

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MAJOR CHECKLIST (122 s.h.) International Development and Cultural Change Track 2023-24 Academic Calendar

THIS CHECKLIST IS INTENDED TO ASSIST STUDENTS AND ADVISORS IN ENSURING THAT ALL REQUIREMENTS ARE MET. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STUDENT TO ENSURE THAT ALL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GRANTING OF A DEGREE HAVE BEEN MET.

### 1. Inquiry: Ways of Knowing - Core Requirements (37 s.h.\*)

\*University Core Requirements are modified for students who transfer in with 57 s.h. or more of initial transfer credit. See Academic Calendar for details ([twu.ca/calendar](http://twu.ca/calendar))

✓	COURSE	S.H.	NOTES	✓	COURSE	S.H.	NOTES	
<b>FOUNDATIONAL INQUIRIES (28 sem. hrs.)</b>				<input type="checkbox"/>	Academic Writing Requirement <sup>2</sup>			
<i>Academic Research &amp; Writing</i>				<b>WAYS OF KNOWING (9 sem. hrs.)</b>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL _____	3	Choose 2 courses (6 sem. hrs.) from ENGL 101, 102, 103, 104.	In addition to the courses on the left, students must take an additional 18 sem. hrs., selecting 3 sem. hrs. from each of the following six categories. *At least 9 sem. hrs. must be from outside of the student's major.				
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL _____	3						
<i>Foundations</i>				<i>Aesthetic &amp; Performance Inquiry</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	FNDN 101	1	Compulsory during the first semester of the first year. <sup>1</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	3	Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Aesthetic & Performance Inquiry category below.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	FNDN 102	3	Normally taken before year 3.	<i>Cultural &amp; Linguistic Inquiry</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	FNDN 201	3		**	**	**	Satisfied by Program Requirements.	
<i>Logical &amp; Ethical Reasoning</i>				<i>Experiential &amp; Embodied Inquiry</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	PHIL _____	3	Choose one of PHIL 100, 103, 105, 106, 109, or 210.	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	3	Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Experiential & Embodied Inquiry category below.	
<i>Religious &amp; Spiritual Thought</i>				<i>Historical &amp; Archival Inquiry</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	RELS 110	3	Compulsory during the first semester of the first year.	**	**	**	Satisfied by Program Requirements.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	RELS 111	3		<i>Quantitative &amp; Computational Inquiry</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	RELS 112	3		<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	3	Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Quantitative & Computational Inquiry category below.	
<i>Scientific Method &amp; Lab Research</i>				<i>Social &amp; Global Inquiry</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	3	Choose one of BIOL 103, 104, 113/198, 114/199, 216, 241, 262; CHEM 101, 103/198, 111/198; GENV 109, 121, 262; GEOL 109; PHYS 111.	**	**	**	Satisfied by Program Requirements.	

<sup>1</sup>FNDN 101 is compulsory during the first semester of the first year for all new students unless they have a minimum 24 sem. hrs. initial transfer credit.

<sup>2</sup>Academic Writing Requirement: students must take WRTG 100 (native English speakers) or WRTG 101 (non-native English speakers) in their first semester at TWU, unless exempt at the time of admission to the University. WRTG course credit may be included toward a degree program as elective credit.

#### Aesthetic & Performance Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: ART 181, 182, 250; ENGL 207, 208, 310; HKIN 342; MCOM 211, 221, 231, 369; MUSI 110; PHIL 370; SAMC 111, 370; THTR 130, 161; any Music Ensembles; any Music Lessons.

#### Experiential & Embodied Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: ART 305, 306, 307; BIOL 316, 318, 362, 364, 409, 410; BIOT 200, 300, 400, 409, 410; BUSI 395, 396, 49x; CHEM 409, 410; CMPT 409, 410; EDUC 302, 303, 402, 403; GENV 131, 316, 318, 372, 373, 374, 375, 409, 410; HIST 310, 315, 316; HKIN 201, 202, 216, 235, 266, 336, 355, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460; LING 398, 399; MATH 409, 410; MCOM 281, 391, 392, 393; NURS 213; POLS 395, 396; PSYC 322, 497, 498; SOCI 320, 411, 420; THTR 101, 102, 151, 152, 153, 154, 175, 210, 301, 302, 351, 352, 353, 354; any 1 sem. hr. HKIN Activity course; any Travel Study.

