

Whitehead School of Diplomacy and International Relations



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The John C. Whitehead School of Diplomacy and International Relations, established in alliance with the United Nations Association of the United States of America, prepares students from around the world to become the next generation of global leaders. The Whitehead School's academic programs provide students with critical knowledge and concrete skills essential to international careers in public service, business, law and the nonprofit sector.

Students participate in an innovative curriculum that educates students from an international perspective, with an emphasis on global studies, multilateral diplomacy, conflict resolution, international management, economics and leadership training. A distinguished faculty of scholars and professionals bring cutting-edge theory and practical perspectives to the classroom. A unique link with the United Nations exposes students to the policymakers and practitioners addressing today's worldwide concerns.

A degree from the Whitehead School of Diplomacy enables graduates to be effective and ethical leaders in their professional careers and to engage dynamically in the complexities of a global society.

"The vocation of every man and woman is to serve other people."

LEO TOLSTOY

Master of Arts in Diplomacy and International Relations

The graduate curriculum combines interdisciplinary global studies with research methodology and policy analysis, culminating in a professional internship and major research project. To attain the M.A. degree, students complete a total of 45 credit hours, satisfying core curriculum requirements and concentrating in two fields of specialization. Specializations offer students the opportunity to structure their academic studies according to their particular interests, career goals and back-

ground. Among the functional specializations offered are human rights, international economics and development, international organizations, international law, negotiation and conflict management, and global health and human security. Regional specializations in Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America and the Caribbean, and the Middle East are also available.

At the Whitehead School of Diplomacy, graduate students of diverse cultural, educational and professional backgrounds form an international academic community. The graduate program fosters leadership and civic responsibility, while sharpening analytical and practical skills. Small classes create a supportive environment that encourages mentoring relationships. An active graduate student association engages in a variety of projects and activities. Graduate assistantships, research assistantships and positions on the student-edited *Seton Hall Journal of Diplomacy and International Relations* are awarded on a competitive basis.

The School participates in six dual degree programs designed to prepare students to bring diplomacy to the professions of business, law, communications and nonprofit management, and to specialize in Asian Studies.

Application and Admission

Graduate applications are considered on a rolling basis; the preferred deadlines are May 1 (Fall), October 1 (Spring) and February 1 (Summer).

- For admission, applicants must hold a baccalaureate degree or equivalent from an accredited college or university.
- Standardized test scores are required from applicants who have graduated from U.S. undergraduate or graduate programs as well as any applicant who has graduated from an undergraduate institution where the primary language of instruction is English. (GRE, GMAT, LSAT)
- Applicants who have graduated from undergraduate institutions in which English is not the primary language of instruction and/or whose native language is not English, may substitute TOEFL scores in place of the GRE, GMAT or LSAT. In general, a TOEFL score of 600 for the written exam and 250 for the computer exam is expected.
- The School of Diplomacy reserves the right to require additional information or request a personal interview.

Application material must include:

- official transcripts from each college and university attended for credit toward any previous degree;
- a type-written 250-500 word personal statement discussing professional goals, and special accomplishments or experiences;
- three completed academic and/or professional recommendation forms and accompanying letters;
- official standardized test scores, to be submitted by test administrator;
- application fee of \$50.

For additional information, contact the Director of Graduate Admission at (973) 275-2514.

Academic Information

Academic Standing

In order to maintain good academic standing, students must have a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of at least 3.0. Students whose G.P.A.s fall below 3.0 will be placed on academic probation. The academic progress of these students will be reviewed each semester. Poor academic standing may result in dismissal.

Graduate Assistantships

The School may award one or more graduate assistantships each year to full-time students exhibiting high academic and professional potential. Graduate assistants are assigned 20 hours of work per week in support of faculty research and administrative work. The award consists of a 10-month appointment with a small stipend and partial or full tuition remission.

Degree Requirements

To attain the degree of Master of Arts in Diplomacy and International Relations, all students must satisfactorily complete a total of 45 credits of study.

Required Core (24 credits)

I. General requirements: all students must successfully complete:

DIPL 6000	International Relations Theory
DIPL 6310	Research Methods for Policy Analysis
DIPL 6311	Master's Research Project
DIPL 7111	Internship

II. Distribution requirements: students must successfully complete one from each of the following pairs. These courses can not be counted toward a specialization.

DIPL 6001 or DIPL 6180	Politics of Cultural and Ethnic Pluralism Comparative Foreign Policy
DIPL 6002 or DIPL 6005	International Organizations Public International Law
DIPL 6104 or DIPL 6130	Art and Science of International Negotiation International Security
DIPL 6105 or DIPL 6155	International Political Economy Advanced Economic Aspects of International Relations

Diplomacy Elective (3 credits)

Students may take any 6000 or 7000 level course. These courses may not be counted toward other degree requirements.

Specializations (18 credits)

Students must select two specializations and take a minimum of three courses for each specialization. Courses taken in one specialization may not be counted toward another specialization or to meet any other requirements. Other courses may qualify for specializations by permission of the Associate or Assistant Dean. Certain specializations require a foundation course where indicated by an asterisk *.

