

# International and Global Studies Major Advising Wizard Global Environmental Change

[IGS program overview and IGEC 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:

### Thematic Courses

Five [thematic courses](#) in at least three departments. At least three thematic courses must be taken on the Middlebury College campus.

- One Introductory: \_\_\_\_\_
- Two Impact of Environmental Change: \_\_\_\_\_  
**And:** \_\_\_\_\_
- One Social and Environmental (In)Justice: \_\_\_\_\_
- One Responses and Adaptation to Environmental Change: \_\_\_\_\_
- Course in lieu of advanced language course (if region of focus is South Asia): \_\_\_\_\_

### Regional Courses

Three [regional courses](#) corresponding to your language of specialization.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

### Language

Competency in one of the languages taught at Middlebury College.

- Language study: \_\_\_\_\_
- One advanced language course (after returning from abroad): \_\_\_\_\_

### Study Abroad

- Study abroad program and location: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please note: In order 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

- 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):

**1<sup>st</sup>**: \_\_\_\_\_ **2<sup>nd</sup>**: \_\_\_\_\_

**Single, Double, or Joint:** \_\_\_\_\_

Courses completed (all courses refer to major department):

1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

Courses in progress:

1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

Courses needed:

1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

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:

\_\_\_\_\_  
1<sup>st</sup> Department Chair/Program Director Approval

\_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> 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:

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

