INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS MINOR
Previous Semesters 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). 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 4290 – International Finance
  - AEM 4300 – International Trade Policy
  - ECON 4510 – International Trade Theory and Policy
  - ECON 4520 – International Monetary Theory and Policy

- Electives
  - AEM 3390 – Research Methods in International Development
  - AEM 4350 – Political Economy of the WTO
  - AEM 4420 – Emerging Markets
  - AEM 4421 – Research and Strategy in Emerging Markets
  - AEM 4450 – Food Policy for Developing Nations
  - AEM/ECON 4500 – Resource Economics
  - AEM 4545 – International Finance and Macroeconomics
  - AEM/ECON 4640 – Economics of Agricultural Development
  - ECON 3450/ILRLE 6420 – Economic Analysis of the Welfare State
  - ECON 3710 – Economic Development
  - ECON 4450/4630 – Industrial Policy
  - ECON 4690 – China’s Economy under Mao and Deng
  - ECON 4730 – Economics of Export-led Development
  - ECON 4820 – Environmental Economics
  - GOVT 3547 – US Primacy Challenged: IPE
  - ILRIC 2350 – Work, Labor, and Capital in the Global Economy
  - ILRIC 4313 – Labor and Social Movement Approaches to Climate Change
  - ILRIC 4314 – Israeli Labor Relations and Law in Comparative Perspect
  - ILRIC 4344 – International Labor Law
  - ILRIC 4360 – Global Comparative Disability Policy
GROUP 2: WORLD POLITICS AND FOREIGN POLICY

- Core
  - GOVT 1817 – Introduction to International Relations

- Electives
  - AMST/HIST 3140 – US in the World
  - ASIAN 2298 – The US-Vietnam War
  - ASRC 4600 – Politics and Social Change in the Caribbean
  - ASRC 4602 – Women and Gender Issues in Africa
  - GOVT 3303 – Politics of the Global North
  - GOVT 3313 – Middle Eastern Politics
  - GOVT 3403 – China under Revolution and Reform
  - GOVT 3443 – Southeast Asian Politics
  - GOVT 3635 – Human Rights and Global Justice
  - GOVT 3827 – China and the World
  - GOVT 3857 – American Foreign Policy
  - GOVT 3867 – The Causes of War
  - GOVT 3877 – Nuclear Security in a Changing World
  - GOVT 3988 – Democracy, Dictatorships, & US Foreign Policy
  - GOVT 4403 – War and the State
  - GOVT 4827 – Unifying while Integrating: China in the World
  - HIST 2163 – History of the United Nations
  - HIST 2230 – International Law
  - HIST 2440 – The United States in Vietnam
  - HIST 2571 – China Encounters the World
  - HIST 3710 – World War II in Europe
  - HIST 4050 – US-Cuban Relations
  - HIST 4460 – Strategy in World War II
GROUP 3: TRANSNATIONAL PROCESSES AND POLICIES

- Core
  - DSOC 2050 – International Development
  - DSOC 3230 – Gender and Global Change
  - GOVT 3549 – Capitalism, Competition, and Conflict in the Global Economy
  - GOVT 3897 – Human Rights at War
  - GOVT/SOC 3937 – Introduction to Peace and Conflict Studies
  - GOVT 3957 – New Forces in International Politics

- Electives
  - ASIAN/RELST 4462 – Religion, Colonialism, Nationalism in South and SE Asia
  - BSCO 2061 – Ethics and the Environment
  - BSOC/NTRES/STS 3311 – Environmental Governance
  - CRP 4170 – Economic Development: Firms, Industries, and Regions
  - DSOC 3700 – Comparative Social Inequalities
  - FDSC/IARD 4020 – Agriculture in Developing Nations I
  - GOVT/NES/JWST 2583/2687 – Environmental Issues in the Contemporary Middle East
  - GOVT/HIST/JWST 2716/2711 – Politics of Violence in 20th Century Europe
  - GOVT/CSS/BSOC/BIOLPL/STS/PLBR/IARD 4303 – The GMO Debate
  - HIST 2760 – The British Empire
  - HIST/NES/FGSS 4642/4640 – Women in the Modern Middle East
  - IARD 4940 – Special Topics in International Agriculture and Rural Development
  - NTRES 3320 – Introduction to Ethics and Environment
GROUP 4: CULTURAL STUDIES

- Core
  - ANTHR 1400 – The Comparison of Cultures
  - ANTHR 2400 – Cultural Diversity and Contemporary Issues
  - SOC 2480/GOV 3633 – Politics and Cultures

- Electives
  - AMST/HIST 2110 – Black Religious Traditions: Sacred and Secular
  - ANTHR/FGSS 3421/3210 – Sex and Gender in Cross-Cultural Perspective
  - ANTHR 3516 – Power, Society, and Culture in Southeast Asia
  - ANTHR 4725 – American Indian Lands and Sovereignties
  - ARTH 2350 – Introduction to Art History: Islamic Art and Culture
  - ARTH 2400 – Introduction to Art History: Renaissance and Baroque Art
  - ASIAN/HIST/CAPS 1191/1910 – Introduction to Modern Asian History
  - ASIAN 2208 – Introduction to Southeast Asia
  - ASIAN 2210 – Introduction to Japan
  - ASRC 2300 – African Cultures and Civilizations
  - ASRC 3300 – African History: Earliest Times to 1800
  - ASRC/SOC 4606/4780 – The Family and Society in Africa
  - FREN 3210 – Readings in Modern French Literature and Culture
  - FREN 3220 – Readings in Early Modern French Literature and Culture
  - HIST 1950 – Colonial Latin America
  - HIST 3050 – Eighteenth-Century Britain
  - HIST 3490 – Renaissance England, 1485-1660
  - ITAL 2900 – Perspectives in Italian Culture
  - ITAL 2970 – Introduction to Italian Literature
  - MUSIC 3614 – Middle Eastern Musical Ensemble
  - SPAN 2140 – Modern Spanish Survey
  - SPAN 2170 – Early Modern Iberian Survey
  - SPAN 2230 – Perspectives on Spain