

Program Planning Guide

Bachelor of Arts: Joint Global & International Studies and Political Science

YOUR COURSE PLANNING: This worksheet has been created as a guide for admitted students. Note that your course planning may look different than another student; this worksheet has been designed for students wishing to complete their program within a four-year timeline. Students may elect to take part-time studies or a reduced course load. Refer to the [Undergraduate Academic Regulations](#) within the Undergraduate Calendar for more information.

For requirements that have a “pick list” (i.e. *choose one of*) please visit the Undergraduate Calendar to see a detailed list. Note the list or requirements may change, so please ensure you follow the appropriate requirements (the [2021-2022 Undergraduate Calendar](#)). After July 1, 2021, you can find the calendar in a [PDF format](#).

100/200 Level Requirements			
Requirements	Credit Hours	Course Selected	Done
ECON 100	3		
ECON 101	3		
INTS 100	3		
POLS 100	3		
ECON 205 or STAT 240	3		
INTS 210	3		
POLS 200	3		
POLS 202	3		
POLS 230	3		
POLS 270	3		
Language Requirement			
One of: GEOG 220, GEOG 222, HIST 281, INTS 200, INTS 204, INTS 207, INTS 240	3		
INTS Language	3		
INTS Language	3		
INTS Language (same language)	3		
300/400 Level Requirement			
INTS 310	3		
INTS 490	3		
POLS 303	3		
POLS 370	3		
Nine additional 300/400 level INTS	3		
	3		
	3		

300/400 Level Requirement			
Requirements	Credit Hours	Course Selected	Done
One of: POLS 305, 309, 311, 314, 315, 380	3		
One of: POLS 405, 414, 415, 480	3		
Six additional credits of 300/400 level INTS or POLS	3		
	3		
Six additional credits of 400 level POLS	3		
	3		
Electives			
Electives (any level)	3		
	3		
	3		
	3		
	3		
	3		
	3		
	3		
Breadth Requirement			
Natural Science	3		
Physical Science	3		
Arts & Humanities	3		
Total Credit Hours	120		

BREADTH REQUIREMENT: As a part of this program, students will have satisfied their Social Sciences breadth requirement (with the required GEOG or INTS courses). As such, please take a three-credit hour course in each of the following areas: Natural Sciences, Physical Science, and Arts & Humanities to meet the [breadth requirement](#).

UNDERGRADUATE CALENDAR: It is the student’s responsibility to be aware of all University of Northern British Columbia [Undergraduate Calendar](#) regulations. Academic regulations, program information, course information, and pre-requisites can be found in this document.

EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2021

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Sample Sequencing Plan

First Year	
Fall	Winter
ECON 100	ECON 101
INTS 100	POLS 100
INTS Language (Beginning level 1)	INTS Language (Beginning level 2)
Elective (for breadth)	Elective (for breadth)
Elective (for breadth)	Elective
Second Year	
INTS 210	POLS 200
POLS 202	POLS 270
ECON 205 or STAT 240	ECON 205, STAT 240 or Elective
INTS Language	INTS Language
One of: GEOG 220, GEOG 222, HIST 281, INTS 200, INTS 204, INTS 207, INTS 240	One of: GEOG 220, GEOG 222, HIST 281, INTS 200, INTS 204, INTS 207, INTS 240 or Elective
Third Year	
POLS 303	INTS 310
One of: POLS 305, 309, 311, 314, 315, 380	POLS 370
300/400 level INTS	300/400 level INTS or POLS
Elective	One of: POLS 305, 309, 311, 314, 315, 380 or Elective
Elective	Elective
Fourth Year	
One of: POLS 405, 414, 415, 480	INTS 490
400 level POLS	400 level POLS
300/400 level INTS or POLS	One of: POLS 405, 414, 415, 480 or Elective
Elective	300/400 level INTS
Elective	Elective

Course Notes

- **This is a guide only;** coursework will vary each year in the semester they are offered.
- Students should consult with the Undergraduate Calendar for course descriptions and pre/co-requisites.
- Not sure what to do with your electives? Interested in a minor in another area? Talk with your Student Advisor for suggestions!
- **Residency Requirement:** Students must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours of upper division coursework at UNBC to receive a UNBC degree.
- **Time Limit:** Except by permission of the Dean, students must complete their undergraduate degree program within 15 years of their first semester of registration.

Advisor Notes

STUDENT ADVISING: Is available by phone, email, or in person. To book an appointment, or to see when drop-ins are scheduled, please contact advising@unbc.ca or call 250.960.6306.

TRANSFER & RETURNING STUDENTS: Please consult your Student Advisor to determine how your previous work may best be applied to the program requirements. When registering for coursework pay close attention to the course preclusions to ensure you are not registering in duplicate coursework.

DEGREE EVALUATIONS: The [Degree Evaluation](#) is an interpretation of the Undergraduate Calendar for the year that you were admitted and helps display the requirements needed for your program.

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