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Dear Colleagues:

The attached proposals from the School of Public and International Affairs to offer the following new areas of emphasis under the major in International Affairs (A.B.) will be agenda items for the March 17, 2023, Full University Curriculum Committee meeting:

Area of Emphasis in International Organizations and Law

Area of Emphasis in Security

Sincerely,

Susan Sanchez, Chair

cc: Provost S. Jack Hu

Dr. Marisa Pagnattaro

PROPOSAL FOR AN AREA OF EMPHASIS

Date: December 7, 2022

School/College: School of Public and International Affairs

Department/Division: International Affairs

Program (Major and Degree): International Affairs (A.B.)

Area of Emphasis Title: International Organizations and Law

CIP: 45090101

Which campus(es) will offer this program? Athens

Proposed Effective Date: Fall 2023

Area of Emphasis Description:

Students interested in international organizations and law hope to pursue careers in the United Nations system or in other international organizations, focusing on politics and diplomacy, strategies to mitigate international legal risk, civil society engagement, food security, immigration and refugee issues, environmental issues, and human rights and security. The School of Public and International Affairs has responded to student demand for coursework in international organizations and law by adding new courses in this area over the last three years.

The Area of Emphasis in International Organizations and Law focuses on efforts to build international cooperation and governance across countries. Students with this area of focus will be well prepared for careers in international organizations and for work in areas where international cooperation is especially important. As the International Affairs major name does not identify specific work in this area, the addition of the Area of Emphasis in International Organizations and Law will be of benefit to students as they seek employment.

Area of Emphasis Requirements:

Choose at least 12 hours from the following courses. Directed readings, CURO, Honors, faculty-directed research, and special topics courses may count with approval of the department.

- INTL 4210, International Law (3 hours)
- INTL 4240, International Organization (3 hours)
- INTL 4285, Crisis Diplomacy (3 hours)
- INTL 4295, War and Human Security (3 hours)
- INTL 4450, Global Security Policy (3 hours)
- INTL 4530, Globalization and Distributive Justice (3 hours)
- INTL 4610, Environmental Politics (3 hours)

- INTL 4620 or INTL 4620H, Human Rights (3 hours)
- INTL 4640, European Union (3 hours)
- INTL 4650, Women and World Politics (3 hours)
- INTL 4710, United Nations Practicum (3 hours)
- INTL(HPAM) 4615 or INTL(HPAM) 4615E, The Politics of Disease Control (3 hours)

PROPOSAL FOR AN AREA OF EMPHASIS

Date: December 7, 2022

School/College: School of Public and International Affairs

Department/Division: International Affairs

Program (Major and Degree): International Affairs (A.B.)

Area of Emphasis Title: Security

CIP: 45090201

Which campus(es) will offer this program? Athens

Proposed Effective Date: Fall 2023

Area of Emphasis Description:

Students studying security are considering careers related to counterterrorism, cybersecurity, conflict management, and defense intelligence. The School of Public and International Affairs has responded to increased student demand for international security coursework by adding new courses in this area over the last three years.

The Area of Emphasis in Security focuses on the domestic and international politics of peace and security. Students with this area of emphasis will have expertise on the determinants and consequences of civil and international conflict as well as an understanding of the utility of government actions taken to promote peace and security and counter threats. As the International Affairs major name does not identify specific work in this area, the addition of the Area of Emphasis in Security will be of benefit to students as they seek employment.

Area of Emphasis Requirements:

Choose at least 12 hours from the following courses. Directed readings, CURO, Honors, faculty-directed research, and special topics courses may count with approval of the department.

