

## International Affairs Thematic Concentrations

### Fall 2023 Course Offerings

**1. Global Conflict & Cooperation** - The Global Conflict and Cooperation concentration allows students to critically examine the nature of various actors and processes involved in global interactions from historical, political, and social perspectives. Students seek to understand the sources and consequences of foreign policy decisions involving state and non-state actors—including international organizations, non-governmental organizations, and other national and transnational institutions—in Africa, the Americas, Asia, Europe, and the Middle East. *Profs. Peleg & von Wahl*

| Course Number     | Course Name  | Professor       | Day/Time if offered <b>Fall 2023</b>   |
|-------------------|--|-----------------|--|
| A&S 316           | Global Colonialism   | Smith           |  |
| GOVT 220          | US & Latin American Relations  | Stewart-Gambino |  |
| GOVT 225          | Politics of Russia and Eastern Europe  | Fabian          |  |
| <b>GOVT 230</b>   | <b>International Politics of the Middle East &amp; Persian Gulf</b>          | <b>Peleg</b>    | <b>TR 9:30 - 10:45, TR 1:15 - 2:30</b> |
| GOVT 235          | International Law & Organizations  | Staff           |  |
| GOVT 238          | East Asian International Relations   | Park            |  |
| <b>GOVT 270 *</b> | <b>Chinese Foreign Policy</b>  | <b>Cho</b>      | <b>MW 2:45 - 4:00</b>                  |
| <b>GOVT 332</b>   | <b>Globalization and Security</b>  | <b>Park</b>     | <b>TR 9:30 - 10:45</b>                 |
| GOVT 334          | American Security Policy   | Peleg           |  |
| GOVT 336          | International Conflict   | Fabian          |  |
| GOVT 405          | U.S. Foreign Policy  | Peleg           |  |
| <b>GOVT 412 *</b> | <b>Seminar: European Integration</b>   | <b>Fabian</b>   | <b>TR 2:45 - 4:00</b>                  |
| <b>GOVT 415 *</b> | <b>Seminar: Nationalism in World Politics</b>                                | <b>Park</b>     | <b>TR 8:00 - 9:15</b>                  |
| GOVT 419          | Global Governance  | Cho             |  |
| HIST 243          | Imperial Russia  | Sanborn         |  |
| <b>HIST 249</b>   | <b>20th Century E Asia: Imperialism and Anti-Imperialism in China, Japan</b> | <b>Barclay</b>  | <b>TR 11:00 - 12:15</b>                |
| HIST/FAMS 363     | Imperialism, War and Visual Culture in East Asia, 1874-1945                  | Barclay         |  |
| IA 380 *          | Contemporary Europe: Between Crisis & Cooperation                            | von Wahl        |  |
| REL 222 *         | Interreligious Cooperation and Conflict                                      | Patel           |  |

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**2. Development Studies** - The Development Studies concentration focuses on the processes which have transformed and are transforming people's lives throughout the world. While similar economic, political and social forces have been and continue to be at work across societies and regions, differences in environments, resources, cultures, power relations and historical experiences have resulted in different outcomes as witnessed by the staggering inequalities evident in the world today. Courses in this concentration foster students' understanding of these differences by examining development issues and ideas from a variety of disciplines. *Prof. Stifel & Stewart-Gambino*

| Course Number     | Course Name                                    | Professor         | Day/Time if offered <b>Fall 2023</b> |
|-------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------------------|
| A&S 264           | Development, Aid, Activism                     | Staff             |                                      |
| ECON 210          | International Economics                        | De Vault          |                                      |
| ECON 346 *        | Economic Development                           | Stifel            |                                      |
| <b>ECON 364 *</b> | <b>Emerging Economies</b>                      | <b>Hutchinson</b> | <b>TR 2:45 - 4:00</b>                |
| GOVT 225          | Politics of Russia and Eastern Europe          | Fabian            |                                      |
| GOVT 232          | International Political Economy                | Staff             |                                      |
| GOVT 322          | Politics of the Third World                    | Staff             |                                      |
| HIST 246          | Latin America: The National Period             | Pite              |                                      |
| <b>IA 310</b>     | <b>Mapping World Cities</b>                    | <b>Trumble</b>    | <b>MWF 1:10 - 2:00</b>               |
| IA 320            | Gender and Development in the Global South     | Stewart-Gambino   |                                      |
| IA 330            | Global Extraction, Resistance and Human Rights | Williams          |                                      |
| <b>IA 240</b>     | <b>Pursuing Global Sustainability</b>          | <b>Trumble</b>    | <b>MWF 2:10 - 3:00</b>               |
| IA 325            | Politics of Global Philanthropy                | Stewart-Gambino   |                                      |