I. Functional Specializations*Global Health and Human Security*

- DIPL 6277 Global Health, Bioterrorism, and International Security *
- DIPL 6004 Peacemaking and Peacekeeping
- DIPL 6031 International Environmental Policy
- DIPL 6129 Preventing Humanitarian Crisis
- DIPL 6130 International Security
- DIPL 6279 Contagion and Conflict: Global Impact of Infectious Disease
- DIPL 6280 International Health and Development

Global Negotiation and Conflict Management

- DIPL 6104 Art and Science of International Negotiation *
- DIPL 6004 Peacemaking and Peacekeeping
- DIPL 6114 Conflict Prevention
- DIPL 6115 Cross-Cultural Negotiation and Conflict Management
- DIPL 6116 Palestinian-Israeli Peace Process
- DIPL 6117 International Mediation
- DIPL 6717 Conflict and Forced Population Displacement in Africa
- DIPL 6277 Global Health, Bioterrorism, and International Security

Human Rights

- DIPL 6140 International Human Rights *
- DIPL 6004 Peacemaking and Peacekeeping
- DIPL 6008 International Criminal Law
- DIPL 6019 Women, World Religions and Human Rights
- DIPL 6279 Contagion and Conflict: Global Impact of Infectious Disease

International Economics and Development

- DIPL 6105 or
DIPL 6155 International Political Economy *
Advanced Economic Aspects of International Relations *
- DIPL 6113 International Financial Institutions
- DIPL 6150 Issues and Approaches in International Political Economy
- DIPL 6153 Comparative Political Economy of Development
- DIPL 6156 Advanced Financial Aspects of International Relations
- DIPL 6170 Advanced Topics in Economic Development for International Affairs
- DIPL 6280 International Health and Development
- DIPL 6704 Economic Development in Africa
- DIPL 6806 Political Economy of Latin America and the Caribbean

International Law

- DIPL 6005 Public International Law *
- DIPL 6004 Peacemaking and Peacekeeping
- DIPL 6008 International Criminal Law
- DIPL 6031 International Environmental Policy
- DIPL 6032 International Trade Law
- DIPL 6104 Art and Science of International Negotiation

- DIPL 6140 International Human Rights
- DIPL 6401 European Union: Development and Dynamics

International Organizations

- DIPL 6002 International Organizations *
- DIPL 6004 Peacemaking and Peacekeeping
- DIPL 6005 Public International Law
- DIPL 6007 U.N. Insider's View
- DIPL 6015 Human Resources Management in International Organizations
- DIPL 6031 International Environmental Policy
- DIPL 6113 International Finance Institutions
- DIPL 6201 UN Security Council Issues
- DIPL 6202 Politics at the UN: Relevance and Reform
- DIPL 6401 European Union: Development and Dynamics
- DIPL 6402 European Union: Governance and Policy
- DIPL 6403 European Union: External Relations
- DIPL 6410 European Union Seminar in Luxembourg

II. Regional Specializations

DIPL 6153 Comparative Political Economic Development and DIPL 6170 Advanced Topics in Economic Development for International Affairs qualify for inclusion in a specific regional specialization, provided the student completes the region-specific requirements within those courses.

Africa

- DIPL 6700 International Relations of African States
- DIPL 6701 20th Century Africa
- DIPL 6702 African Political Institutions
- DIPL 6703 American Foreign Policy in Africa
- DIPL 6704 Economic Development in Africa
- DIPL 6717 Africa: Displacement and Conflict
- DIPL 6153 Comparative Political Economy of Development
- DIPL 6170 Advanced Topics in Economic Development for International Affairs

Asia

- DIPL 6601 Chinese Politics and US-China Relations
- DIPL 6602 Islam in Southeast Asia
- DIPL 6610 Cultural History of Korea
- DIPL 6611 International Relations of Southeast Asia
- DIPL 6622 China's Foreign Relations
- DIPL 6153 Comparative Political Economy of Development
- DIPL 6170 Advanced Topics in Economic Development for International Affairs

Europe

- DIPL 6401 European Union: Development and Dynamics
- DIPL 6402 European Union: Governance and Policy
- DIPL 6403 European Union: External Relations
- DIPL 6405 Foreign policy of Post-Soviet States
- DIPL 6406 Eastern Europe and Post-Soviet Politics

DIPL 6410	European Union Seminar in Luxembourg
DIPL 6422	Trans-Atlantic Relations and World Politics
DIPL 6153	Comparative Political Economy of Development
DIPL 6170	Advanced Topics in Economic Development for International Affairs

Latin America and the Caribbean

DIPL 6801	U.S. Foreign Policy in Latin American and the Caribbean
DIPL 6802	Peoples and Cultures of Latin America and the Caribbean
DIPL 6806	Political Economy of Latin America and the Caribbean
DIPL 6153	Comparative Political Economy of Development
DIPL 6170	Advanced Topics in Economic Development for International Affairs

Middle East

DIPL 6116	Palestinian-Israeli Peace Process
DIPL 6500	The Modern Middle East: History, Challenges and Opportunities
DIPL 6501	The Modern Middle East: U.S. Involvement
DIPL 6502	Islamic Religion and Culture
DIPL 6503	Women/Gender in Islam
DIPL 6505	Afghanistan: History and Current Issues
DIPL 6520	Politics of Terrorism in the Middle East
DIPL 6153	Comparative Political Economy of Development
DIPL 6170	Advanced Topics in Economic Development for International Affairs

Dual Degree Programs

The Whitehead School of Diplomacy and International Relations participates in six graduate dual degree programs with the Seton Hall School of Law, the Stillman School of Business, and, within the College of Arts and Sciences, the Department of Public Administration, the Program in Corporate Communications and the Department of Asian Studies. Each program has its own admission process. Applicants for a dual degree program must be accepted separately to each program, either at the time of initial enrollment, or during the first year of study in either program.

