

## **BA IN INTERNATIONAL STUDIES**

# WITH A CONCENTRATION IN PEACE STUDIES

### DEGREE IN THREE ACADEMIC MAP

**2020-2021 CATALOG YEAR** 

The Bachelor of Arts in International Studies with a Concentration in Peace Studies is an interdisciplinary major that focuses on issues related to the establishment and maintenance of global peace. To enhance their study, students are asked to choose a region of the world that is currently struggling with these issues and a language that matches the region. For example, Africa & the Middle East for the region and either Arabic or French for the language.

In addition to required major courses, students will complete a total of 18 hours in their chosen language. In many cases, students are able to complete a minor in their chosen language by taking one more language course and earning grades of C or better in each class.

We encourage students to participate in Study Abroad programs when possible and especially to seek out and obtain internships. Several of our students have been lucky enough to do internships abroad and accomplish both simultaneously! Our alumni work in multiple related fields both nationally and internationally. They can be found in government, education, business, and the military. Students today will be global leaders tomorrow!

Credit by Examination or Dual Credit upon Entry as a Freshman (earned through qualifying scores on appropriate Advanced Placement Exams, International Baccalaureate)\*:

UNT Course	Hrs.
ENGL 1310 College Writing 1 (C or better)	3
ENGL 1320 College Writing 2 (C or better)	3
MATH 1680 Elementary Probability & Statistics	3
ECON 1110 Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 1100 Principles of Microeconomics (also	3
satisfies CAO II)	
BIOL 1132 Environmental Science	3
HIST 2610 United States History to 1865	3
HIST 2620 United States History since 1865	3
PSCI 2305 US Political Behavior and Policy	3
PSCI 2306 US & TX Constitutions & Institutions	3
Total hours	30

#### Year 1 at UNT:

FALL	Hrs.
LANG 1010	3
INST 2100 (also satisfies CAO I)	3
Language/Philosophy/Culture (Advanced ANTH Recommended for Regional Choice)	3
Core Science	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15

#### **Milestones**

- See your INST Advisor to declare major.
- See your INST Advisor to plan for next semester.
- Consider Study Abroad for upcoming summer

#### Year 2 at UNT:

FALL	Hrs.
LANG 2040	3
Determinants of Violence (advanced)	3
Conflict Management (advanced)	3
Issues of Justice (advanced)	3
Regional Choice (advanced)	3
Total hours	15

#### Milestones

- See your Academic Advisor to plan for next semester.
- Prepare to do an internship (see INST Resources).

SPRING	Hrs.
LANG 1020	3
Peace Elective	3
PSCI 3500	3
Issues of Justice (advanced)	3
Creative Arts (University Core)	3
Total hours	15

#### Milestones

- See your Academic Advisor to plan for next semester.
- Prepare to do an internship (see INST Resources)

SPRING	Hrs.
LANG 2050	3
Determinants of Violence (advanced)	3
Conflict Management (advanced)	3
Peace Elective	3
Regional Choice (advanced)	3
Total hours	15

#### Milestones

- See your Academic Advisor to plan for next semester and be enrolled in INST 4851 Capstone for fall.
- Prepare to do an internship (see the INST Resources).

#### Year 3 at UNT:

FALL	Hrs.
LANG (advanced)	3
INST 4851 Capstone	3
Communication & Digital Skills Distribution	3
Course (advanced)	3
Elective	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15

#### Milestones

- See your INST advisor to plan for next semester and spring graduation.
- Complete an internship
- Update resume and start job search (see Career Center).

SPRING	Hrs.
LANG (advanced)	3
Elective	3
Diversity & Global Issues Distribution	3
Course (advanced)	
Elective	3
Elective	3
Total hours	15

#### Milestones

- Apply for graduation within the first two weeks.
- Reach a total of at least 42 advanced hours.
- Reach a total of at least 120 credit hours.
- \* An explanation of UNT credit for qualifying AP/IB scores is available online at <a href="http://catalog.unt.edu">http://catalog.unt.edu</a> under the Admissions section of the catalog. Additionally dual enrollment equivalents are also listed in the catalog under the TCCNS chart section.