

CAPSTONE INTERNATIONAL CENTER
Global and Cultural Perspectives Minor
(Spring 2024)

The University of Alabama’s Global and Cultural Perspectives Minor is designed to introduce the undergraduate student to the cultural, economic, physical, and political aspects of being a world citizen in the 21st century. The emphasis of the minor is the contemporary rather than the historical. Nine hours of the program are specified as core courses, and should be taken prior to the six upper division Emphasis Area hours.

To earn the Global and Cultural Perspectives Minor, students must successfully complete **15 hours** of coursework as specified below. Some courses may have prerequisites.

Students wishing to declare the minor in Global and Cultural Perspectives must schedule an advising appointment with Dr. Tayler Kent (tmkent@ua.edu).

CORE COURSES (9 hours):

CIP 200: Global and Cultural Perspectives (HU) **OR** **CIP 202:** Global and Cultural Perspectives: an Intercultural Experience (HU)
AND 2 of the following courses:

ANT 102: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (SB)

GY 105: World Regional Geography (SB) **OR** **GY 110:** People, Places, and Environment (SB)

REL 100: Introduction to Religious Studies (HU) **OR** **REL 102:** Introduction to Religions of the World (HU) **OR** **REL 105:** Honors Introduction to Religious Studies (HU)

SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology (SB)

With permission of Global and Cultural Perspectives adviser, certain upper level courses may be substituted for the 100-level courses above.

EMPHASIS COURSES (6 hours):

For advising, contact the Global and Cultural Perspectives Advisor, Dr. Tayler Kent, at tmkent@ua.edu.

- **Emphasis courses can be found across UA’s colleges & departments** (see below for the most recently identified options)
- Emphasis courses can be academic **hours earned overseas** (to be determined by Global and Cultural Perspectives Advisor)
- Emphasis courses can also be **Independent Study/Special Topics/Field Education/Directed Readings** (to be determined by Global and Cultural Perspectives Advisor)
- ALL Department of **Modern Languages & Classics courses and critical languages at the 300 to 400-level** are eligible
- Additional department specific courses are below; please note that as course offerings change and, subject to the approval of the Global and Cultural Perspectives advisor, additional courses may be used to satisfy the required emphasis hours. The courses below may not be offered every semester. Please consult the UA Academic Catalog for more information on course offerings.
- ****Students who plan to take any -200 level courses for Emphasis hours should first consult with an advisor from their college to be sure they are satisfying any requirements that may exist for upper-level residency in the minor.**

<p>Advertising & Public Relations APR 426: International Public Relations</p>	<p>American Studies **AMS 151: America and the World (HU) **AMS 231: Contemporary America (HU)</p>	<p>Anthropology **ANT 210: Language & Culture **ANT 275: Race, Ethnicity, & Human Variation ANT 311: Population, Health, & Human Origin ANT 317: Anthropology of Modern Life ANT 402: Health Inequities ANT 405: Culture, Mind and Behavior (W) ANT 411: Culture, Health, & Healing (W) ANT 412: Anthropology of Europe (W) ANT 413: Peoples of Latin America (W) ANT 414: Anthropology of Africa ANT 438: Anthropology of Art ANT 440: Culture (W)</p>
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<p>Art History ARH 381: Art Since WW2 ARH 378: Art of the African Diaspora (W) ART 455: Topics in Asian Art (W)</p>	<p>Clothing, Textiles, & Interior Design CTD 446: Cultural Dynamics: Apparel & Textile CTD 447: Textile & Apparel: International Trade</p>	<p>Communication Studies COM 465: Intercultural Communication (W) COM 413: Communication & Diversity (W)</p>
<p>Economics EC 430 International Trade EC/FI 431 International Finance</p>	<p>Education BEF/BEP 360: Social & Psychological Foundations of Education BEF 362: School, Culture and Society</p>	<p>English **EN 207: World Literature I or EN 217: Honors World Literature I (HU or L) **EN 208: World Literature II or EN 218: Honors World Literature II (HU or L) EN 411: Advanced Study Comparative Multi-Cultural Literature (W)</p>
<p>Geography GY 344: Geography of Africa GY 345: Geography of Latin America GY 346: Geography of Europe GY 377: Cultural Geography</p>	<p>Health Science HHE 446: Health Disparities</p>	<p>History HY 378: Drugs, Booze, & Mexican Society</p>
<p>Hospitality Management RHM 315 Food and Culture RHM 340 Sustainable Tourism RHM 400 International Tourism</p>	<p>International Business Administration **IBA 250: Context of Global Business IBA 350: Introduction to World Business IBA 351: Multinational Business Communication IBA 455: Global Marketing</p>	<p>Journalism and Creative Media JCM 312 International Cinema JCM 480 International Media Production JCM 494 Global Media Systems</p>
<p>Music **MUS 250: Music in World Cultures (FA)</p>	<p>New College **NEW 237: Social Problems and Social Change (SB) **NEW 238: Social Problems and Social Change (SB) (UH) NEW 472: Social Change (W) NEW 474: Survival NEW 490: Music & Activism: Global Case Studies</p>	<p>Philosophy PHL 343: Philosophical Issues in International Law</p>
<p>Political Science **PSC 204: International Relations PSC 331: Politics of Developing Nations PSC 332: Politics of Latin America PSC 334: Government and Politics of Western Europe PSC 336: African Politics PSC 337: Politics of the Middle East PSC 338: Mexican Politics PSC 345: Issues in Global Governance PSC 413: American Foreign Policy PSC 421-004: Humanitarianism PSC 434: International Political Economy PSC 439: Politics and Policy of the United Kingdom PSC 442: International Conflict PSC 444: International Organizations PSC 449: International Relations of the Middle East</p>	<p>Religious Studies **REL 209: Buddhism (HU) **REL 220: Survey of Asian Religions (HU) **REL 224: Judaism (HU) **REL 226: African Diaspora Religions (HU) **REL 236: Islam (HU) **REL 238 Philosophies of Judaism REL 322: Tales from Asia (W) REL 321: Religion & Identity in South Asia</p>	<p>Social Work SW 419: International Social Work</p>

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