

# BCLA Major Worksheet

# International Relations

LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_

LMU ID# \_\_\_\_\_

2nd MAJOR or MINOR \_\_\_\_\_

Consult your advisor regarding proper course sequencing and course selection for the major.

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| Core Curriculum Requirements   |              |              |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| First Year Seminar   | 3-4          | FOUNDATIONS  |
| Rhetorical Arts  | 4            |              |
| Quantitative Reasoning   | 3-4          |              |
| Theological Inquiry: 1000-level  | 4            |              |
| Philosophical Inquiry: PHIL 1800   | 4            |              |
| Studies in American Diversity  | 3-4          |              |
| Creative Experience  | 3-4          | EXPLORATIONS |
| Historical Analysis & Perspectives:<br>HIST 1000 level (except US History; HIST 13XX-14XX) is required for IRLT majors | 4            |              |
| Nature of Science, Technology & Mathematics  | 3            |              |
| Understanding Human Behavior<br>Satisfied by ECON 1050, POLS 1400, or POLS 1600  | ✓            |              |
| Ethics & Justice   | 4            | INTEGRATIONS |
| Faith & Reason   | 4            |              |
| Interdisciplinary Connections<br>Satisfied by POLS 4650  | 4            |              |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>43-47</b> |              |

Years 1 and 2  
Years 2 and 3  
Years 3 and 4

| FLAGS Core Requirement           |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Writing 1                        |  |
| Writing 2                        |  |
| Oral Skills                      |  |
| Information Literacy: POLS 4650  |  |
| Quantitative Literacy: POLS 2100 |  |
| Engaged Learning                 |  |

| Total Units Required                             |              |            |
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| Core   |              | 43-47      |
| Major Requirements                               |              | 40         |
| Electives (non Major)                            |              | 37-41      |
|  | <b>Total</b> | <b>124</b> |
| A minimum of 45 upper division units is required |              |            |

| International Relations Major   |              |             |
|---|--------------|-------------|
| Lower Division Requirements   |              |             |
| POLS 1400: Intro to Comparative Politics (EBHV)   |              | 4           |
| POLS 1600: Intro to International Relations (EBHV)  |              | 4           |
| POLS 2100: Empirical Approaches (LQTR)  |              | 4           |
| ECON 1050: Introductory Economics (EHBV)  |              | 4           |
|   | <b>Total</b> | <b>16</b>   |
| Upper Division Requirements <sup>3</sup>  |              |             |
| POLS 3620: International Security   |              | 4           |
| POLS 4650: Politics of the Global Economy (LINL, IINC)  |              | 4           |
| Upper Division Electives: Courses with International focus from POLS, ECON, SOCL or HIST, or Advanced Methods course (eg. POLS 4100).<br>See the updated list on the IRLT website;<br><a href="http://bellarmine.lmu.edu/politicalscience/academics/internationalrelationsprogram/internationalrelationsmajorrequirements/">http://bellarmine.lmu.edu/politicalscience/academics/internationalrelationsprogram/internationalrelationsmajorrequirements/</a> |              | 4<br>4<br>4 |
| POLS 5000-Level Seminar in International Relations or Comparative Politics OR IRLT Honors (2 semesters)   |              | 4           |
| POLS 5700: Senior Assessment  |              | 0           |
|   | <b>Total</b> | <b>24</b>   |

| Other Requirements |  |
|--------------------|--|
| A                  | Two semesters of foreign language, or proficiency, AND   |
| B                  | <u>International Experience</u> :<br>Study abroad (including the Washington Center) during a fall, spring, or summer semester. The program must be at least 6 units. |

| Notes |   |
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| 1     | An average grade of C (2.0) must be earned in major courses.  |
| 2     | A maximum of 40 upper division units in IRLT will be accepted toward degree requirements. Minimum upper division POLS is 12 units.  |
| 3     | Students who attain a minimum GPA of 3.6, both overall and in the major, are eligible to enroll in POLS 5800 Honors Seminar in the fall and to write an Honors Thesis (POLS 5810) in the spring of their senior year. |