INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MAJOR APPLICATION

APPLICATION DEADLINE
The Winter 2020 application is due by Monday, January 27, 2020, at 11:59 p.m.

Incomplete applications will not be considered. Please ensure that all of the major application materials are submitted before the deadline.

APPLICATION ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
- Must declare the INTL Pre-Major (PINS) with the Undergraduate Coordinator.
- Completion of the International Studies Pre-Major Checklist.
- A cumulative UO GPA of 3.0 or above, or 3 consecutive terms of 3.0 or higher, is required for admission to the International Studies Major.

APPLICATION COMPONENTS
- Applicant Profile
- International Studies Pre-Major Checklist
- Appointment with Global Connections Advisor in Tykeson Hall*
- INTL Undergraduate Major Planner on file
- Faculty Mentor verification (including either email to ocias@uoregon.edu or a signed form)
- Unofficial UO Transcript (download from Duckweb)
- Three 250-400 word essays:
  1. How did you become interested in international issues?
  2. What are your current thoughts about a future vocation or profession?
  3. How will you fulfill the requirements for the major?
     ■ What is your specific geographic area of study and how will you fulfill the third-year language requirement directly related to this area? (International students should reflect on completing their AEIS & Written English requirements)
     ■ What is your professional concentration and who is your preferred Faculty Mentor that will help you navigate this professional concentration?
     ■ How do your choices for geographic and professional foci combine to meet your academic goals in International Studies?

*Make an advising appointment with a Global Connections Advisor in Tykeson Hall by calling 541-346-9200 or using the UO Advising platform EAB Navigate, available in the Apple AppStore, GooglePlay, and through your web browser.

APPLICATION REVIEW
The INTL Major Admissions Committee will review your completed application, and you will be notified of the committee's decision via email to your UO email account by the end of Week 6. At the time of notification of your acceptance into the program, you will be notified of a mandatory orientation meeting for all new majors.

If you have any questions or concerns about the application process, please contact the INTL & OCIAS Undergraduate Administrative team at ocias@uoregon.edu.
Full Name as it appears in your UO Student Records

First Name

Last Name

Enter your UO Student ID starting with 95

UO Email Address
@uoregon.edu

Alternate Email Address
(to be included in post-graduation email lists)

Anticipated Graduation Month and Year
(Format as Month Year: e.g. June 2020 or December 2019)

Current Class Standing
(e.g. Sophomore, Junior, etc.)

Other Major(s), if any

Minors(s), if any

Are you a Clark Honors Student?

Yes

No
**Your Chosen INTL Track**

**Choose your Block B: Professional Concentration Area**

To review the specifics of each Professional Concentration Area, please visit intldept.uoregon.edu/prof-concentration-areas/

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<td>Peace Studies and Conflict Resolution</td>
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**Choose your Block C: Geographic Focus**

To review the specifics of each Geographic Focus, please visit: [intldept.uoregon.edu/geographic-focus-courses/](http://intldept.uoregon.edu/geographic-focus-courses/)

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**Would you like to add a Minor in an Area Study?** A minor can utilize many, if not all, of the courses from your Block C, in addition to a few other courses which give you further credentials for your study of that region.

The University of Oregon offers undergraduate minors in the following areas of study:

- [African Studies Minor](#)
- [Asian Studies](#)
  - [East Asian Studies Minor](#)
  - [Southeast Asian Studies Minor](#)
  - [South Asian Studies Minor](#)
- [European Studies Minor](#)
- [Latin American Studies Minor](#)
- [Middle East & North Africa Studies Minor](#)
- [Russian, East European & Eurasian Studies Minor](#)

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<td>Not sure yet, I will discuss with an advisor.</td>
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**Upon acceptance into the INTL program, you have the option to declare a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science. Which would you like to declare?**

The INTL department does not prefer one over the other; please review the difference between the two options: [https://registrar.uoregon.edu/current-students/bachelors-degree](https://registrar.uoregon.edu/current-students/bachelors-degree)

**NOTE:** If you plan on double majoring and having both a BA and a BS you must declare your intent to complete concurrent degrees. Learn more: [https://registrar.uoregon.edu/current-students/concurrent-degrees](https://registrar.uoregon.edu/current-students/concurrent-degrees)
International Studies Pre-Major Checklist

The International Studies Pre-Major Checklist requirements must be completed before you apply to the major. Students may be enrolled in up to one of the checklist required courses the term that they are applying to the major.

You must review the Pre-Major Checklist and your major planner with a Global Connections Advisor* in Tykeson Hall.

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Have you completed INTL 101?

- Yes
- No
- Currently enrolled

Which INTL Block A Courses have you completed or are currently enrolled in?