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**3. Human Rights and Social Justice** - The Human Rights and Social Justice concentration focuses on issues pertaining to the history, definition, and diffusion of human rights and social justice worldwide. The courses in this concentration address human rights violations and struggles for social justice in different parts of the world at different times. We are analyzing how resistance has been structured through national, international, and transnational social movements. Most courses address systems of domination and inequality that are organized through identity concepts such as gender, race, class, religion, ethnicity, and/or sexual identity. *Prof. von Wahl*

| Course Number     | Course Name   | Professor             | Day/Time if offered <b>Fall 2023</b> |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| A&S 271           | Gender in Muslim/Arab Worlds                        | Vora                  |                                      |
| A&S 316           | Global Colonialism                                  | Smith                 |                                      |
| <b>ECON 325 *</b> | <b>Women and the Economy</b>                        | <b>Averett</b>        | <b>TR 1:15 - 2:30</b>                |
| HIST 276          | Conquest: A History                                 | Rosen                 |                                      |
| HIST 310          | Colloquium: Human Rights and Modern War             | Sanborn               |                                      |
| HIST 368 *        | Seminar: Latin American History                     | Pite                  |                                      |
| <b>IA 230</b>     | <b>Global Perspectives on Gender &amp; Equality</b> | <b>von Wahl</b>       | <b>MW 2:45 - 4:00</b>                |
| IA 250            | Atrocities, Genocide and Reparations                | von Wahl              |                                      |
| <b>IA 260</b>     | <b>Latin America in Exile</b>                       | <b>de Toledo Piza</b> | <b>TR 1:15 - 2:30</b>                |
| IA 325            | Politics of Global Philanthropy                     | Stewart-Gambino       |                                      |
| IA 330            | Global Extraction, Resistance and Human Rights      | Williams              |                                      |
| IA 340            | Mapping Environmental Justice                       | Gallemore             |                                      |
| <b>IA 350</b>     | <b>Global Migration</b>                             | <b>de Toledo Piza</b> | <b>TR 2:45 - 4:00</b>                |
| <b>REL 225</b>    | <b>Sex, Gender, and Religion</b>                    | <b>Carr</b>           | <b>MW 11:00 - 12:15</b>              |
| WGS 262           | Women and Work in the Americas                      | Pite                  |                                      |

**4. Global Networks, Global Cities** - The world has always been more connected than we have tended to think. This theme focuses on understanding the way social, cultural, economic, and political processes cross national boundaries and create new places. Courses in this theme study the flow of ideas, resources, and people. They show how these flows create complex relations between places, even constituting places like nations and cities. Students focusing in this theme will develop a deeper understanding of how transnational connections affect economics, culture, and daily life in places around the world. *Prof. Gallemore*

| Course Number  | Course Name   | Professor             | Day/Time               |
|----------------|---|-----------------------|------------------------|
| A&S 233 *      | Anthropology of the City                                    | Bissell               |                        |
| A&S 242        | Transnationalism  | Vora                  |                        |
| A&S 267        | Film, Media & Popular Culture in Africa                     | Bissell               |                        |
| <b>ENG 276</b> | <b>The Literature of the Sea</b>                            | <b>Phillips</b>       | <b>MWF 3:10 - 4:00</b> |
| HIST 275       | Crossing the Americas: Latin Amer Migration & Latinos       | Pite                  |                        |
| HIST 238       | Global Stimulants: Histories of Coffee, Tea, and Yerba Mate | Pite                  |                        |
| HIST 355       | Global South Asia   | Kanjwal               |                        |
| <b>IA 310</b>  | <b>Mapping World Cities</b>                                 | <b>Trumble</b>        | <b>MWF 1:10 - 2:00</b> |
| <b>IA 350</b>  | <b>Global Migration</b>                                     | <b>de Toledo Piza</b> | <b>TR 2:45 - 4:00</b>  |
| REL 212        | Buddhism: From India to Asia and Beyond                     | Rinehart              |                        |
| REL 217        | Latina/o Religions  | Hendrickson           |                        |
| REL 232        | Religions in Latin America                                  | Hendrickson           |                        |
| REL 260        | Global Muslim Literature and Film                           | Patel                 |                        |
| REL 308        | Visual Culture & Religious Identity                         | Carr                  |                        |
| REL 350        | Religions on the Move                                       | Hendrickson           |                        |
| SPAN 314 *     | Contemporary Spanish America & Hispanics in the U.S.        | Espinoza-Staines      |                        |