Once enrolled, students should consult with academic advisers in both programs to coordinate their curriculum. Dual degree course requirements for each program are listed below.

J.D./M.A. in Law and Diplomacy

The Whitehead School of Diplomacy and the School of Law jointly offer a four-year program leading to the degrees of Master of Arts in Diplomacy and International Relations and Juris Doctor (J.D.). The program, which is available only to

full-time students, may be completed in only four years and one summer, rather than the five years usually required for the completion of both degrees.

Admission Requirements

Students must complete separate applications for the Whitehead School of Diplomacy and for the School of Law. Students should indicate on their original applications that they wish to pursue the combined degree program. Alternatively, students enrolled in the first or second year of full-time study at the School of Law may, during that year, apply for admission to the joint program by making application to the School of Diplomacy, identify themselves as candidates for the joint degree program and notify the Law School of their intent to seek admission to that program. Some loss of credits may result from such late application to the joint program. Only one application fee for the two programs is required.

Admission to the joint degree program requires that students be accepted for admission to each of the respective schools and that students' participation be approved by the admissions committees or academic deans of both schools.

Curriculum Requirements

A student enrolled in the combined degree program must complete 85 credits at the Law School and another 30 credits at the Whitehead School of Diplomacy and International Relations, for a total of 115 credits, instead of the 130 credits that would be required to complete the two programs separately.

At the Whitehead School, students must complete 18 credits of required courses and 12 credits of electives. At a student's option, 9 of these elective credits may be concentrated in a functional or regional specialization. As part of coursework at the Law School, students must complete 12 credits within the International Legal Studies Group (except INTL 9607 International Organizations). Students must also complete the Law School course Independent Research (2 credits - WRTG 9141).

Course Requirements

I. Students must complete a minimum of 30 credits of Diplomacy courses.

DIPL 6000	International Relations Theory	3
DIPL 6001	Politics of Cultural and Ethnic Pluralism	3
DIPL 6002	International Organizations	3
DIPL 6105 or DIPL 6155	International Political Economy Advanced Economic Aspects of International Relations	3
DIPL 6104	Art and Science of International Negotiation	3
DIPL 7111	Internship*	3
DIPL xxxx	Diplomacy Electives	12

Total: 30

* A student with a clerkship may substitute a Diplomacy elective for the internship requirement.

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II. As part of their Law School coursework, students must complete the following requirements.

- A. 12 credits within the International Legal Studies Group (except INTL 9607 International Organizations).
- B. Independent Research (2 credits - WRTG 9141).

Full Time Status

Because of residency requirements and other considerations, the combined program can only be completed by students enrolled on a full-time basis. With the joint consent of the academic dean of the Law School and the academic dean of the Whitehead School of Diplomacy, and for good cause, a student may be allowed to remain in the program although enrolled on a part-time basis only after the completion of the second year of full-time participation in the program. Such approval for part-time status must be renewed every semester. No waiver of the full-time status requirement may be granted during the first two years of the program.

Pattern of Study

Students in the combined program spend their first year of study completing the regular first-year curriculum of the School of Law. During the second and subsequent years, students may complete the program by taking credits at both the School of Law and the John C. Whitehead School of Diplomacy and International Relations.

Advising

Students in the combined program must have their courses approved by the advisers in both the Law School and the Whitehead School of Diplomacy and International Relations, and students should consult with the academic dean of each school regarding course schedules.

Dual Degrees with the Stillman School of Business

The Whitehead School of Diplomacy and the Stillman School of Business offer two dual degree programs. Students may combine the Master in Business Administration (M.B.A.) or the Master of Science in International Business (M.S.I.B.) with the Master of Arts (M.A.) in Diplomacy and International Relations. The dual degree programs take advantage of the synergy between the two fields to offer a program that provides a unique combination of detailed business training with a thorough understanding of international policy issues. Students apply independently to each program, either at the time of initial application, or during the first year of either program. For further information, please contact the School of Diplomacy or the School of Business. Course requirements are listed below.

Master's in Business Administration (M.B.A.)/ M.A. in Diplomacy and International Relations Dual Degree Program

Course Requirements

A. Diplomacy and International Relations Component (30 credits)

I. Required Diplomacy Core (24 credits)

DIPL 6000	International Relations Theory	3
DIPL 6001	Politics of Cultural and Ethnic Pluralism	3
DIPL 6002	International Organizations	3
DIPL 6003	Sustainable Development	3
DIPL 6105	International Political Economy	3
DIPL 6310	Research Methods for Policy Analysis	3
DIPL 6311	Master's Research Project	3
DIPL 7111	Internship	3

II. Diplomacy Electives (6 credits)

Any two Diplomacy courses at the 6000 or 7000 level.

B. M.B.A. Program Component (30/33 credits)

I. Pre-Qualification Sequence as required (non-credit bearing)

II. Foundation Sequence (16 credits)

BMBA 9101	Decision Making I	4
BMBA 9102	Decision Making II	4
BMBA 9103	Financial Accounting and Legal Considerations	4
BMBA 9104	Human Interaction and Market Orientation	4

III. Essential Knowledge Sequence (2 credits)

BMBA 9201	Social Responsibility	2
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IV. Concentration Courses (12/15 credits)

Four 3-credit courses in one of the concentrations in the School of Business (five 3-credit courses for the Accounting concentration).

