

# GLOBAL STUDIES FOCUS AWARD

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The courses included in PCC's Global Studies Focus Award foster a rich understanding and appreciation of the diverse cultures of the world. Students who successfully complete a minimum of four courses for a total of twelve credits or more from the Global Studies Focus Award requirements have the distinction of receiving a Global Studies Focus Award, which recognizes a foundation in international studies. These studies encourage broader reflections about the nature of culture and how it shapes everything from worldview to everyday life. Above all the curriculum enables students to develop a multidimensional perspective on the world, its many cultures, as well as their own life experiences. Students earning a Focus Award will be in a position to apply these perspectives and demonstrate cultural understanding to prospective employers and transfer colleges. This award is especially useful for students seeking to minor or major in International Studies at Portland State University, as well as other institutions offering and internationally-focused major or minor.

For the most up-to-date information for the Global Studies Focus Award, please contact Ron Bekey.

Students who are applying for the Global Studies Focus Award should fill out the online application form.

## GLOBAL STUDIES FOCUS AWARD REQUIREMENTS

Students must complete four courses for a total of twelve credits or more:

- 1) INTL 201: Introduction to International Studies.
- 2) a course from the Global Arts & Letters list.
- 3) a course from the Global Social Science list.
- 4) a course from either Global Arts & Letters or Global Social Science list.

In addition to the formal coursework outlined above, students are strongly encouraged to expand their learning beyond the classrooms by attending internationally-focused events on campus and in the community and by participating in a study abroad program. Those who do will be extremely well prepared to transfer to the International Studies program at the bachelor's and graduate levels.

Code	Title	Credits
Required course		
INTL 201	Introduction to International Studies	4
Global Social Science Courses		
ATH 103	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	4
ATH 207	Anthropological Theories, Methods, and Fieldwork	4
ATH 208	World Ethnography	4
ATH 209	Culture, Change, and the Individual	4
ATH 212	Introduction to Shamanism	4
ATH 214	Environment, Animals, and Culture	4
EC 221	Globalization and International Relations	4
GEO 105	Human Geography	4
GEO 106	World Regional Geography	4
GEO 202	Geography of Europe	4
GEO 204	Geography of Middle East	4
GEO 209	Climate Change and Human Systems	4
GEO 212	Geography of Global Issues	4
GEO 215	Geography of Latin America	4

GEO 230	Geography of Race & Ethnicity	4
GEO 250	Geography of Africa	4
HST 101	History of Western Civilization: Ancient to Medieval	4
HST 101H	History of Western Civilization: Ancient to Medieval Honors	4
HST 102	History of Western Civilization: Medieval to Modern	4
HST 102H	History of Western Civilization: Medieval to Modern - Honors	4
HST 103	History of Western Civilization: Modern Europe	4
HST 103H	History of Western Civilization: Modern Europe - Honors	4
HST 104	History of the Middle East	4
HST 105	History of India and South Asia	4
HST 106	History of China	4
HST 107	History of Korea and Japan	4
HST 270	History of Mexico	4
HST 271	History of Central America and the Caribbean	4
HST 284	History of Africa	4
HST 285	The Holocaust	4
HST 279	Russian History II	4
PS 204	Comparative Political Systems	4
PS 205	Global Politics: Conflict & Cooperation	4
PS 211	Peace and Conflict	4
PS 220	U.S. Foreign Policy	4
PS 221	Globalization and International Relations	4
PS 225	Political Ideologies: Idea Systems	4
PS 242	Modern China and Its Neighbors	4
SOC 221	Globalization and International Relations (SOC 221, PS 221 or EC 221 also meets requirements.)	4
WS 101	Women's Studies	4
WS 201	Intercultural Women's Studies	4
Global Arts & Letters Courses		
ART 207	History of Asian Art: Art and Architecture of India	4
ART 208	History of Asian Art: Art and Architecture of China	4
ART 209	History of Asian Art: Art and Architecture of Japan	4
CHLA 201	Intro to Chicana/Latinx Studies: Historical Perspectives	4
CHLA 202	Intro to Chicana/Latinx Studies: Contemporary Issues	4
CHLA 203	Intro to Chicana/Latinx Studies: Making Culture	4
CHN 201	Second Year Chinese	5
CHN 202	Second Year Chinese	5
CHN 203	Second Year Chinese	5
CHN 260	Chinese Culture	3
COMM 140	Introduction to Intercultural Communication	4
ENG 107	Introduction to World Literature (Up to 16th-Century)	4
ENG 108	Introduction to World Literature (16th-Century to Present)	4
ENG 207	Literature of India	4
ENG 208	Literature of China	4

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ENG 209	Literature of Japan	4
ENG 213	Latin American Literature	4
ENG 217	Literature of Genocide	4
FR 201	Second Year French - First Term	4
FR 202	Second Year French - Second Term	4
FR 203	Second Year French - Third Term	4
GER 201	Second Year German - First Term	4
GER 202	Second Year German - Second Term	4
GER 203	Second Year German - Third Term	4
JPN 201	Second Year Japanese - First Term	5
JPN 202	Second Year Japanese - Second Term	5
JPN 203	Second Year Japanese - Third Term	5
JPN 260A	Japanese Culture	3
JPN 261A		3
JPN 262A	Japanese Popular Culture	3
MUS 108	Music as Culture	3
PHL 210	Introduction to Asian Philosophy	4
R 201	Asian Religions	4
R 210	World Religions	4
RUS 201	Second Year Russian - First Term	5
RUS 202	Second Year Russian - Second Term	5
RUS 203	Second Year Russian - Third Term	5
RUS 241	Great Russian Writers-19th Century	4
RUS 242	Great Russian Writers-20th Century	4
SPA 201	Second Year Spanish - First Term	4
SPA 202	Second Year Spanish - Second Term	4
SPA 203	Second Year Spanish - Third Term	4