

# INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS MINOR

## Spring 2020 Course List

Please Note:

- I. This list includes the most commonly taken courses, **but not all possible electives**, for Groups 1-4. If you are interested in a course that you believe satisfies the IR Minor requirements, please see the administrative coordinator (during office hours or by appointment at [irm@einaudi.cornell.edu](mailto:irm@einaudi.cornell.edu)). Please bring along the course description and the syllabus if possible.
  
- II. To recall, the course requirements for the IR Minor are a total of 8 courses:  
  
Option A:
  - One core course from each of groups 1, 2, 3, and 4.
  - One elective from each of groups 1, 2, 3, and 4.  
Option B:
  - One core course from each groups 1, 2, 3, and 4
  - One elective from either group 1 or group 2.
  - One elective from each of groups 3 and 4, and one additional elective from either group 3 or group 4.
  
- III. Examples of possible elective courses are listed for Groups 1-4. **These do not include all possible electives.** If you are interested in a class that is not listed on this or prior course lists but is comparable to one that is, please bring it to the IR Coordinator's attention to assure that counts as an IR elective **before you enroll.**
  
- IV. For additional information or questions, please contact the administrative coordinator:

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## GROUP 1: INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND DEVELOPMENT

- Core
  - AEM/ECON 2300 – International Trade and Finance
  - AEM 4300 – International Trade Policy
  - ECON 4510 – International Trade Theory and Policy
  - ECON 4520 – International Monetary Theory and Policy
- Electives
  - AEM 2805 – Strategic Responses to Poverty and Hunger in Developing Countries
  - AEM 3390 – Research Methods in International Development
  - AEM 4350 – Political Economy of the WTO
  - AEM 4421 – Research and Strategy in Emerging Markets
  - AEM 4500/ECON 4810 – Resource Economics
  - AEM 4510/ECON 4820 – Environmental Economics
  - ECON 3340 – The Evolution of Social Policy in Britain and America
  - GOVT 3273 – Politics and Markets
  - ILRIC 2350 – Work, Labor, and Capital in the Global Economy
  - ILRIC 3375 – Labor Practices in Global Supply Chains: Multi-Stakeholder Perspectives
  - ILRIC 4337 – Labor and Employment in the Middle East and North Africa
  - ILRIC 4357 – Labor, Professions, and Migration in Sub-Saharan Africa

## GROUP 2: WORLD POLITICS AND FOREIGN POLICY

- Core
  - Not offered in the Spring
- Electives
  - AEM 3388/ASIAN 3380 – The Asian Century: The Rise of China and India
  - ASIAN 2293/HIST 2931 – Making of an Empire in China
  - ASIAN 2294 – Of Saints, Poets, and Revolutionaries: Medieval and Modern Iran and Central Asia
  - ASRC 3330/GOVT 3333 – China-Africa Relations
  - ASRC 4721 – Peace Building in Conflict Regions: Case Studies Sub-Saharan Africa Israel Palestinian Territories
  - GOVT 1313 – Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics
  - GOVT 1623 – The World of Modern Japan
  - GOVT 2897 – WIIM: Human Rights at War
  - GOVT 3042 – The Politics of Technology
  - GOVT 3273 – Politics and Markets
  - GOVT 3293 – Comparative Politics of Latin America
  - GOVT 4000 – Russian Politics
  - GOVT 4000 – American Grand Strategy
  - GOVT 4037 – Making Sense of China: The Capstone Seminar
  - HIST 2285 – Fascism in the Twentieth Century: History and Theory
  - HIST 4543 – State and Society in the Late Ottoman Empire
  - HIST 4723 – Scandal, Corruption, and the Making of the British Empire in India
  - JWST 3697 – History of the Israeli-Palestine Conflict
  - SOC 3683 – Comparative Corruption

