

**2026 Academic Planning Form: GLOBAL STUDIES B.A.**

As of 5/24/2022

1st course(s) recommended for Global Studies - GST 101

	Fall Semester	# of Credits	Spring Semester	# of Credits	Total Year Credits
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Year</b>	DWC 101 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credit hrs)	4	DWC 102 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credits hrs)	4	
	GST 101 Introduction to Global Studies ( <b>Civic Engagement Proficiency</b> )	3	GST 202 Globalization and Social Change	3	
	Foreign Language	3	Foreign Language	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
			Core/Elective	3	
		<b>13</b>		<b>16</b>	
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year</b>	DWC 201 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credit hrs)	4	DWC 202 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credits hrs)	4	
	GST 303 Case Studies in Globalization ( <b>Social Science Core</b> )	3	GST Concentration I	3	
	Advanced Language I	3	Advanced Language II	3	
	Core/Elective	3	GST 290 Global Engagement	1	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
			Core/Elective	3	
		<b>16</b>		<b>17</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Year</b>	GST Upper Level Course I ( <b>Diversity Proficiency</b> )	3	GST Concentration II	3	
	Any 300-level Theology Core	3	GST Concentration III	3	
	PSC International, Comparative, or Regional Focus	3	GST Concentration IV	3	
	ECN (ECN 102 or Course with Political Economy Focus)	3	Core/Elective	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
		<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>	
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Year</b>	GST 480 Global Studies Capstone I - Seminar ( <b>Intensive Writing II Proficiency</b> )	3	GST 481 Global Studies Capstone II - Thesis ( <b>Oral Communication Proficiency</b> )	3	
	GST Upper Level Course II	3	Core/Elective	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
		<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>	
<b>*Graduation Requirement includes a minimum of 120 credit hours*</b>			<b>Total Program of Study Credits</b>		<b>122</b>

The GST core curriculum fulfills the Civic Engagement Proficiency (GST 101), Social Science Core (GST 303), Intensive Writing II (GST 480), and Oral Proficiency (GST 481).

**Core Requirements (foundational component and proficiencies):**

Foundational Component:	Proficiencies:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DWC - 4 semester sequence, 16-20 cr.</li> <li>Theology (200 &amp; 300 level) - 6 cr. (<b>THL 376</b>)</li> <li>Philosophy (1 Ethics) - 6 cr.</li> <li>Natural Science - 3 cr.</li> <li>Social Science - 3 cr. (<b>GST 303</b>)</li> <li>Quantitative Reasoning - 3 cr.</li> <li>Fine Arts - 3 cr.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intensive Writing - I</li> <li>Intensive Writing - II (<b>GST 480</b>)</li> <li>Diversity (<b>most upper level GST</b>)</li> <li>Civic Engagement (<b>GST 101</b>)</li> <li>Oral Proficiency (<b>GST 481</b>)</li> </ul>

**Major Requirements (GST Courses):**

* GST 101, 202, 303, 480, 481 * Four courses in an individualized Global Studies Thematic Concentration * Two upper level Global Studies courses (300 or 400 level courses)	* Two semesters at advanced level for a commonly-taught language (i.e., Spanish, French, Italian, etc.) (or two semesters at any level for a less-commonly taught language i.e., Arabic, Mandarin Chinese) * ECN 102 or course with political economy focus * PSC Elective (International, comparative or regional focus)
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