

# FOREIGN SERVICE, MINOR

Saint Louis University offers an 18-hour minor in foreign service. This interdisciplinary minor is intended to help its participants prepare for an international career, whether with the U.S. State Department, with international non-governmental organizations, with international organizations or in the private sector. It is open to any undergraduate enrolled at Saint Louis University; all majors qualify.

Upon joining the program, students must meet individually with the program director to receive help selecting electives tailored to their career goals.

## Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Courses</b>		
POLS 1600	Introduction to International Politics	3
POLS 3640	International Law	3
<b>Political Science Electives</b>		6
Select two courses with the 'Foreign Service Political Science' attribute, such as:		
POLS 2510	West European Politics	
POLS 2520	Introduction to African Politics	
POLS 2530	Soviet and Post Soviet Politics	
POLS 2550	Political Systems of the Sub-Sahara	
POLS 2560	The Politics of Asia	
POLS 2570	Introduction to Latin American Politics	
POLS 2580	Politics of Mexico	
POLS 2590	Politics of the Middle East and North Africa	
POLS 2600	Introduction to International Political Economy	
POLS 2640	International Terrorism	
POLS 2650	War & Peace in the Middle East	
POLS 2660	Middle East/International Pol	
POLS 2691	Theory and Practice of Human Rights	
POLS 2820	American Foreign Policy	
POLS 3500	East Asian Political Economy	
POLS 3510	Rebirth of Democracy	
POLS 3520	Communism, Capitalism and Social Justice	
POLS 3530	Comparative Revolutions	
POLS 3540	Latin American Social Movements	
POLS 3560	Political Process - Latin America	
POLS 3567	Political Development in Contemporary Spain	
POLS 3600	Problems of Globalization	
POLS 3610	Multilateral Diplomacy	
POLS 3620	International Organization and the Management of World Problems	
POLS 3630	International Security and Conflict Resolution	
POLS 3650	International Relations of Africa	
POLS 3660	US Strategy in Asia	
POLS 3810	Latin American-U.S. Relations	
POLS 3914	Foreign Service Internship	
POLS 3918	Overseas Fieldwork	
POLS 4500	Russian Political Culture	
POLS 4520	Political Change	

POLS 4530	Authoritarianism: A Study in Conceptual Utility	
POLS 4590	Crisis of Leadership	
POLS 4610	International Relations: Theory and Practice	
POLS 4630	The European Union: Politics and Political Economy	
POLS 4650	War, Peace, and Politics	
POLS 4662	International Challenges	
POLS 4692	Theories of World Politics	
POLS 4730	Seminar: Contemporary Political Ideologies	
<b>Elective Courses</b>		6
Select two courses with the 'Foreign Service Elective' attribute, such as:		
Or any modern language beyond the intermediate level		
CHIN 3250	Cultural Comparison: China – U.S.	
ECON 3790	Economies of Latin America	
ECON 3850	Political Economy European Union	
ECON 4300	International Trade	
ECON 4310	Exchange Rates and Global Economics	
ECON 4560	Economic Development	
FREN 3010	Discovering the French-Speaking World	
FREN 3020	Text, Voice, & Self-Expression	
FREN 3030	21st-Century France	
FREN 4110	Language & Linguistics	
FREN 4120	French Phonetics	
FREN 4160	French for the Professional	
FREN 4170	French and the Sciences	
FREN 4180	French and International Relations: Global Simulation	
FREN 4200	Perceiving Others: US & France	
FREN 4220	French and Francophone Media : Qu'est-ce qui se passe ?	
FREN 4290	Women and Global Issues	
FREN 4660	Nation, Identity, Culture	
FREN 4670	Postcolonialism and Violence, Issues of Representation in Francophone Culture, Literature and Film	
GR 3010	Communicating in German: The German Media	
GR 3020	Communicating in German: Contemporary Issues	
GR 3200	German Cultural History	
GR 3250	German Culture Studies II	
GR 4010	Fluency in German	
HIST 2710	China and Japan since 1600	
HIST 3140	Twentieth Century Europe: Era of World Wars, 1914-1945	
HIST 3180	Modern Latin America	
HIST 3250	World in Conflict Since 1945	
HIST 3290	Russia Since 1905	
HIST 3310	Modern European Diplomatic History, 1914-Present	
HIST 3820	Islamic Middle East	
HIST 3830	Modern Middle East	
ITAL 3010	Written Communication in Italian I	
ITAL 3020	Oral Communication in Italian I	
ITAL 4010	Written Communication in Italian II	

ITAL 4020	Oral Communication in Italian II
PSY 4270	Cross-Cultural Psychology
RUSS 3010	Oral and Written Proficiency in Russian I
RUSS 3020	Oral and Written Proficiency in Russian II
RUSS 4010	Fluency in Russian
SOC 1180	World Geography
SPAN 3010	Written Communication
SPAN 3020	Oral Communication
SPAN 4000	Advanced Spanish Grammar
SPAN 4050	Span Phonetics & Phonology
SPAN 4630	Narrative of the Spanish Civil War
THEO 2520	Comparative Religious Ethics
THEO 2710	Religions of the World
THEO 2715	Jerusalem: Three Faiths, One City
THEO 2720	Islam: Religion & Culture
THEO 3335	Christians In Middle East
THEO 3415	Christ and Color: Liberation Theology
THEO 3710	Arts of Hinduism and Buddhism
THEO 3740	Religions of Asia
THEO 4510	War and Peace in the Christian Tradition
THEO 4810	Latin American Politics, Theology, & Culture

Total Credits

18

### **Continuation Standards**

Students with a minor in foreign service must maintain a 2.00 grade point average (GPA) in courses for the foreign service minor.