- INTL 4220, International Conflict (3 hours)
- INTL 4250, American Foreign Policy (3 hours)
- INTL 4255, Nuclear Politics (3 hours)
- INTL 4260, Foreign Policy Decision Making (3 hours)
- INTL 4285, Crisis Diplomacy (3 hours)
- INTL 4290 or INTL 4290H, Modern Warfare: Terrorism, Ideology, and Identity (3 hours)
- INTL 4295, War and Human Security (3 hours)
- INTL 4410 or INTL 4410E, Terrorism (3 hours)
- INTL 4415, Practicum–Methods and Issues in Security Studies (3 hours)
- INTL 4425R, Advanced Research in International Security Policy (3 hours)
- INTL 4430, United States National Security Policy (3 hours)
- INTL 4435, Strategic Culture and Weapons of Mass Destruction (3 hours)

- INTL 4440 or INTL 4440H, Strategic Intelligence (3 hours)
- INTL 4455 or INTL 4455E, Violent Political Conflict (3 hours)
- INTL 4460, Arms Control and Disarmament (3 hours)
- INTL 4470, Politics of Weapons Development and Proliferation (3 hours)
- INTL 4475, War and Gender (3 hours)
- INTL 4650, Women and World Politics (3 hours)
- INTL 4666 or INTL 4666E, The Politics of Cyber Security (3 hours)
- INTL 4684, Repression and Dissent (3 hours)
- INTL(AFST) 4280, Nationalism and Ethnic Conflict (3 hours)
- INTL(AFST) 4680 or INTL(AFST) 4680H, Peace Studies (3 hours)
- SOCI(INTL) 4700, Global Terrorism (3 hours)

International Affairs - A.B.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

[Entrance Requirements for the Major](#)

General Education Core Curriculum
(Selected with the advice of an academic advisor)

Areas [I](#) [II](#) [III](#) [IV](#) [V](#)

[Area VI](#)

[Major Requirements](#)

[College-wide Requirements](#) must be satisfied in order to graduate with this major

TOTAL DEGREE HOURS

120 hours

I. FOUNDATION COURSES (9 HOURS)

[ENGL 1101](#) or [ENGL 1101E](#) or [ENGL 1101S](#)

[ENGL 1102](#) or [ENGL 1102E](#) or [ENGL 1103](#) or [ENGL 1050H](#) or [ENGL 1060H](#)

[MATH 1101](#) or [MATH 1113](#) or [MATH 2200](#) or [MATH 2250](#) or [MATH 2300H](#) or [MATH 2400](#) or

[MATH 2400H](#) or [MATH 2410](#) or [MATH 2410H](#) or [STAT 2000](#) or [STAT 2000E](#)

II. SCIENCES (7-8 HOURS)

At least one of the physical science or life science courses must include a laboratory.

Physical Sciences (3-4 hours)

No preferred courses for this area. See Core Curriculum view.

Life Sciences (3-4 hours)

No preferred courses for this area. See Core Curriculum view.

III. QUANTITATIVE REASONING (3-4 HOURS)

Preferred Course(s): [STAT 2000](#) or [STAT 2100H](#) or [MATH 1060](#) or [MATH 2200](#) or [MATH 2300H](#) or [MATH 2260](#) or [MATH 2400](#) or [MATH 2400H](#) or [MATH 2410](#) or [MATH 2410H](#)

IV. WORLD LANGUAGES AND GLOBAL CULTURE, HUMANITIES AND THE ARTS (12 HOURS)

World Languages and Global Culture (9 hours)

No preferred courses for this area. See Core Curriculum view.

Humanities and the Arts (3 hours)

No preferred courses for this area. See Core Curriculum view.

