INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
MAJOR (BS)
Declared Fall 2025 or later

INTERNATIONAL AND AREA STUDIES
THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

INTRODUCTORY REQUIREMENTS (Choose one course from each area)   9 CREDITS

- ☐ **PEOPLES**
  - PHIL 1003: Intro to Human Nature
  - WLC 2020: Language in Society
  - ANTH 1010: Cultural Anthropology (BF)
  - HIST 1220/1310/1510 (may choose among these courses)
- ☐ **CHALLENGES**
  - HIST 2200: The World Since 1945
  - PHIL 1001: Ethical Dilemmas
  - ENV 2100: Environment and Society (BF)
  - GEOG 1400: Human geography (BF)
- ☐ **SYSTEMS**
  - MKTG 2900: Intro to Intl. Business
  - GEOG 1300: World Geography (BF)
  - ECON 2020: Macroeconomics (BF)
  - POLS 2100/2200: Intro to Intl or Comparative Politics (BF)

IAS CORE CURRICULUM: FOUNDATIONS   3 CREDITS

- ☐ **INTL 3000: Foundations of International Studies**

METHODS REQUIREMENT (Choose two courses from the list below)   6 CREDITS

- ☐ **METHODS**
  - COMM 3700/3710
  - ECON 2010/2020
  - GEOG 3020/3100
  - HIST 3100/4990
  - ETHNC 5900/5910
  - LING 5810/5900
  - POLS 3001/3002
  - PSY 3000/3010
  - SOC 3111/3112

CULTURE FOCUS   9 CREDITS

- ☐ [3000+]
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Complete 9 credits of upper division culture electives from the approved course list on the website.

THEMATIC FOCUS   18 CREDITS

- ☐ [3000+]
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Complete 18 credits of approved courses from chosen focus. Students must choose only one thematic focus:

- Culture & Identity
- Global Health
- Human Rights
- Foreign Relations & Security
- Development & Sustainability
- Trade & Commerce

Note: Courses must come from a minimum of three departments. No more than 3 credits from a Hinckley internship may count toward your focus courses.

SIGNATURE EXPERIENCE   3 CREDITS

- ☐ **SIGNATURE EXPERIENCE** Complete 3 credits through a relevant study abroad program, internship, research course, community-engaged learning course, or an honors thesis. The selection must be pre-approved by an IAS advisor.

IAS CORE CURRICULUM: CAPSTONE   3 CREDITS

- ☐ **INTL 5000: International Studies Capstone**

Grade Requirements: All major courses must be taken for a minimum letter grade of C or better.