#### Quantitative & Computational Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: BUSI 176, 275; CHEM 104, 112; CMPT 140; DATA 100; ECON 176, 275; GENV 282, 382, 383; MATH 102, 108, 123, 150, 190, 191; PHYS 112; PSYC 207; SOCI 207; SOCS 305, 383.

➤ **NOTE:** A total of 122 s.h. of credit, including a minimum of 42 s.h. (30 s.h. in the major) of upper-level credit is required for graduation. A minimum overall (cumulative) GPA of 2.00 is required for graduation.

➤ **NOTE:** In order to be eligible for graduation you must complete an Application for Graduation via the Student Portal and submit a completed checklist to the Office of the Registrar by April 30 of the year prior to your completion (there is no fee to apply for graduation). Once your complete application has been received, a degree audit will be completed for you. This audit will confirm which courses are still outstanding in order for you to complete your degree.

## 2. International Studies Requirements (57 s.h.\*)

\*30 s.h. must be upper-level credit

### 2.1 Required Courses (15 s.h.)

✓	COURSE	S.H.	NOTES	✓	COURSE	S.H.	NOTES
<input type="checkbox"/>	POLS 101	3		<input type="checkbox"/>	ECON 230	3	
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST 109	3		<input type="checkbox"/>	MCOM 372	3	
<input type="checkbox"/>	POLS 211	3					

### 2.2 Area Studies (12 s.h.)

✓	COURSE	S.H.	NOTES
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	Choose 12 s.h. from the following: MCOM 395, 396; ENGL 482; FREN 350; POLS 378; GENV 343, 344; HIST 325, 371, 372, 381, 382; HIST/POLS 334, 352, 436; POLS 391, 392, 421, 422, 425; RELS 364; or approved CCCU Study Abroad Courses
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	

### 2.3 International Development and Cultural Change Track Requirements (15 s.h.\*\*)

\*\*Along with the above requirements, students must choose 15 s.h. from the following track requirements.

✓	COURSE	S.H.	NOTES
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	Choose 15 s.h. from the following: ECON 330, 480; GENV 212, 282; HIST 392; POLS 308; 312 or 314; 430 or 431; SOCI 315 or 405.
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	

### 2.4 Major Electives (15 s.h.)

✓	COURSE	S.H.	NOTES
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	Select 15 s.h. from the following: ANTH 101, 210; MCOM 472; ECON 110, 201, 202, 302; GENV 111, 354, 382; HIST 107, 108, 403, 409, 423, 424; LING 101, 210, 481; HIST/POLS 355, 406, 436, 440; POLS 234, 308, 310, 312, 314, 320, 391, 392, 421, 430, 493; RELS 285, 384, 386, 460; SOCI 315, 405.
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	May include up to 6 s.h. of approved practicum credit.

## 3. Ancillary Requirements (6 s.h.)

✓	COURSE	S.H.	NOTES	✓	NOTES
<input type="checkbox"/>		3	6 s.h. of an approved modern language other than English.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Experiential learning requirement:</b> International Studies Majors MUST take either the Laurentian Leadership Centre Program in Ottawa, or a TWU travel study course. This requirement may be waived in cases where students can provide evidence of international experience.
<input type="checkbox"/>		3			

\*Students with demonstrated capability in a second language may have this requirement waived. Students who have English as a second language may be encouraged to take additional English courses beyond those required in the core.

## 4. Elective Courses (22 s.h.)

STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED, BUT NOT REQUIRED, TO TAKE ELECTIVE CLASSES THAT CONTRIBUTE TO A CONCENTRATION OR A MINOR. IF YOU CHOOSE TO TAKE A CONCENTRATION OR A MINOR, PLEASE ATTACH THE APPROPRIATE CONCENTRATION/MINOR CHECKLIST AVAILABLE AT [twu.ca/advising](http://twu.ca/advising). ALTERNATIVELY, STUDENTS MAY FULFILL ELECTIVE CREDITS WITH ADDITIONAL COURSES FROM THEIR AREA OF STUDY.