Total Credits Required 60/63

*Note

1. Dual degree students do not take International Perspective (BMBA 9202) or Business Policy Capstone (BMBA 9400).

2. Dual degree students must write a Master's Research Project under the guidance of joint Business/Diplomacy advisers.

Master of Science in International Business (M.S.I.B.)/ M.A. in Diplomacy and International Relations Dual Degree Program

Course Requirements

Diplomacy and International Relations (33 credits)

DIPL 6000	International Relations Theory	3
DIPL 6001	Politics of Cultural and Ethnic Pluralism	3
DIPL 6002	International Organizations	3
DIPL 6003	Sustainable Development	3
DIPL 6105	International Political Economy	3
DIPL 6310	Research Methods for Policy Analysis	3
DIPL 6311	Master's Research Project	3
DIPL 7111	Internship	3
DIPL xxxx	Elective courses	9

International Business (24 credits)

BINT 6901	Global Business Environment	6
BMGT 7931	International Management	3

BMKT 7617	Marketing	3
MSIB xxxx	Elective courses as approved	9
BINT 6907	Global Strategy Capstone	3

TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED 57

**Note: The M.S.I.B. Program accepts DIPL 6003 and DIPL 6106 in place of International Economics and International Finance.*

Master in Public Administration (M.P.A.)/M.A. in Diplomacy and International Relations Dual Degree Program

The Graduate Department of Public Administration in the College of Arts and Sciences and the School of Diplomacy and International Relations offer a dual degree program that combines the Master of Arts in Diplomacy and International Relations with the Master in Public Administration. The dual degree prepares professionals equipped to respond to the challenges of public sector administration in a global environment. The joint degree can be completed in 60 credits, instead of the 84 credits required to complete the two programs separately.

Students apply independently to each degree program, preferably indicating at the time of application that they intend to follow the joint M.A./M.P.A. program if admitted. Students may also apply for admission to the dual degree program while enrolled in either of the two separate programs.

For further information, please call the School of Diplomacy and International Relations at (973) 275-2515, or the Center for Public Service (973) 761-9510.

Course Requirements**Diplomacy and International Relations (21 credits)**

DIPL 6000	International Relations Theory	3
DIPL 6001	Politics of Cultural and Ethnic Pluralism	3
DIPL 6002	International Organizations	3
DIPL 6105	International Political Economy	3
DIPL xxxx	Electives	9

M.P.A. Core Courses (15 credits)

PSMA 6001	Environment of Public Service Management	3
PSMA 6004	Economic Environment of Public Service Management	3
PSMA 6005	Financial Management and Control	3
PSMA 6009	Managerial Decision Making	3
PSMA 6010	Managing Human Resources in Public	3

M.P.A. Concentrations (choose one, 12 credits)

Public Service: Leadership, Governance & Policy Management of Nonprofit Organizations	3
Health Policy and Management	3
Arts Administration	3
M.P.A. Electives	3

Research and Capstone Courses (9 credits)	
DIPL 6310 or PSMA 6002 Research Methods	3
Research Seminar/Practicum: DIPL 6311; PSMA 7993 or PSMA 7992	3
DIPL 7111 or PMSA 7991 Internship/Field Placement	3

TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED 60

M.A. in Corporate and Public Communication/M.A. in Diplomacy and International Relations Dual Degree Program

The dual degree program combines advanced skills in communication with in-depth knowledge of international relations to prepare professionals to meet the challenges of corporate and public communication in an increasingly complex global environment.

Course Requirements**Diplomacy and International Relations (21 credits)**

DIPL 6000	International Relations Theory	3
DIPL 6001	Politics of Cultural and Ethnic Pluralism	3
DIPL 6002	International Organizations	3
DIPL 6105	International Political Economy	3
DIPL xxxx	Diplomacy Electives	9

Communication (21 credits)

COMM 6000	Writing for Organization and Client	3
COTC 6100	Organizational Communication	3
COTC 7220	Effective Presentations	3
COTC/COMM	Electives	12

Research, Capstone and elective courses (15 credits)

DIPL 6310 or COTC 7110	Research Methods	3
DIPL 6311 or COTC 8190	Research Project	3
DIPL 7111	Internship	3
Free Electives		6

Total Credits Required 57

M.A. in Asian Studies/M.A. in Diplomacy and International Relations

The Department of Asian Studies in the College of Arts and Sciences and the School of Diplomacy and International Relations offer a dual degree program with a focus on East Asia. A solid understanding of East Asian history, language and culture complements students' competence in international relations. The dual degree program can be completed in 60 credits, instead of the 81-84 credits that would be required to complete the two programs separately.

Course requirements**Diplomacy and International Relations (21 credits)**

DIPL 6000	International Relations Theory
DIPL 6001	Politics of Cultural and Ethnic Pluralism
DIPL 6002	International Organizations
DIPL 6105	International Political Economy
DIPL xxxx	Electives in Diplomacy and International Relations (9 credits)

Traditional East Asia (12 credits)

ASIA 6140	Survey of Chinese Civilization
ASIA 6121	History and Culture of Japan I
ASIA 6122	History and Culture of Japan II

and one of the following:

ASIA 6141	Foundations of Chinese Civilization
ASIA 6142	Development of Chinese Civilization
ASIA 6143	Maturity of Chinese Civilization

Modern and Contemporary East Asia (6 credits)

ASIA 6145	Modern East Asia
ASIA 6146	Contemporary East Asia

Research and Practicum (9 credits)

ASIA 9111 or DIPL 6310	Research Methods For Policy Analysis
DIPL 6311 or ASIA 9200	Master's Research Project/Thesis
DIPL 7111	Internship

Students requesting faculty recommendations for Ph.D. studies are required to write a thesis.

