 530 Seminar In International Relations
- PS 533 Global Problems and Policy
- HI 554 History Of U. S. Foreign Relations, 1900-Present

Select one of the following:

- PS 540 Seminar In Comparative Politics
- PS 541 Political Islam
- PS 542 European Politics
- PS 543 Seminar in Latin American & Caribbean Politics
- PS 545 Comparative Systems of Law and Justice
- PS 546 The Politics of East Asia
- PS 547 Russian Politics
- PS 531 International Law
- PS 532 Seminar in Global Governance
- PS 536 Global Environmental Law and Policy

Select one of the following:

- ECG 540 Economic Development
- ECG 548 International Economics
- PS 539 International Political Economy

Specialization Courses 18

Select a specialization approved in conjunction with the academic committee.

Total Hours 36

Accelerated Bachelor's/Master's Degree Requirements

The Accelerated Bachelors/Master's (ABM) degree program allows exceptional undergraduate students at NC State an opportunity to complete the requirements for both the Bachelor’s and Master’s degrees at an accelerated pace. These undergraduate students may double count up to 12 credits and obtain a non-thesis Master's degree in the same field within 12 months of completing the Bachelor’s degree, or obtain a thesis-based Master’s degree in the same field within 18 months of completing the Bachelor’s degree.

This degree program also provides an opportunity for the Directors of Graduate Programs (DGP) at NC State to recruit rising juniors in their major to their graduate programs. However, permission to pursue an ABM degree program does not guarantee admission to the Graduate School. Admission is contingent on meeting eligibility requirements at the time of entering the graduate program.

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