### International Relations Minor

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Offered by the Department of Political Science, the International Relations minor offers a basic examination of the major approaches, disciplines, and perspectives of international relations. The study of international relations is necessarily interdisciplinary, focusing on economic, geographic, historical, and political issues and questions.

The International Relations minor is helpful in preparing students for many careers in the international arena.

Requirements for the minor (28 units)

1. Eight (8) units from HISA 117B, HISE 142, HISE 146, HISA 164B, HISE 174, HIST 182
2. Eight (8) units from ECON 171, ECON 175, ECON 178/BUS 178, ECON 181, ECON 182, ECON 185/LNST 185
3. POSC 124
4. Eight (8) units from POSC 123, POSC 125, POSC 126, POSC 127, POSC 128, POSC 129, POSC 130, POSC 155, POSC 160

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### Journalism Minor

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Offered by the Department of Creative Writing, the minor offers basic examination of the theory, practice and ethics of contemporary journalism, with an emphasis on reporting and editing. Coupled with work on student publications and internships, the minor serves as an entryway to professional writing in news media or to graduate study in journalism.

**Lower-division requirements (9 Units)**

1. ART 003
2. CRWT 057C

**Upper-division requirements (20 units)**

1. Eight (8) units from:
   - a) CRWT 165
   - b) CRWT 175
2. Eight (8) units from:
   - a) CRWT 174
   - b) One (1) course either from an approved list of media-related upper-division courses, or, with the approval of the academic advisor for journalism minors, an upper-division course relevant to an area of journalism specialization.

3. Either CRWT 195: Senior Thesis [4], or CRWT 198B: Internship [4]. Students electing a thesis will complete a series of news features or an investigative article or series requiring significant endeavor in reporting and writing and demonstrating an understanding of sound journalistic principles. CRWT 195 is open to seniors only. Students completing CRWT 198B must complete 4 units of internship with a journalism organization.

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### Labor Studies Minor

**Subject abbreviation: LABR**

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- Todd Sorensen, Ph.D. (Economics)
- Devra A. Weber, Ph.D. (History)

Labor studies is an interdisciplinary minor that focuses on the conditions, activities, and struggles of workers and other members of the working class from an international, comparative, and historical perspective. Although trade unions are the primary focus, students will also examine other forms of working class organizing, including community organizing, and organizing by women and people of color. Courses focus on work in formal workplaces, including service, industrial, clerical, professional, and managerial work, and may also address other forms of work, such as unpaid housework, prison labor, or work in the informal economy. The minor addresses issues affecting workers, including governmental policies, technological change, globalization, neoliberalism, and alternative models for organizing for social justice. In addition to taking academic courses, students gain hands-on experience through a one-quarter internship with a union or related organization. This minor helps to prepare students for careers in labor and community organizing, labor law, or labor regulatory agencies.

1. Five courses (at least 20 units) from the approved list of courses
2. An introductory labor studies course: LABR 001
3. A labor internship (one course [at least 4 units] or the equivalent) approved by the Labor Studies chair and completed through one of the following courses: ANTH 198I, BUS 198I, ECON 198I, ETST 198I, ETST 198G, HISA 198I, POSC 198G, POSC 198I, SOC 198I, WMST 198I
4. One course (at least 4 units) that deals with race or gender inequality: ECON 155/WMST 155, ETST 102, ETST 131, ETST 177, SOC 140, WMST 101, WMST 109/ANTH 109, WMST 140/ANTH 147, WMST 149/ANTH 149
5. Two courses from the following: ANTH 122, ANTH 138, ANTH 139, BUS 144, BUS 155, BUS 157, BUS 160/ECON 160, ECON 146/URST 146, ECON 152/BUS 152, ECON 153/BUS 153, ECON 155/WMST 155, ETST 102, ETST 131,