International Studies, B.A.
Middle East Studies Concentration
Effective: Fall 2016

**Study Area I - Arts & Humanities (9 credits)**
- English Literature 3

**Study Area II - Social Sciences (9 credits)**
- 3
- HIST 3

**Study Area III - Behavioral Sciences (6 credits)**
- 3
- 3

**Study Area IV - Natural Sciences (7 credits)**
- 3
- 3
- (One lab must be included) 1

**Skill Area I - Communication Skills (6 credits)**
- ENG 110 3

**Skill Area II - Mathematics (6 credits)**
- MATH 3
- MATH or STAT or CS 3

**Skill Area III - Foreign Language/Int'l Checklist**
- International Requirement 3
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- Foreign Language Proficiency (check one)
  - 3rd year level language in High School 3
  - Completed 112/114 level language course 3
  - Passed Foreign Language Exam 3

**Skill Area IV - University Requirement (2-3 credits)**

**Electives (To reach 120 credits)**

**Note:**
General Education: 43-46 credits
Major: 39 credits (c- or better)
Minor: 18 credits (c- or better)
Total credits required for graduation: 120 credits
Double counting: maximum 2 courses in major or minor may be counted to fulfill the Study Area portion of the General Education program.
Residency requirement: 30 credits taken at CCSU. 15 credits in the major and 9 credits in the minor.

**Student Name:** ____________________________
**ID #:** ____________________________

**Expected Graduation:** ____________________________

**CORE CURRICULUM - 18 Credits**
- IS 225 3
- Two of the following:
  - IS 150, GEOG 120, HIST 122, PS 104 3
  - PS 250 or ANTH 374 or GEOG 442 or HIST 301 3
- 3 (or more) credits from an experience abroad (IS 360, IS 490 or other) or an internship (IS 450) 3
- IS 475 3

**GEOGRAPHICAL AREA - 15 Credits**
- 9 credits must be at the 400-level. Not more than 9 credits from the same discipline (designator). Additional courses may be identified with the approval of the advisor.
- HIST 291, 292, 470, 474; IS 465; PS 345, 434, 439

**TRANSNATIONAL THEME - 6 Credits from one of the themes**
- Communication and Diversity in the Global Context
- Energy, Resources, and Environment
- Population, Mobility, and Development
- Governance, Security, and Human Rights
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**MINOR - 18 credits**

**Modern Language Requirement**
Demonstration of competency in reading, writing, speaking, and understanding of a single modern language (in addition to English) equal to completion of the 226 level, as determined by a CCSU instructor of the language, the Chair of the Department of Modern Languages, or a CCSU faculty member designated by the Director of International Studies. The modern language should be appropriate to the geographical area and selected in consultation with the advisor.

**Minor Requirement**
A minor is required of International Studies majors. Students who do not meet the language requirement must take an appropriate language minor. Students who meet the language requirement without doing a language minor may select a non-language minor in consultation with the faculty advisor. For students with some language proficiency, but who do not satisfy the language requirement, additional language courses may be taken to satisfy the requirement without doing the language minor, if the student so chooses. The faculty advisor can guide the student in how best to satisfy both the minor and modern language requirements.
TRANSNATIONAL THEMES

Communication and Diversity in the Global Context
ANTH 170, 200, 239, 240; COMM 216; ENG 367, 465, 486; HUM 490; IS 226, 470; LING 230; PSY 420; REL 110; SPAN 441

Energy, Resources, and Environment
ANTH 425; COMM 451; GEOG 270, 433, 445, 473, 475; GSCI 131, 450; IS 470; PHIL 241; SUST 210

Population, Mobility, and Development
ANTH 323, 352, 401; ECON 320, 430, 435; IS 470; GEOG 220, 244, 439; MKT 295, 321, 495; SOC 422, 428

Governance, Security, and Human Rights
GEOG 333; HIST 395, 420; IS 470; PES 202, 345; PHIL 211, 344; PS 338, 339, 345, 380, 415, 445, 450; SOC 424