

GLOBAL STUDIES - ASSOCIATE IN ARTS FOR TRANSFER

The Associate in Arts degree for Transfer (AA-T) in Global Studies meets the lower division course requirements necessary for the California State University (CSU) system. The Global Studies program includes courses focused on the subject-matter knowledge and competence needed to initiate study of Global Studies, Global Politics, International Relations, International Studies, or International Relations and Comparative Politics. Students majoring in Global Studies develop critical thinking, problem-solving, and written and verbal communication skills. As Global Studies majors, students have learning opportunities that are relevant to many types of careers, including work in national diplomatic service, international organizations, economic development, management of non-governmental organizations, business and commerce, or environmental preservation.

To be awarded the Associate in Arts in Global Studies for Transfer degree, students must:

(1) Complete 60 semester units or 90 quarter units which are eligible for transfer to the California State University (CSU) system, including both of the following:

(A) The California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) Requirements.

(B) A minimum of 18 semester units or 27 quarter units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.

(2) Obtain a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

While a minimum of 2.0 is required for admission, some majors may require a higher GPA. Please consult with a counselor for more information.

Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADTs) also require that students must earn a "C" or better in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis. A "P" (Pass) grade is an acceptable grade for courses in the major if the course is taken on a "pass/no pass" basis.

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Describe globalization and its relationship to national, regional and cultural diversity.
- Critically examine global issues from both interdisciplinary and international perspectives.
- Select and employ relevant research techniques to analyze initiatives developed to address global challenges.

Major Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
Required Core:		6
GLOBL 001	Introduction to Global Studies	3
GLOBL 002	Global Issues	3
Complete Five Courses from at least four of the following areas		15-19

AREA 1: CULTURE AND SOCIETY

ANTH 063	Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology	3
HIST 011B	World History from 1500	3
AREA 2: GEOGRAPHY		
GEOG 010	Introduction to Physical Geography	3
GEOG 011	Introduction to Cultural Geography	3
GEOG 012	World Regions in Global Context	3
AREA 3: ECONOMICS		
ECON 010A	Principles of Macroeconomic Theory	3
ECON 010B	Introduction to Microeconomic Theory	3
AREA 4: POLITICS		
POLSC 002	Comparative Politics	3
POLSC 004	International Relations	3
AREA 5: HUMANITIES		
GLOBL 007	Global Citizenship/Civics	3
HUMNT 002	Introduction to World Literature	3
FREN 002A	Intermediate French	5
FREN 002B	Intermediate French	5
SPAN 002A	Intermediate Spanish 1	5
SPAN 002B	Intermediate Spanish 2	5
Total Units		21-25

AA-T Degree Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
Major Requirements		21-25
Cal-GETC Requirements		34
Transferable Electives (as needed to reach 60)		13-20
Total Units		60