East Asian Language Component (12 credits)

Note: Students must demonstrate intermediate level proficiency before enrolling in these courses. Students with language fluency may be exempt from these courses and substitute free electives.

CHIN 6111-6114	Graduate Chinese Conversation and Composition I-IV
CHIN 6117-6118	Graduate Readings in Modern Chinese I-II
CHIN 6120-6121	Graduate Chinese Newspaper Readings I-II
JAPN 6111-6112	Graduate Modern Japanese I and II
JAPN 6113-6114	Graduate Newspaper Readings I and II

TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED 60

Course Descriptions**DIPL 6000 International Relations Theory**

Acquaints students with the key theoretical debates in international relations scholarship, and introduces students to the practice of diplomacy. Taken during the first semester of the program to strengthen writing and analytical skills. *3 credits*

DIPL 6001 Politics of Cultural and Ethnic Pluralism

Surveys cultural diversity manifested in the concepts of ethnicity, national identity and nationalism. Includes study of politico sociological theory and case studies. *3 credits*

DIPL 6002 International Organizations

Provides a historical and contemporary perspective on the role of intergovernmental and nongovernmental organizations in drafting public policy at the regional and global levels. *3 credits*

DIPL 6003 Sustainable Development

Explores concepts of sustainable development in social, economic and political frameworks. *3 credits*

DIPL 6004 Peacemaking and Peacekeeping

Examines theories and research concerning the nature and causes of conflict at both the domestic and international levels, as well as methods for avoiding, managing or resolving such conflicts. Prerequisite: DIPL 6001, 6002. *3 credits*

DIPL 6005 Public International Law

Explores the nature and content of international law governing relations between states and relations between states and non-state actors. The first part of the course examines the building blocks of international law; the second part applies this framework to particular topics, such as the use of force, human rights and international environmental law. *3 credits*

DIPL 6007 UN: Insider's View

Bridges the gap between students and practitioners by complementing an academic understanding of the United Nations with an appreciation of the day-to-day concerns and realities of the organization. Structured around a series of guest lectures offered by U.N. officials and representatives of governments, civil society and the private sector on a broad range of substantive issues of current concern to the United Nations. *3 credits*

DIPL 6008 International Criminal Law

Explores the historical, political and diplomatic evolution of international criminal law in this century, including war crimes, crimes against humanity and the International Criminal Court. *3 credits*

DIPL 6010 European Union Seminar in Luxembourg

Students learn about diplomacy and international relations as well as European culture and history first-hand, by visiting some of the major institutions involved in European Union governance and in Europe's trans-Atlantic relations. *3 credits*

DIPL 6015 Human Resources Management in International Organizations

Provides a comprehensive review of human resources management policies and practices in international organizations. It is designed to develop both analytical and practical skills for dealing with complex personnel management issues in a multicultural and political environment. *3 credits*

DIPL 6019 Women, World Religions and Human Rights

Examines what sacred sources in religion say about women and how those scriptures have been interpreted and used in society (by men and women), in traditional religious societies (including actual cultural expressions of beliefs and practices related to gender, gender relations, sexuality, family and the role of women in the public sphere). It examines contemporary women's work that criticizes, affirms or amends traditional religious views and roles about women, especially how contemporary women (and men) working through human rights organi-

zations address the questions raised by modernity and the quest for universal human rights. A cross-cultural perspective is particularly critical in this era of globalization and the emergence of an international women's rights movement. *3 credits*

DIPL 6031 International Environmental Policy

Applies an interdisciplinary set of analytical tools to understand international environmental problems, especially those affecting the global commons, including climate change, ozone depletion and biodiversity. Surveys and analyzes the actual and potential institutions the international community employs to address these issues. *3 credits*

DIPL 6032 International Trade Law

This course examines the law of international trade, focusing on the law of the World Trade Organization, the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, and the trade law of the United States. The course will address the rules that restrain national restrictions on trade, as well as the negotiation practices and dispute settlement processes of the world trade law system. Among other things, the course will explore how that system manages the relationship between trade and other values and areas of regulatory control, such as environmental protection, health and other product standards, human rights, and intellectual property protection. *3 credits*

DIPL 6103 Concepts and Applications for Leadership in the Global Community

Analysis of traits and behaviors essential in leading organizations and in managing organizational stakeholders. *3 credits*

DIPL 6104 Art and Science of International Negotiation

International negotiations take place in the shadow of conflicts, crises and wars. Selected theories of international cooperation, as well as insights from other disciplines have contributed to our understanding of the dynamics of international negotiation. The course provides opportunities for simple and complex negotiation exercises as well as conceptual knowledge needed for analyzing real world cases. *3 credits*

DIPL 6105 International Political Economy

Fundamental concepts of international economics and global financial institutions as a basis for understanding global political economy. *3 credits*