### GROUP 3: TRANSNATIONAL PROCESSES AND POLICIES

- Core
  - GOVT 2897 – Human Rights at War
- Electives
  - AMST 3071/GOVT 3071 – Enduring Global and American Issues
  - ANTHR 2468 – Medicine, Culture, and Society
  - ANTHR 3437 – Brave New World, 21<sup>st</sup> Century Authoritarianism
  - ANTHR 3552 – Genocide Today
  - ASIAN 3396 – Transnational Local: Southeast Asian History from the Eighteenth Century
  - BSOC 2061 – Ethics and the Environment
  - BSOC 4691 – Food, Agriculture, and Society
  - DSOC 2650 – Latinos in the United States
  - DSOC 3020 – Political Ecologies of Health
  - DSOC 3040 – Immigration and Public Policy
  - DSOC 3700 – Comparative Social Inequalities
  - DSOC 4300 – Human Migration: Theories, Patterns, and Trends
  - ILRIC 4325 – The European Social Model
  - ILRIC 4347 – Race, Inequality, and Labor: A Global Perspective
  - GOVT 3042 – The Politics of Technology
  - LATA 3065 – Immigrant America: Race and Citizenship in Modern Working-Class History
  - NES 3691 – Race and Slavery, Old and Modern
  - NES 4433 – The Lower East Side: Jews and the Immigrant City
  - HIST 2760 – The British Empire
  - HIST 4667 – Nationalism(s) in the Arab World
  - IARD 4030 – Traditional Agriculture in Developing Nations

## GROUP 4: CULTURAL STUDIES

- Core
  - ANTHR 2400 – Cultural Diversity and Contemporary Issues
- Electives
  - ANTHR 3245 – Across the Seas: Contacts between the Americas and the Old World Before Columbus
  - ANTHR 3420 – Myth, Ritual, and Symbol
  - ANTHR 3680 – Islam and the Ethnographic Imagination
  - ANTHR 3255/LATA – Ancient Mexico and Central America
  - ANTHR 4272 – Archaeology of Colonialism and Cultural Entanglement
  - ANTHR 4520 – Society and Culture in the Nilgiris: Engaged Research in Rural South India
  - ASRC 2870 – Freedom Writes: Literature of Global Justice Struggles
  - ASRC 4995 – Body Politics in African Literature and Cinema
  - FREN 2320 – Introduction to French and Francophone Film
  - FREN 3400 – French Identities: 21<sup>st</sup> Century Culture and Society in France
  - GERST 2040 – Perspectives on German Culture
  - GERST 4002 – Changing Worlds: Migration, Minorities, and German Literature
  - HIST 1561 – Introduction to the Ottoman Empire
  - HIST 1622 – The World of Modern Japan
  - HIST 2133 – Social Debates in China
  - HIST 2689 – Roman History
  - HIST 2960 – East Asian Martial Arts
  - HIST 2541/LATA 2308 – Modern Caribbean History
  - HIST 2715/SPAN 2715 – A Global South: Chile, the Pacific and the World
  - HIST 3519 – History of State and Society in Modern Iran: Through Literature and Film
  - HIST 4127 – The Body Politic in Asia
  - HIST 4543 – State and Society in the Late Ottoman Empire
  - HIST 4963 – China's Early Modern

- ITAL 2900 – Perspectives in Italian Culture
- LATA 3800 – Poetry and Poetics of the Americas
- LATA 4000 – Contemporary Issues in Latin – Latino America
- LATA 4155 – Topics in Latin American Art
- MUSIC 1350 – Music of the Arab World
- MUSIC 2207 – History of Western Music 1
- MUSIC 2330 – Music in and of East Asia
- MUSIC 3314 – Resistance, Reform, and Revolt: Sound and Music in Early Modern England
- MUSIC 3609 – Brazilian Ensemble – Deixa Sambar
- MUSIC 3610 – Cornell Gamelan Ensemble
- MUSIC 3612 – Pan-African Drum and Dance Ensemble
- PORT 2800 – Perspectives on Brazil
- RUSSL 2150 – Russian Culture, History, and Politics through Film
- SPAN 2140 – Modern Spanish Survey
- SPAN 2150 – Contemporary Latin American Survey
- SPAN 2170 – Early Modern Iberian Survey
- SPAN 2200 – Perspectives on Latin America
- SPAN 2205 – Perspectives on Latin America in Spanish
- SPAN 3270 – Genres of Memory in Latin America
- SPAN 3800 – Poetry and Poetics of the Americas
- SPAN 3900 – Latin American Film
- SPAN 3920 – Women’s Writing in Brazil and Argentina