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**5. Culture, Power, and Identity in the Modern World** - The Culture, Power and Identity concentration brings together courses that investigate the formation and functions of sociocultural identities as they are constructed and changed in the context of political struggles, social reproduction, and economic life. These courses look at politically salient forms of cultural identity, such as nationality, ethnicity, race, gender, and religion, as they operate through particular constellations of power. The Culture, Power, and Identity concentration encourages students to examine comparisons, connections and genealogical relations among geographically dispersed cases in order to consider past and present human identities in their global contexts. While seeking to understand relationships between dominant structures and mass populations, we also address the causes and consequences of the incomplete reach and contested nature of hegemonic institutions such as organized religions, mass media, corporate capitalism and the state. *Prof. Stewart-Gambino*

| Course Number      | Course Name   | Professor             | Day/Time                |
|--------------------|---|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| A&S 205            | African Modernities   | Bissell               |                         |
| <b>A&amp;S 241</b> | <b>Racial Formation in Postcolonial Europe</b>              | <b>Smith</b>          | <b>MWF 1:10 - 2:00</b>  |
| A&S 271            | Gender in Muslim/Arab Worlds                                | Vora                  |                         |
| A&S 275            | Gender and Family in Modern & Contemporary Japan            | Kelly                 |                         |
| GOVT 329           | The Politics of Social Movements                            | Fabian                |                         |
| <b>GOVT 415 *</b>  | <b>Seminar: Nationalism in World Politics</b>               | <b>Park</b>           | <b>TR 8:00 - 9:15</b>   |
| GOVT 416 *         | Seminar: Critical Theory: Power and Resistance              | Feola                 |                         |
| HIST 246           | Latin America: The National Period                          | Pite                  |                         |
| HIST 248           | East Asia's Last Dynasties                                  | Barclay               |                         |
| <b>HIST 249</b>    | <b>Modern East Asia</b>                                     | <b>Barclay</b>        | <b>TR 11:00 - 12:15</b> |
| HIST 250           | Japan Goes to War 1895-1945                                 | Barclay               |                         |
| HIST 355           | Global South Asia   | Kanjwal               |                         |
| HIST/FAMS 363      | Imperialism, War and Visual Culture in East Asia, 1874-1945 | Barclay               |                         |
| REES 267           | Russian Culture and Radical Tradition                       | Ceballos              |                         |
| <b>IA 260</b>      | <b>Latin America in Exile</b>                               | <b>de Toledo Piza</b> | <b>TR 1:15 - 2:30</b>   |
| <b>IA 350</b>      | <b>Global Migration</b>                                     | <b>de Toledo Piza</b> | <b>TR 2:45 - 4:00</b>   |
| REL 211            | Hinduism: Unities and Diversity                             | Rinehart              |                         |
| REL 212            | Buddhism: From India to Asia and Beyond                     | Rinehart              |                         |
| REL 214            | Christianity: From Jesus to the Third Millennium            | Ziolkowski            |                         |
| REL 215            | Islam   | Patel                 |                         |
| REL 228            | Religion and Politics in Africa                             | Blunt                 |                         |
| <b>REL 322</b>     | <b>Spirit of Capitalism: Witchcraft in Africa</b>           | <b>Blunt</b>          | <b>W 7:00 - 9:50</b>    |
| SPAN 314 *         | Contemporary Spanish America & Hispanics in the U.S.        | Espinoza-Staines      |                         |

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**6. Global Environmental Studies** - The Global Environmental Studies concentration allows students to develop an interdisciplinary understanding of global environmental challenges in a manner that recognizes the importance of cultural and societal norms, institutions, governance, policy, technology, markets and finance. Courses in this concentration foster students' ability to analyze global environmental challenges and their underlying causes, and to seek ways in which states, non-state actors, and the international community can address these challenges. *Prof. Gallemore*

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|-----------------|--|----------------|----------------------------------|
| AFS 330         | Cowboys in Africa: Social Transformation and Environmental Justice | Wilson-Fall    |                                  |
| A&S 201         | Culture and the Environment  | Salas Landa    |                                  |
| ECON 202 *      | Environmental Economics  | DeVault        |                                  |
| ECON 340        | Environmental and Resource Economics                               | Liu            |                                  |
| EGRS 352        | Energy, Technology, and the Modern World                           | Nicodemus      |                                  |
| EGRS 373        | Technology and Nature  | Cohen          |                                  |
| <b>EVST 290</b> | <b>Climate Change: The Facts, the Issues, the Long Term View</b>   | <b>Staff</b>   | <b>TR 11:00 - 12:15</b>          |
| EVST 310 *      | Organizations and the Environment                                  | Armstrong      |                                  |
| GOVT 231 *      | Global Environmental Politics                                      | Fabian         |                                  |
| <b>IA 240</b>   | <b>Global Sustainability</b>                                       | <b>Trumble</b> | <b>MWF 2:10 - 3:00</b>           |
| IA 340          | Mapping Environmental Justice                                      | Gallemore      |                                  |

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