Two are required for the application process; four will be required to complete the major.

- INTL 199: Globalization and the Global Economy
- INTL 199: Education and Development
- INTL 199: International Skills
- INTL 199: Wellbeing
- INTL 240: Perspectives on International Development
- INTL 250: Value Systems in Cross-Cultural Perspective
- INTL 260: Culture, Capitalism, and Globalization
- INTL 280: Global Environmental Issues
Are you currently enrolled in any of these courses?

- Yes
- No

Have you started your Second Language Sequence or demonstrated equivalency in a second language related to your chosen geographic focus?

- Yes, I have started a language sequence related to my chosen geographic focus.
- No, I am currently enrolled in a second language not related to my geographic focus, but plan to enroll in a third-language related to my geographic focus.
- No, I completed my high school in a language other than English and am exempt from this requirement.
- No, I have not taken any language classes.

Please list your two most recent completed terms at the University of Oregon.

- Last term completed
- Second to last term completed

Have you completed your UO Writing Requirements or demonstrated equivalency?

- Yes
- No, currently enrolled in my last course
- No, I have not completed this requirement

Is your GPA a 3.0 or higher?

- Yes
- No
Which Global Connections College and Career Advisor approved your International Studies Pre-Major Checklist?

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Which date did you get your International Studies Pre-Major Checklist approved?

(Format: MM/DD/YY)

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### International Studies Undergraduate Planner

This application requires you to complete an undergraduate planner with the Global Connections Advisors. They will keep the main copy of this planner so the information is always updated and correct. However, you are able to request a copy at any time for your own records.

Administrative staff will reference the advising records to confirm all applicants have started their planner with a Global Connections Advisor.

Which Global Connections Advisor did you review your International Studies Undergraduate Planner with?

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Which date did you discuss your Undergraduate Planner?

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Please briefly describe your understanding of what you still have to complete for the major requirements (i.e. how many Block A, Block B and Block C will you still have? Have you completed your language or international experience?)

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Faculty Mentor CONFIRMATION

All International Studies Undergraduate Majors are required to find a Faculty Mentor before completing their application. Upon choosing/meeting with your chosen mentor, please have your Faculty Mentor confirm your partnership by EITHER:

1. Completing the Faculty Mentor Agreement Form, or
2. Emailing ocias@uoregon.edu directly with their confirmed mentor status.

The role of the Faculty Mentor is to mentor, inform and guide the student in a professional and/or geographic interest area; however, the Faculty Mentor is not to advise on INTL academic requirements (the Tykeson Advisors will help with this task). The student should select a mentor who shares some similar interests. Although we strongly suggest you choose an INTL Department Faculty Member, you Faculty Mentor may be chosen from any UO University department so long as they are a permanent academic faculty member (e.g. not graduate students or visiting faculty members).

Your Faculty Mentor is someone who will mentor you through the program in your academic and professional interests. Keep in mind that your faculty mentor is someone you will probably want to ask for letters of recommendation and references in the future. If you choose to write an honors thesis, you may also choose to ask this faculty member to supervise your thesis (an Honors Thesis Advisor Form must also be signed and on file).

Is your Faculty Mentor an INTL Core Faculty Member?

- Yes
- No

Has this person agreed to serve as your Faculty Mentor?
(INTL Administrative Staff require verification)

- Yes
- No

Upload a PDF of your Unofficial Transcript

1. Log in to duckweb.uoregon.edu
2. Select Student Menu > Grades & Transcripts Menu
3. Select "Unofficial Transcripts" and then select "Undergraduate" from the drop-down list
4. Click "Display Transcript"
5. Download/Print as a PDF
How did you become interested in international issues? How would you describe the quality of that interest? This can be an autobiographical statement if you wish. (max 2500 characters)

What are your current thoughts about a future vocation or profession? This can be called a “career goals” statement. We do not wish to force you into a premature declaration, but want to know about your work interests and how these are related to your academic program. (max 2500 characters)

How will you fulfill the requirements of the major? Give a description of the “integrating principle” or element that ties your program together. Please address the following:

- What is your specific geographic area of study and how will you fulfill the third-year language requirement? (Your foreign language must be directly related to this area.)
- What is your professional concentration and who is your preferred faculty advisor?
- How do your choices for geographic and professional foci combine to meet your academic goals in International Studies?

(max 2500 characters)

Congratulations on completing the INTL Application. After confirming and submitting your application, your application will be sent to the International Studies Undergraduate Coordinator. You will hear back from the department with their final decision on your admittance to the program by the end of Week 6.

Please sign below as the final verification that all of the submitted work was done by you and is correct to the best of your knowledge.

SIGN HERE

Date
(MM/DD/YY)