



**TRANSNATIONAL STUDIES MAJOR**

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**Other Requirements for the major in Transnational Studies:**

Students must complete the first year of language instruction (both semesters in the same language) or demonstrate equivalent proficiency.

- Five additional courses, two of which must be in one category 15 hrs.
- At least 24 hours must be upper-level (300 or higher).

All major must have an overall 2.0 average or better in all courses presented to satisfy the major requirement.

\*Students with a cumulative GPA of 3.30 or higher may elect to write a senior thesis for honors recognition.

"Graduate with Honors" will be noted on their transcript provided they complete the thesis with a grade of B or better. Students writing a thesis will complete TNS 401 (Senior Seminar) and TNS 402 (Senior Thesis) and/or TNS 403 (an optional second semester of writing the Senior Thesis per agreement with the thesis director and TNS major program chair) during their junior and/or senior year.

All students are required to present a portfolio of their work, containing at least three papers or comparable projects submitted for courses in the major as well as a reflective piece on how the student has integrated the different components of the major. One paper or project must be from the Senior Seminar, and another must be from an upper-level course. The portfolio will be part of the senior seminar, INT/TNS 401.

Students may substitute experimental courses numbered 200 or 300 for the electives listed above with permission of the program coordinator.

If any substitutions of waivers of requirements are allowed, please list below and initial.

Course #	Title of Course	Hours Completed	Semester Completed	Grade

**MAJOR: Transnational Studies**

Student's Last Name		First Name	Middle Initial		
Advisor		Date Major Declared			
Course #	Title of Course	Hours Required	Semester Completed	Grade	
<b>Required Courses: (16 hrs.)</b>					
INT/TNS 201	Introduction to International/ Transnational Studies	3			
INT/TNS 401	Junior-Senior Seminar in International And Transnational Studies	3			
INT/TNS 402	International/Transnational Studies Senior Thesis (optional)*	3			
INT/TNS 403	International/Transnational Studies Senior Thesis II (optional)*	3			
FLG 102	Second sem. of a foreign language (same language as first sem.)	4			
<b><i>Courses to choose from for the following categories are listed below.</i></b>					
<b>Global Economic Development Category, choose one course:</b>					
	*	3			
<b>Environment and Health Category, choose one course:</b>					
	*	3			
<b>Global Justice and Human Rights Category, choose one course:</b>					
	*	3			
<b>International Relations and Diplomacy Category, choose one course:</b>					
	*	3			
<b>Global Cultures Category, choose one course:</b>					
	*	3			
<b>Choose (5) additional courses (from categories below), two must be from the same category (15 hrs):</b>					
	*	3			
	*	3			
	*	3			
	*	3			
	*	3			
<b>Total Required hours (36-39 hrs)</b>		<b>36-39 hrs.</b>			
<b>**Remember: At least 24 hours must be upper-level (300 or higher)</b>					

**CATEGORIES to choose additional courses from:**

<b>Global Economic Development</b>				
ECN 211	Principles of Macroeconomics	3		
ECN 212	Principles of Microeconomics	3		
ECN 331	Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory	3		
ECN 334	Economic Development	3		
ECN 310	International Trade and Finance	3		
BUS 340	International Business	3		
TNS 300	Global Inequality	3		
<b>Environment and Health</b>				
BIO 320 & 321	Biology in Belize	4		
GEO 320/321	Geology and Environmental of the National Parks Seminar	4		
ENV 105	Introduction to Environmental Sciences	3		
POL 326	Environmental Politics & Policy	3		
REL 324	Religion & The Environment	3		

ECN 377	Environmental and Resource Economics	3		
PHL 246	Environmental Ethics	3		
	<b>Environment and Health- continued</b>			
PSY 405	International and Cross-Cultural Psychology	3		
WSG/HES 355	Women's Health Issues	3		
TNS 240	Intro to Global Health	3		
	<b>Global Justice and Human Rights</b>			
EDU 385	Diversity in Education	3		
ITS 399	Global Human Rights Internship	3		
HIS 327	Nazi Germany	3		
PHL 224	Business Ethics	3		
POL 305	International Law and Organization	3		
WGS 210	Introductions to Women's Studies	3		
TNS 300	Human Rights and Security	3		
	<b>International Relations and Diplomacy</b>			
HIS 300	Modern Middle East	3		
HIS 330	World War I	3		
HIS 348	History of American Foreign Relations	3		
HIS 350	The Vietnam Wars	3		
INT 210	Model United Nations	3		
INT 212	Model UN Team	2		
INT 214	Model UN Practicum (mentoring)	1		
POL 212	Introduction to International Politics	3		
POL 306	West European Government and Politics	3		
POL 362	American Foreign Policy	3		
SEC 201	Introduction to Security Studies	3		
TNS 300	Politics and Security of Developing Nations	3		
TNS 100	Making Sense of Study Abroad	1		
	<b>Global Cultures</b>			
PHL/ REL 102	World Religions	3		
ASN 201	Asian Studies	3		
ENG 315	Booker Prize Fiction Writing	3		
ENG 345	African Diaspora	3		
HIS 300	Africa & Decolonization	3		
HIS 323	Europe Since 1945	3		
HUM 278	Latin American Civilization	3		
HUM 294	Introduction to the French-Speaking World	3		
FRE 362	Francophone Civilizations	3		
POL 300	Middle Eastern Politics	3		
ANT 115	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3		
PSY 405	International and Cross Culture Psychology	3		
HUM 277	Spanish Civilization	3		
GOG 101	Introduction to Geography	3		
ENG 330	Visions & Revisions: Colonial and Post-Colonial Literature	3		
PHL 333	Asian Philosophy & Religion	3		
TNS 300	Memory and Culture in Global Perspective	3		
SOC 317	Race and Ethnicity	3		