DIPL 6109 Negotiating International Trade

Provides basic background on reimbursement prices, transparency, standardization and dispute resolution at the federal, state and local level. Uses both theoretical grounding and case studies. *3 credits*

DIPL 6110 Globalization: Impact on the State

Examines the major trends leading to the critical and rapidly changing role of the state, and shaping the 21st century world. *3 credits*

DIPL 6113 International Financial Institutions

Analyzes dynamics of international trade and finance through the structure and work of the international financial institutions. Covers the basics of the international financial system and explores the potential for international cooperation in the field of development. *3 credits*

DIPL 6114 Conflict Prevention

The course will identify the role and function of the principal actors working to prevent international conflict in theory and practice. Particular focus will be on organizations and processes from North America and Europe in a post September 11 world. *3 credits*

DIPL 6115 Cross Cultural Negotiation and Conflict Management

The ability to negotiate and manage conflicts across cultures is no longer an optional skill set in the worlds of international business, diplomacy and advocacy. This course, built on cases, interactive exercises and theoretical frameworks, develops skills and knowledge for managing the most challenging political, organizational and interpersonal relationships. Prerequisite: DIPL 6184 Art and Science of International Negotiation or permission of instructor. *3 credits*

DIPL 6116 Palestinian-Israeli Peace Process

The Palestinian-Israeli conflict is generally thought to be intractable. Much journalistic and even scholarly work tends to be partisan, while contributing little to our understanding of how this conflict can be resolved. In fact, there is a significant history of attempts to transform this conflict into coexistence. This instructor will build on his significant field research into the open and secret negotiations between Israel and the PLO, as well as the long history of Arab-Zionist encounters. A major component of the class will be simultaneous conduct of actual negotiations by the students, who will join one of four delegations: a Palestinian or an Israeli negotiation delegation, negotiating with interim or permanent issues. Prerequisite: DIPL 6104/4183 Art and Science of International Negotiation or permission of instructor. *3 credits*

DIPL 6117 International Mediation

Third parties, including governments, prestigious individuals, IOs and NGOs often attempt to mediate international conflicts and wars. Some succeed brilliantly. Others fail miserably. This course offers perspective on the political, behavioral and strategic dimensions of international mediation. Participants learn about the methods, tactics and strategies of international mediation, the causes and failures of success, the dynamics of mediation in crises, internal wars and other conflicts. Participants also develop skills by practicing on large and small international mediation exercises. Prerequisite: DIPL 6104/4183 Art and Science of Negotiation or permission of instructor. *3 credits*

DIPL 6129 Preventing Humanitarian Crisis

Investigates the causes, global responses to, and prevention of complex humanitarian emergencies. Beginning with the fundamental problem of defining what qualifies as a humanitarian crisis, this course further examines significant cases searching for factors to account for successful and unsuccessful international engagement. *3 credits*

DIPL 6130 International Security

International security is a critical component of statecraft and global politics with domestic and international constraints and characteristics. This course is built upon an interdisciplinary approach that combines history, theory and policy regarding the origins of conflict, the uses of force in politics, classic

approaches to security, strategies and modes of security, and the emerging security environment. *3 credits*

DIPL 6140 International Human Rights

This course introduces the basic philosophy and principles of human rights and examines the historical development and expansion of human rights norms. The course then focuses on the instruments, institutions, and enforcement of human rights from a multidisciplinary perspective, exploring the major international human rights regimes and treaties. *3 credits*

DIPL 6150 Current Issues and Approaches in International Political Economy

In this course, we will examine a variety of new approaches and new issues in international political economy. We will look at how two level games, second image and second image reversed theories, bargaining approaches, and ideational theories are being used to analyze issues, such as international trade and development. We will also examine how new issues are changing the way we think about international political economy, such as trafficking of humans, international migration, international laws and norms, transnational organizations, and food and safety issues (e.g. genetically modified food). *3 credits*

DIPL 6153 Comparative Political Economy of Development

This course examines the economic and political transitions in developing countries. We will focus on the tensions between economic and political reforms, between states and markets, and between economic efficiency concerns and social equity concerns. We will examine the overt and hidden trade-offs that governments make between economic development and political stability, and between domestic reforms and international pressures. We will compare the development paths of countries in Latin America, Africa, East Asia, Eastern Europe, the Former Soviet Union, and the Middle East to determine the effects of culture, history and institutions on political and economic development. *3 credits*

DIPL 6155 Advanced Economic Aspects of International Relations

This course will familiarize students with the essential concepts required to understand the economic issues associated with globalization. In particular, we will address a set of topics including why and how nations trade, how governments regulate international trade, regionalism and multilateralism, and the international financial architecture. *3 credits*

DIPL 6156 Advanced Financial Aspects of International Relations

This course applies fundamental concepts towards gaining an understanding of recent events and current policy issues. The course covers topics including exchange rate determination, monetary and fiscal policy in an open economy, balance of payments crises, international capital markets, and foreign direct investment. It also studies current issues such as proposed changes in the international crisis, and government intervention in the foreign exchange market. *3 credits*

DIPL 6170 Advanced Topics in Economic Development for International Affairs

This course is an in depth analysis of current aspects of development. We consider recent development dilemmas such as delivery of services for poor people, building institutions for

markets, the role of knowledge in advancing economic and social well being, the role and effectiveness of the state in the changing world, and infrastructure and development. We analyze experiences of different countries in Latin America, Africa, East Asia, Eastern Europe, the Former Soviet Union, and the Middle East. *3 credits*

