

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

Global systems • Cultural competence • International relations



An International Studies major equips students with interdisciplinary skills to critically analyze global challenges and opportunities from cultural, political, economic and historical perspectives. This degree prepares students to become globally minded leaders who can engage deeply with contemporary international issues and drive meaningful change across borders.

MAJOR FACTS

- Teaches a strong understanding of global cultures, diplomacy, international business and key global issues like the environment, trade and development
- Customizable experience through program emphases, course choices and hands-on experiences like Model United Nations

FEATURED EMPLOYERS



CLASSES

- Contemporary International Issues
- World Regional Geography
- World Civilizations
- World Religions
- Comparative Politics
- Senior Seminar in International Studies

SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS ARE:

- Strong communicators across languages
- Committed to social justice
- Motivated to engage in global travel
- Collaborative
- Curious about global cultures and issues

COMMON JOB TITLES

- Trade Compliance Analyst
- Legal Assistant
- Intelligence Analyst
- Foreign Service Officer (Diplomat)
- Geospatial Analyst (defense and intelligence)
- Nonprofit Program Manager

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

International Studies

Honor Society

Sigma Iota Rho was founded in 1985, and UWO's International Studies program is proud to be among the founders.



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