

GLOBALIZATION AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, BACHELOR OF ARTS (B.A.)

The intent of the Globalization and International Affairs (GLO) major is to create an interdisciplinary major that focuses on the nature of globalization and its impacts on individuals, communities, regions, and nations, and to assist in broadening the international horizons of EKU students. The program will graduate culturally aware students who are comfortable in a variety of international public-sector, private-sector, and non-profit positions. GLO students will possess an enhanced awareness of worldwide economic and political events and will be able to assess their impacts on international affairs. Upon completion of the GLO degree, graduates will be able to:

1. analyze cultural, economic, geographical, historical, political and social forces affecting globalization,
2. identify factors which impede or encourage globalization,
3. evaluate the impacts of increasing globalization on individuals, communities, regions, and nations,
4. integrate globalization ideas and concepts from the various disciplines into a unified whole, and
5. compete well for international positions or for domestic positions requiring international expertise.

Program Requirements

CIP Code: 30.2001

Summary Checklist for General Education

Code	Title	Hours
Element 1		
A:	Written Communication (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-1/)	3
B:	Written Communication (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-1/)	3
C:	Oral Communication (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-1/)	3
Element 2		
	Quantitative Reasoning (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-2/)	3
Element 3		
A:	Arts (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-3/)	3
B:	Humanities (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-3/)	3
Element 4		
	Natural Sciences (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-4/)	6
Element 5		

A:	Historical Science (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-5/)	3
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B:	Social Behavioral Science (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-5/)	3
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Element 6		
	Diversity of Perspectives Experiences (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-6/)	6

Total Hours		36
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Students are expected to complete Elements 1 and 2 within their first 60 hours of college credit.

Major

Code	Title	Hours
University Graduation Requirements		
	General Education	36
<i>Student Success Seminar</i>		
ASO 100	Student Success Seminar (waived for transfers with 30+ hrs.)	1
Upper division courses (42 hrs. distributed throughout Major/Supporting/Gen Ed/Free Electives categories)		
Major Requirements		
<i>Core Courses</i>		
ECO 120	Economic Reasoning and Issues	3
GEO 100	Regions and Nations of the World	3
POL 212	Introduction to Comparative Politics	3
POL 220	Introduction to World Politics	3
POL 325	Global Security	3
POL 451	Principles and Politics of Human Rights	3
<i>Major Electives</i>		
Choose from 12 hours of the following (no more than six hours of a single prefix): ¹		12
CMS 375	Intercultural Communication	
ECO 230	Fundamentals of Microeconomics	
ECO 231	Fundamentals of Macroeconomics	
HIS 322	History of the Modern Middle East	
HIS 370	World History Since 1945	
HIS 384	Modern Latin America Modern Latin America	
HIS 386	Modern African History	
POL 310	Latin American Governments	
POL 314	Politics of South Asia	
POL 318	Politics of the Middle East	
POL 346	Religion and Politics in the World	
POL 412	Politics of Mexico	
POL 415	Terrorism and Political Violence	
POL 451	Principles and Politics of Human Rights	
REL 301	World Religions	
SOC 425	Social Inequality	
All spoken world languages (not Latin, English, or ASL)		
<i>Capstone Requirement</i>		
Choose from one of the following:		6

GLO-Approved Study Abroad

POL 280	Research and Writing in Political Science
& POL 400	and Capstone Course in Political Science

GLO-Approved Coop-Internship

Free Electives

Choose from 47 hours of free electives	47
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Total Hours	120
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Students may apply for **one** exception to the above list. The course must have significant global content and be approved by the program director.

A minimum grade of "C" is required in all courses counted toward this major.