DIPL 6180 Comparative Foreign Policy

Comparison among the attributes of various actors in international politics helps us understand the sources and outcomes of foreign policy-making. This course introduces students to the principal theories on the sources of foreign policymaking, ranging from the psychology and decision making of the individual policymaker, to the domestic and international constraints involved. Historical and case studies are utilized by students to apply and test theories of policymaking. *3 credits*

DIPL 6201 UN Security Council Issues

An in-depth study of the bureaucratic and political factors that shape the policy and process of this key UN institution. Lectures and class sessions will focus on specific topical issues of relevance to the Security Council. *3 credits*

DIPL 6202 Politics at the United Nations: Relevance and Reform

This course will examine how the United Nations seeks to address the growing range of transnational problems that appear on its agenda. This increased demand for action comes at a time when the organization is being subjected to varying interpretations about its structure, role and potential in the international system. The course will explore what the UN does, how it works, and the challenges it faces while also considering the potential for United Nations reform in the name of greater effectiveness and legitimacy. *3 credits*

DIPL 6277 Global Health, Bioterrorism, and International Security

This interdisciplinary course covers the issues of global health, biological weapons and international security. It has four main objectives: 1) to introduce students to the concept of health security; 2) to elucidate the linkages between health and security, with special attention paid to bioterrorism; 3) to examine the global health challenges and their conflict and security implications; and 4) to explore the policy options addressing such challenges. *3 credits*

DIPL 6279 Contagion and Conflict: Global Impact of Infectious Disease

This course examines the role of epidemics as causative agents of historic change, focusing on the global impact of infectious disease. In addition to the demographic and social effects of infectious disease, it examines the impact on political stability, economic development, and international relations. The implications of human response to infectious disease, including the impact on human rights, are also discussed. *3 credits*

DIPL 6280 International Health and Development

This course provides in-depth and multifaceted analyses of issues, problems, and policies in international health and development in the major regions of the world. Issues that are considered include environmental and ecological change, demographic and epidemiological transitions, new and re-emerging diseases, family and reproductive health, and health systems

change. Implications for development and policy responses are explored in detail for each issue. *3 credits*

DIPL 6310 Research Methods for Policy Analysis

Facilitates development of ability for design, execution and critiquing of research pertinent to policy development and management, at global, regional or national levels, including governmental, inter-governmental or non-governmental organizations. *3 credits*

DIPL 6311 Master's Research Project

Students develop, execute and present a research project as a culminating component of the master's program, in consultation with a faculty mentor. Prerequisite: DIPL 6310. *3 credits*

DIPL 6312 Master's Thesis

Provides an opportunity for certain students to extend the research and writing performed in DIPL 6311 by completion of a formal master's thesis. Registration requires approval from the graduate thesis adviser. The thesis and its defense must conform to standards established by the Whitehead School. Prerequisite: DIPL 6311 *3 credits*

DIPL 6401 European Union: Development and Dynamics

An in depth study of the structures, procedures, processes and institutions of the European Union. Both politics and policy are covered. Sessions focus on structural issues such as enlargement and the CAP, as well as on developments of a more political nature including trade issues and trans-Atlantic relations. *3 credits*

DIPL 6402 European Union: Governance and Policy

Readings and seminar discussion on the internal operations of the European Union in light of expansion. *3 credits*

DIPL 6403 European Union: External Relations

Readings and seminar discussion on the emerging role of the European Union as it relates to neighbors and the world. *3 credits*

DIPL 6405 Foreign Policy of Post-Soviet States

Detailed analysis of the global role of states within the former Soviet sphere, both among themselves and in relation to the European Union, China and the United States. *3 credits*

DIPL 6406 Eastern European and Post-Soviet Politics

Comprehensive introduction to the politics of the former Soviet Union, Eastern Europe, and post-Soviet Russia, including development of the Soviet Union as a multi-national, planned economy empire and the causes of collapse, the challenges faced by the new states that emerged from the collapse, with special attention to the economic and political problems of these states' transformations as affected by the different legacies of the Soviet period in each of the countries involved. *3 credits*

DIPL 6410 European Union Seminar in Luxembourg

Students learn about diplomacy and international relations as well as European culture and history first-hand, by visiting some of the major institutions involved in European Union governance and in Europe's trans-Atlantic relations. *3 credits*

DIPL 6422 Trans-Atlantic Organizations and World Politics

Examines the changing architecture of contemporary trans-Atlantic relations, and places this relationship within the wider frame of world politics, including NATO, the European Union, Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, as well as the changes in the trans-Atlantic relations after the demise of communism in Russia, Eastern and Central Europe. Beyond the institutional analysis of international organizations, the course examines and explores interactions in the international arena – trans-Atlantic diplomacy, European identity, trade tensions and the economic dimension to common security, the treatment of U.S. disengagement in Europe and the impact of domestic politics on international relations. *3 credits*

DIPL 6500 The Modern Middle East: History, Challenges and Opportunities

Commences with an overview of the historical events of the Middle East that are crucial to understanding the emergence of the modern period beginning in 1832, and concluding with current issues and opportunities. *3 credits*

DIPL 6501 Modern Middle East: U.S. Involvement

This course examines U.S. involvement in the Middle East in the 20th century, exploring how the U.S. has emerged as the principal foreign actor in the Middle East. *3 credits*

