

Bachelor of Arts (BA)  
Degree Code 250 \*  
Concentration Code 250S

**I. CORE CURRICULUM..... 44**

Refer to the core curriculum checksheet for foreign languages that can be used in humanities. *Courses taken for core curriculum credit MAY NOT be used to satisfy requirements for the major. If required courses have been taken for core curriculum credit, select alternatives in consultation with your IDS advisor.*

**II. FOREIGN LANGUAGE (Completion of 6 semester hours at the \*intermediate level, or higher) ..... 6**

\_\_\_\_\_ 1040 (MC) \_\_\_\_\_ and 1050 (MC) \_\_\_\_\_ or 1060 (MC); or higher level courses \_\_\_\_\_

*\*NOTE: Foreign language 1010 and 1020 (or 1030) are prerequisites for the intermediate level courses.*

**III. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS..... 39**

**2.0 major GPA is required for graduation. Major GPA calculation will include all courses taken in the IDS department plus any other courses under III. Minimum of 18 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill major requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian. No more than 40 semester hours of IDS courses may be counted toward the BA degree.**

**A. Required IDS Core (15 semester hours):**

- IDS 3000 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Histories of Knowledges (W, MC, CD)
- IDS 3150 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Interdisciplinary Praxis (W, CD)
- IDS 3300 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Seminar I (S, CD)
- IDS 3700 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Seminar II (W, CD)
- IDS 4550 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Senior Seminar (S, W, C, CD)

Major Designators

- 2 Writing (W) \_\_\_\_\_
- 1 Speaking (S) \_\_\_\_\_
- Certified Proficiency in Communication (CPC) \_\_\_\_\_
- A grade of "C" or better in IDS 3300, 3700, and 4550 will meet the CPC requirement

Other Designators

- 4 Writing (W) \_\_\_\_\_
- (English 1000 and 1100 will count as 2 W)
- 4 Multi Cultural (MC) \_\_\_\_\_
- (History 1101 and 1102 will count as 2 MC)
- 2 Numerical Data (ND) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Computer (C) \_\_\_\_\_
- 1 Cross Disciplinary (CD) \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Required Labor Studies Core: (9 hours)**

- MGT 4630 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Labor Relations
- SOC 3550 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Sociology of Work and Organizations
- PSY 3207 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Organizational Psychology

**C. Choose one from the following courses: ( 3 hours)**

- IDS 2440 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Introduction to Sustainable Development
- ANT 4570 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Sustainable Development in the Modern World System

**D. Electives: Select four courses (12 hours) from the following:**

- ANT 4220 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Globalization (Same as PS 4220)
  - ANT 4565 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Political Economy, Globalization, and Rural Development
  - ECO 3720 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Economics of Personnel
  - ENG 3120 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Writing and Law
  - HIS 3526 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) History of American Business
  - IDS 2421 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Introduction to Women's Studies, Social Sciences
  - MGT 3620 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Human Resource Management
  - MGT 4570 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Compensation and Human Resource Management Systems
  - P&R 3400 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Contemporary Continental Philosophy
  - P S 3410 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Marxism
  - P S 4220 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Globalization (same as ANT 4220)
  - PSY 4206 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Industrial Psychology
  - SOC 4750 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Social Stratification
  - SOC 4850 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Globalization and Population
- Other special topics courses as approved or promoted \_\_\_\_\_

**E. An approved Labor Studies Internship may substitute for 3 semester hours of electives. \_\_\_\_\_**

**IV. MINOR REQUIRED ..... 12-20**

Minimum of 9 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill minor requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian.

**V. ELECTIVES (taken to total 122 hours for the degree) ..... 13-21**

2 semester hours of free electives must be outside the major discipline.