

International and Global Studies Major Advising Wizard

African Studies

[IGS program overview and IGAS requirements](#)

Student's name: _____ Advisor's name: _____
Admit term: _____ Grad Term: _____ Form completed on: _____

Requirements

Core Course

- IGST 101 (Introduction to International & Global Studies). Completed

Regional Courses

Take five [African-themed courses](#) in at least three departments. At least three regional courses should be primarily on the country that is the focus of language study. At least three regional courses must be taken at Middlebury.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Global Courses

[Three global courses; only one at 100-level](#)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Language

- Language proficiency: French OR Swahili
- If studying French, study an indigenous African language while abroad: _____
- Advanced French course or independent study in Swahili after Study Abroad: _____

Study Abroad

- Study abroad program and location: _____
Please note: For courses taken abroad to be considered a regional or global course, bring a syllabus and all written work to Track Director or IGS Director. **Subject to approval.**
*Class of 2022, 2022.5, 2023, 2023.5 only: in lieu of study abroad, students will take a minimum of two language courses at 300 level and above. **
- *Additional language courses in lieu of Study Abroad:
 1. _____
 2. _____

Senior Work

- Seminar: One IGST 400-level seminar (or with permission of IGS director, a thematic senior seminar in a department): _____

Optional:

1. Two-term senior thesis. It cannot substitute for the required senior seminar (see details in next page).
 2. One-term project (IGST 0700 X). It cannot substitute for the required senior seminar.
- Optional senior project working title and advisor: _____

Only ONE winter term course will count towards major. There can be no double counting of any course.

Thesis guidelines and deadlines

<http://www.middlebury.edu/academics/igs/thesis>

700-level Prerequisites

IGS Students who intend to write a thesis in one of the following disciplines should prepare as follows.

Anthropology: Students who wish to work on a one- or two-semester senior project should work with their advisor(s) to ensure they are sufficiently prepared. Those who elect to work on a project for more than one semester must present their progress for review by two professors who will decide whether the project qualifies for extended study.

Geography: Students interested in writing an IGST thesis with a faculty member in Geography should work closely with that advisor to assure they complete coursework to sufficiently prepare themselves methodologically for thesis work.

History: Students must take HIST 0600 in the fall or spring of the junior year or the fall of the senior year.

History of Art and Architecture: Students writing a thesis must take HARC 0301 in lieu of one of the 4 electives at the 0200-level.

Political Science: one methods course (either PSCI 0213 or PSCI 0210).

Religion: Students must begin by writing a one-semester Senior Project which, if judged successful by the thesis adviser, may be continued as a two-semester thesis.

Sociology: Students must take SOCI 105. Additionally, students are strongly encouraged to take SOCI 301 or SOCI 302 by their junior year.

TO BE FILLED OUT BY IGS DIRECTOR SEMESTER PRIOR TO GRADUATION

Degree Audit for degree completion in _____
Month Year

Completion of Major

Student Name: _____ ID# _____

Major (include track for International and Global Studies):

1st: _____

2nd: _____

Single, Double, or Joint: _____

Courses completed (all courses refer to major department):

1st _____ 2nd _____

Courses in progress:

1st _____ 2nd _____

Courses needed:

1st _____ 2nd _____

Total number of courses to be counted toward major: 1st _____ 2nd _____

Comments (include here any approved waivers, substitutions or special arrangements):

I have reviewed this plan and affirm that successful completion of the courses listed above will complete the major requirements:

1st Department Chair/Program Director Approval

2nd Department Chair/Program Director Approval

Print Name

Print Name

Date

Date

Completion of General College Requirements

Student Name: _____

Degree requirements are explained in the College Handbook, available online at <http://www.middlebury.edu/about/handbook/ug-college-policies/ug-policies/academics/degree-requires>

Using your online Degree Progress Worksheet as a guide, please indicate below the Middlebury College Graduation Requirements that you have completed and indicate how you plan to complete any that are still needed:

1. **Distribution requirements** (check categories already completed):
 - a. Academic Categories: (Students must take at least one course in seven of the eight categories and count a single course in only one academic category.)

ART DED HIS LIT LNG PHL SCI SOC
 - b. Cultures and Civilizations: (Students are required to complete all)

AAL CMP EUR NOR (students who entered before fall 2017)
2. **College Writing** (indicate courses completed that satisfy these requirements):
 - a. First-year seminar (a writing-intensive course taken in the first semester): _____
 - b. A second writing-intensive course taken after the first semester: _____
3. **Physical Education:** _____ of two noncredit courses completed.
4. **Graduation units:**
 - a. _____ of 36 required course units completed.
 - b. _____ courses are currently enrolled.
 - c. At least 18 courses have been earned at Middlebury
Check: Yes No
 - d. At least two course units were earned in Winter Term.
Check: Yes No
 - e. No more than four Winter Term courses have been completed.
Check: Yes No
5. Do you have transfer credits pending? (i.e., from a semester or year abroad, away at a US college or university, or from summer school?) If "yes", please describe:

Student Signature	Print Name	Date
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Advisor Signature	Print Name	Date
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Please retain a record of this in student file.