DIPL 6502 Islamic Religion and Culture

Comprehensive introduction to history and contemporary themes of Islam as a world religion developing in diverse cultural settings. *3 credits*

DIPL 6503 Women/Gender in Islam

Exploration of the historical and contemporary interpretations of Islamic teaching and practice. *3 credits*

DIPL 6505 Afghanistan: History and Current Issues

In-depth analysis of Afghanistan's modern history and its uneasy juxtaposition as a buffer state between British India and Russia. Also discussed are the rise and fall of the Taliban movement, U.S. war against terrorism, and the challenges and opportunities of having emerged from two decades of Russian occupation and civil war. Course material enhanced by the work of Ambassador Hassan, former Director General for Afghanistan in Pakistan's Foreign Ministry 1984 - 1985. *3 credits*

DIPL 6520 Politics of Terrorism in the Middle East

This course takes an in-depth look at terrorism in its contemporary political incarnation. Areas covered include the connections between fundamentalism, religion and terrorism; the abilities of security services and intelligence organizations to effectively monitor and combat terrorism; use of the internet by extremist groups; cooperation between and among terrorist networks; and the drug trade, arms trafficking, and terrorism. *3 credits*

DIPL 6601 Sino-U.S. Relations

Based on historical events and the latest developments of the bilateral relationship between the United States and China, this course will explore how the relationship between Washington and Beijing evolved in the past three centuries with the interactions between the U.S. and "new China" - the People's

Republic of China as the focus. Moreover, in probing the current affairs in the Sino-U.S. relationship, specific areas such as the Taiwan issue, security and economic cooperation, and human rights will be discussed. *3 credits*

DIPL 6602 Islam and Southeast Asia

This course focuses on the history and politics of Islamic religion and culture and their impact on the countries and cultures of South and East Asia. *3 credits*

DIPL 6611 International Relations in Southeast Asia

Examines the southeast Asian states as autonomous actors, the regionalization of southeast Asian foreign policies, and the states' and regions' relations in the environment external to southeast Asia. *3 credits*

DIPL 6622 China's Foreign Relations

This course analyzes the structures, processes, policies and politics of China's interactions with the world. *3 credits*

DIPL 6700 International Relations of African States

The course identifies and examines factors that shape interstate relations in Africa, and the relations between African states and other influential actors, including the European Union and the United States. It also explores how globalization has affected the dynamics of the contemporary relationships between African states and international non-governmental organizations. *3 credits*

DIPL 6701 20th Century Africa

Evolution of Africa from dependent colonial status to sovereign states in the international political arena, and the role and impact of these states on global politics. *3 credits*

DIPL 6702 African Political Institutions

An African-centered political system course focused on the salient economic, social and political variables and discussion of specific experiences. Examination of traditional background, colonial experience and the post-independence era. *3 credits*

DIPL 6703 American Foreign Policy in Africa

Historical development of American foreign policy in Africa. Analysis of the institutions and political and economic forces that shaped policy toward African countries and Africa's response to American foreign policy. *3 credits*

DIPL 6704 Economic Development in Africa

An analysis of the problems associated with economic development in Africa. It investigates trade patterns, trade regimes, and alternate development strategies. *3 credits*

DIPL 6717 Africa: Displacement and Conflict

Provides an examination of the nexus of conflicts and forced population displacements in Africa, and thoroughly explores the dynamics of flight, the structure of settlements in exile, and the patterns and processes of repatriation. *3 credits*

DIPL 6801 U.S. Foreign Policy in Latin America and the Caribbean
Foreign policy principles and practices shaped and put into effect in the context of Latin America and the Caribbean. *3 credits*

DIPL 6802 Peoples and Cultures of Latin America and the Caribbean

Colonialism, slavery, race relations, state formation, dictatorship, foreign intervention, revolution, dependency and development as these apply to Latin America and the Caribbean from the Pre-Columbian period to the 21st century. Focus on the conflict and accommodation that marks the relationship between the native inhabitants of the New World and the Old World colonists and their descendants. *3 credits*

DIPL 6806 Political Economy of Latin America and the Caribbean
Interaction of political and economic forces in shaping and implementing economic and social policies in Latin America and the Caribbean. *3 credits*

DIPL 6997 Directed Research

Provides the opportunity for selected students to pursue a research project under the direct supervision of a member of the faculty. Details of course content are arranged individually. Departmental permission required. *3 credits*

DIPL 6998 Independent Study 2

Students pursue a course of specialized reading and discussion supervised by a member of the faculty. Departmental permission required. *3 credits*

DIPL 6999 Independent Study

Students pursue a course of specialized reading and discussion supervised by a member of the faculty. Departmental permission required. *3 credits*

DIPL 7111, 7112 Internship

Provides students with an opportunity to develop skills through experiential learning in an institutional environment under the supervision of a faculty mentor. Typical placements are in inter-governmental or non-governmental organizations, governmental agencies or businesses involved in international matters. Students participate in an orientation at the beginning of the course and make a final presentation. Prerequisite: completion of at least 24 credits within the School of Diplomacy and International Relations. *3 credits each*

DIPL 7113 U.S. Foreign Service

Intensive preparation and individualized review for entry to the U.S. Foreign Service. *3 credits*

DIPL 7411-7413 Journal Editorial Board

Students serve on the editorial board of the Seton Hall University Journal of Diplomacy and International Relations with the option to earn credit for this work. *1 credit each*