GLOBAL AND REGIONAL STUDIES PROGRAM

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For 45 years, UVM's Global and Regional Studies Program (previously known as Area & International Studies) has promoted regional and global awareness, international development programs, and exciting career opportunities. Global and Regional Studies is an interdisciplinary program that encompasses African Studies, Asian Studies, Canadian Studies, European Studies, Global Studies, Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Middle East Studies, Russian and East European Studies, and Vermont Studies. Rather than simply providing a window through which students can observe other regions of the world, the individual GRS programs seek to engage actively with those regions and their cultural, political, economic, environmental, and social issues. As such, graduates of our programs are prepared to enter exciting careers in government, business, law, journalism, or education.

MAJORS

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Asian Studies B.A. (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/asianstudiesba/)

European Studies B.A. (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/europeanstudiesba/)

Global Studies B.A. (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/globalstudiesba/)

Latin American and Caribbean Studies B.A. (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/latincaribbeanstudiesba/)

Russian and East European Studies B.A. (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/russianeasteuropeanstudiesba/)

MINORS

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African Studies (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/africanstudiesminor/)

Asian Studies (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/asianstudiesminor/)

Canadian Studies (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/canadianminor/)

European Studies (http://catalogue.uvm.edu/undergraduate/artsandsciences/globalandregional/europeanstudiesminor/)

Courses

GRS 001. D2:SU: Intro to Global Studies. 3 Credits.
An interdisciplinary introduction to the social, political, economic, natural, and cultural dimensions of globalization and transnational interdependencies.

GRS 090. Internship. 1-3 Credits.
On-site supervised work experience combined with a structured academic learning plan directed by a faculty member or a faculty-staff team in which a faculty member is the instructor of record, for which academic credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion.

GRS 095. Introductory Special Topics. 1-18 Credits.
See Schedule of Courses for specific titles.

GRS 096. Introductory Special Topics. 1-18 Credits.
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GRS 097. Independent Study. 1-18 Credits.
A course which is tailored to fit the interests of a specific student, which occurs outside the traditional classroom/laboratory setting under the supervision of a faculty member, for which credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion.

GRS 111. SU: Race, Identity & Migrant Labor. 3 Credits.
Spanish composition and conversation course that explores the Mexican and Mexican-American experience in the United States during the nineteenth, twentieth, and twenty-first centuries and focuses on issues of sustainability, food sovereignty and institutionalized racism in service-learning and global contexts. Prerequisites: SPAN 052 or SPAN 080 or equivalent; GRS 001 recommended. Cross-listed with: SPAN 111.

GRS 157. D2: Int’l Politics Middle East. 3 Credits.
Survey of the politics of the Middle East since World War II. Includes sessions on specific countries, discussions of topics ranging from democratization to terrorism to social media use, and debate on current policy dilemmas in the region. Prerequisite: POLS 051. Cross-listed with: POLS 157.
GRS 167. D2: Terrorism & Counterterrorism. 3 Credits.
Overview of scholarly research on terrorism and counterterrorism efforts, engagement with debates on the appropriateness of the term terrorism, information on terrorist movements (both historical and contemporary), and a discussion of policy responses to terrorism. Prerequisite: POLS 051. Cross-listed with: POLS 167.

GRS 191. Internship. 1-18 Credits.
On-site supervised work experience combined with a structured academic learning plan directed by a faculty member or a faculty-staff team in which a faculty member is the instructor of record, for which academic credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion.

GRS 192. Internship. 1-18 Credits.
On-site supervised work experience combined with a structured academic learning plan directed by a faculty member or a faculty-staff team in which a faculty member is the instructor of record, for which academic credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion.

GRS 193. Teaching Assistantship. 1-3 Credits.
Undergraduate student service as a teaching assistant, usually in an introductory-level course in the discipline, for which credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion.

GRS 195. Intermediate Special Topics. 1-18 Credits.
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GRS 196. Intermediate Special Topics. 1-18 Credits.
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GRS 197. Independent Study. 1-18 Credits.
A course which is tailored to fit the interests of a specific student, which occurs outside the traditional classroom/laboratory setting under the supervision of a faculty member, for which credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion. Prerequisites: Minimum Junior standing and permission of Program Director.

GRS 198. Undergraduate Research. 1-18 Credits.
Undergraduate student work on individual or small team research projects under the supervision of a faculty member, for which credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion. Prerequisites: Minimum Junior standing and permission of Instructor.

GRS 296. Advanced Special Topics. 1-18 Credits.
See Schedule of Courses for specific titles. Prerequisite: Instructor permission.

GRS 297. Independent Study. 1-18 Credits.
A course which is tailored to fit the interests of a specific student, which occurs outside the traditional classroom/laboratory setting under the supervision of a faculty member, for which credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion. Prerequisites: Minimum Junior standing and permission of Program Director.

GRS 298. Undergraduate Research. 1-18 Credits.
Undergraduate student work on individual or small team research projects under the supervision of a faculty member, for which credit is awarded. Offered at department discretion. Prerequisites: Minimum Junior standing and permission of Instructor.