✓	SUBJECT	COURSE#	S.H.	NOTES	✓	SUBJECT	COURSE#	S.H.	NOTES
<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>				
<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>				
<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>				
<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>				

		YEAR 1
✓	s.h.	Fall
	1	FNDN 101
	3	RELS 110
	3	ENGL 103
	3	PHIL <sup>1</sup>
	3	ECON 230
	3	POLS 101
		Semester Total: 16

		YEAR 2
✓	s.h.	Fall
	3	FNDN 201
	3	GENV 121
	3	Language <sup>2</sup>
	3	Track <sup>4</sup>
	3	Elective
		Semester Total: 15

		YEAR 3
✓	s.h.	Fall
	3	SOCS 305
	3	Track <sup>4</sup>
	3	Core <sup>6</sup>
	3	Area Study <sup>3</sup>
	3	Elective
		Semester Total: 15

		YEAR 4
✓	s.h.	Fall
	3	Track <sup>4</sup>
	3	Elective <sup>5</sup>
	3	Elective <sup>5</sup>
	3	Area Study <sup>3</sup>
	3	Elective
	1	Elective
		Semester Total: 15

		YEAR 1
✓	s.h.	Spring
	3	FNDN 102
	3	RELS 111
	3	ENGL 104
	3	HIST 108
	3	POLS 211
		Semester Total: 15

		YEAR 2
✓	s.h.	Spring
	3	RELS 112
	3	Language <sup>2</sup>
	3	Track <sup>4</sup>
	3	Elective
	3	MCOM 372
		Semester Total: 15

		YEAR 3
✓	s.h.	Spring
	3	Area Study <sup>3</sup>
	3	Core <sup>6</sup>
	3	Elective <sup>5</sup>
	3	Elective <sup>5</sup>
	3	Elective
		Semester Total: 15

		YEAR 4
✓	s.h.	Spring
	3	Track <sup>4</sup>
	3	Elective <sup>5</sup>
	3	Area Study <sup>3</sup>
	3	Elective
	3	Elective
		Semester Total: 15

## COURSE LEGEND

### Core Courses

- Choose one of PHIL 100, 103, 105, 106, 109, or 210.
- Core electives should be chosen as follows:
  - ONE Aesthetic and Performance Inquiry
  - ONE Experiential & Embodied Inquiry

### Major Courses

- Area Studies:** choose a total of 12 s.h. from: MCOM 395, 396; ENGL 482; FREN 350; GENV 343, 344; HIST 325, 371, 372, 381, 382; HIST/POLS 334, 352, 436; POLS 378, 391, 392, 421, 422, 425; RELS 364, or approved CCCU Courses.
- International Affairs Track:** choose a total of 15 s.h. from: POLS 312, 308 *or* 314, 430, 431; HIST/POLS 355, 406, 436, 440  
**Political Economy Track:** choose a total of 15 s.h. from: ECON 102, 201, 302, GENV 354, POLS 308, 314, 487/488  
**International Development Track:** choose a total of 15 s.h. from: ECON 330, 480; GENV 212, 282; HIST 392; POLS 308; 312 *or* 314; 430 *or* 431; SOCI 315 *or* 405.
- Major Electives:** choose 15 s.h. from: ANTH 101, 210; MCOM 472; ECON 110, 201, 202, 302; GENV 111, 354, 382; HIST 107, 108, 403, 409, 423, 424; LING 101, 210, 481; HIST/POLS 355, 406, 436, 440; POLS 234, 308, 310, 312, 314, 320, 391, 392, 421, 430, 493; RELS 285, 384, 386, 460; SOCI 315, 405.

### Major + Core Courses

### Ancillary Courses

- Choose a total of 6 s.h. of an approved modern language other than English.

### Ancillary + Core Courses

### Electives

*Summer Sessions are encouraged to reduce semester load and/or repeat courses.*

*This is an example of what a 4-year degree plan might look like. It is not the official program checklist. In the case of any discrepancy between this program plan and the checklist, the checklist shall prevail. It is the student's responsibility to ensure they complete all program requirements as laid out in the approved checklist.*