V. SOCIAL SCIENCES (9 HOURS)

Preferred Course(s): [POLS 1101](#) or [POLS 1101H](#) and ([HIST 2111](#) or [HIST 2111H](#) or [HIST 2112](#) or [HIST 2112H](#))

Area VI

3 hours from [INTL 1100](#) or [INTL 1100H](#)

3 hours from [ECON 2105](#) or [ECON 2105H](#) or [ECON 2106](#) or [ECON 2106H](#)

3 hours from 3rd term of a [Foreign Language](#) (School-wide requirement)

3 hours from 4th term of [Foreign Language](#) (INTL major requirement)

6 hours from:

[AFST\(ANTH\)\(CMLT\)\(GEOG\)\(SOCI\)\(RELI\) 2100](#)

[ANTH 1102](#) or [ANTH 2120H](#)

[CMLT 2111](#) or [CMLT 2270H](#)

[CMLT 2210](#) or [CMLT 2250H](#)

[CMLT 2212](#) or [CMLT 2280H](#)

[CMLT 2220](#) or [CMLT 2260H](#)

[CMLT\(AFAM\) 2600](#)

[ECON 2105](#) or [ECON 2105H](#)

[ECON 2106](#) or [ECON 2106H](#)

[GEOG 1101](#) or [GEOG 2010H](#)

[GEOG 1125](#) or [GEOG 2250H](#)

[GEOG 2510](#)

[GRMN 2300](#)

[HIST\(LACS\) 2221](#)

[HIST\(LACS\) 2222](#)

[HIST 2301](#) or [HIST 2311H](#)

[HIST 2302](#) or [HIST 2312H](#)

[HIST\(AFST\) 2501](#)

[HIST\(AFST\) 2502](#)

[HIST 2600](#)

[HIST 2701](#) or [HIST 2702H](#)

[HIST 2702](#) or [HIST 2702H](#)

[ITAL 2500](#)

[LACS 1000](#)

[LEGL 2700](#) or [LEGL 2800H](#)

[LING 2100](#) or [LING 2100H](#)

[PHIL 2010](#) or [PHIL 2010H](#)

[PHIL 2030](#) or [PHIL 2030H](#)

[POLS 2000](#) or [POLS 2000H](#)

[PSYC\(AFAM\) 2150](#)

[RELI 1001](#) or [RELI 2001H](#)

[RELI 1002](#) or [RELI 2002H](#)

[RELI 1006](#)

[ROML 2550](#) or [SPAN 2550](#)

Required Courses (30 hours)

All courses for the major must have a grade of "C" (2.0) or better.

At least 24 hours of major required courses must be taken in residence

[INTL 3200](#)* or [INTL 3200E](#)*

[INTL 3300](#)* or [INTL 3300E](#)*

**[INTL 3200](#) or [INTL 3200E](#) or [INTL 3300](#) or [INTL 3300E](#) is recommended before any 4000-level [INTL](#) courses are taken*

Choose two courses (6 hours) from the field of International Relations:

Courses appearing under both lists may be applied to either field, but not both

[INTL 4000](#)

[INTL 4004E](#)

[INTL 4005](#)

[INTL 4006](#)

[INTL 4207H](#)

[INTL 4210](#)

[INTL 4220](#)

[INTL 4225](#)

[INTL 4230](#)

[INTL 4240](#)

[INTL 4250](#)

[INTL 4255](#)

[INTL 4260](#)

[INTL 4265](#) or [INTL 4265E](#)

[INTL\(LACS\) 4270](#)

[INTL\(AFST\) 4280](#)

[INTL 4285](#)

[INTL 4290](#) or [INTL 4290H](#)

[INTL 4295](#)

[INTL 4410](#) or [INTL 4410E](#)

[INTL 4415](#)

[INTL 4425R](#)

[INTL 4430](#)

[INTL 4435](#)

[INTL 4440](#) or [INTL 4440H](#)

[INTL 4450](#)

[INTL 4455](#)

[INTL 4460](#)

[INTL 4470](#)

[INTL 4475](#)

[INTL 4510](#)

[INTL 4520](#)

[INTL 4530](#)
[INTL 4610](#)
[INTL 4620](#) or [INTL 4620E](#) or [INTL 4620H](#)
[INTL 4622R](#)
[INTL 4644](#)
[INTL 4650](#)
[INTL\(AFST\) 4680](#)
[INTL 4684](#)
[INTL 4710](#)
[INTL 4770](#)
[POLS 4207H](#)
[SOCI\(INTL\) 4700](#)

Choose two courses (6 hours) from the field of Comparative Politics:

Courses appearing under both lists may be applied to either field, but not both

[GEOG\(INTL\)\(HIST\) 4634](#)
[GEOG\(INTL\) 4694](#)
[INTL 4000](#)
[INTL 4004E](#)
[INTL 4005](#)
[INTL 4006](#)
[INTL 4300](#)
[INTL 4305](#)
[INTL 4310](#)
[INTL\(LACS\) 4315](#)
[INTL 4316](#)
[INTL 4318](#)
[INTL 4320](#) or [INTL\(SOCI\) 4320S](#)
[INTL 4330](#) or [INTL 4330H](#)
[INTL 4335](#)
[INTL 4340](#) or [INTL 4340H](#)
[INTL\(AFST\) 4355](#)
[INTL 4360](#)
[INTL 4361](#)
[INTL 4370](#)
[INTL\(LACS\) 4380](#)
[INTL 4390](#)
[INTL 4410](#) or [INTL 4410E](#)
[INTL 4455](#)
[INTL 4475](#)

[INTL 4530](#)
[INTL 4550](#)
[INTL 4610](#)
[INTL\(HPAM\) 4615](#) or [INTL\(HPAM\) 4615E](#)
[INTL 4620](#) or [INTL 4620E](#) or [INTL 4620H](#)
[INTL 4622R](#)
[INTL 4625](#) or [INTL 4625H](#)
[INTL 4627](#)
[INTL 4630](#)
[INTL 4640](#)
[INTL 4644](#)
[INTL 4650](#)
[INTL\(CMLT\) 4660](#)
[INTL 4665](#)
[INTL 4666](#) or [INTL 4666E](#)
[INTL 4675E](#)
[INTL\(AFST\) 4680](#)
[INTL 4684](#)
[INTL 4780](#) or [INTL 4780H](#)
[LACS\(INTL\)\(SOCI\) 4111/6111](#)
[POLS\(INTL\) 4325](#)
[POLS\(INTL\) 4362](#)
[POLS\(INTL\) 4363](#)
[SOCI\(INTL\) 4555](#)
[SOCI\(INTL\) 4560](#) or [SOCI\(INTL\) 4560S](#)
[SOCI\(INTL\) 4570S](#)
[SOCI\(INTL\) 4700](#)

Choose four additional courses (12 hours) from the following:

Any 4000-level [INTL](#) courses (except [INTL 4720](#))

Up to two 3000- or 4000-level [PADP](#) or [POLS](#) courses

OPTIONAL

Students may elect to complete one or both of the following areas of emphasis. These courses may also be used as major required courses.

Area of Emphasis in International Organizations and Law

Choose 12 hours from the following:

[INTL 4210](#), International Law (3 hours)

[INTL 4240](#), International Organization (3 hours)

[INTL 4285](#), Crisis Diplomacy (3 hours)

INTL 4295, War and Human Security (3 hours)
INTL 4450, Global Security Policy (3 hours)
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Choose 12 hours from the following:

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INTL 4684, Repression and Dissent (3 hours)
INTL(AFST) 4280, Nationalism and Ethnic Conflict (3 hours)
INTL(AFST) 4680(H), Peace Studies (3 hours)
SOCI(INTL) 4700, Global Terrorism (3 hours)

General Electives (30 hours)

(Refer to College-wide requirements when selecting general electives.)

Documentation of Approval and Notification

Proposal: Area of Emphasis in International Organizations and Law under International Affairs (A.B.)
Area of Emphasis in Security under International Affairs (A.B.)

College: School of Public and International Affairs

Department: International Affairs

Proposed Effective Term: Fall 2023

Approvals:

- International Affairs Department Head, Dr. Amanda Murdie, 12/7/22
- School of Public and International Affairs Dean, Dr. Matthew R. Auer, 12/7/22