

MOUNT MARY UNIVERSITY

GLOBAL STUDIES

SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Mount Mary University's global studies program creates unique opportunities for students to become lifelong learners of global cultures. Cultural competency and the ability to bridge cultural barriers in today's ever-shifting global society begins with interdisciplinary studies that have a global focus.

A global studies degree prepares students to live and work in a competitive, interdependent world. Mount Mary students develop literacy in global matters, multiculturalism and cultural diversity, while developing language proficiency and becoming contributing members of our global society. Mount Mary offers small, interactive classes conducive to world language learning. The program fosters critical thinking and intellectual growth and augments students' appreciation of varied literature and civilizations. Using a communicative approach to teaching, instructors often use role-playing to place students in real-life situations where they must not only know the language, but also understand cultural variables that can impact intercultural communication.

Post-Baccalaureate Certificate

Mount Mary offers a Spanish post-baccalaureate certificate for students who have already earned a bachelor's degree.

Student Activities

Mount Mary's International Club invites both international and United States students to increase their understanding of world languages and cultures. Activities include enrichment trips, social gatherings and orientation for international students. Mount Mary students have also found leadership opportunities through coordinating field trips and raising funds for local Hispanic organizations, as well as participating in Students Achieving Leadership through Spanish Activities (SALSA) and Hispanic Professionals of Greater Milwaukee (HPGM).

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

A degree in global studies at Mount Mary University provides students with the critical and analytical skills to transform the world. Graduates are prepared to work in fields such as:

- Diplomatic Service
- Education/Teaching
- Government Service
- Graduate Study
- Immigration Services
- Intercultural Communications
- International Education
- International Law or Business
- International Marketing
- Translation/Interpretation Services
- Travel Industry

OTHER LANGUAGES

Mount Mary offers courses in Spanish, Italian, French and American Sign Language.

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For additional information about Mount Mary's academic programs, visit: mtmary.edu/academics



EXAMPLE FOUR-YEAR PLAN

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*This major requires a study abroad experience

MAJOR

CORE

ELECTIVES

FRESHMAN YEAR			
FALL Courses		SPRING Courses	
FYS 100 First Year Seminar	3	GLO 200 Intro To Global Studies (Even Years)	3
Oral Communications	3	ENG 120 College Research Writing	3
ENG 110 or 120 (Depending on Placement)	3	World Language (Semester 2 of 2)	3
World Language	3	COM 235 Intercultural Communication	4
Math Prerequisite (If Needed)	3	Math	3
TOTAL	15 credits	TOTAL	16 credits
SOPHOMORE YEAR			
FALL Courses		SPRING Courses	
Core/Minor/Second Major	4	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
Core/Minor/Second Major	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
History (107, 260, 270, 275 or 280)	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
Political Science	3	GLO 200 Intro to Global Studies (even years)	3
GEO 310 World Regional Geography	3	BUS 302 Macroeconomics	3
TOTAL	16 credits	TOTAL	15-16 credits
JUNIOR YEAR			
FALL Courses		SPRING Courses	
ENG 130 Review for Writing and Research	2	ENG 307 World Literature	2 or 4
ANT 102 Cultural Anthropology	4	IST 400 Senior Seminar: Contemporary International Issues (offered odd years)	3
BUS 302 Macroeconomics	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
HUM 386 United Nations (offered odd years)	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
GEO 310 World Regional Geography	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
TOTAL	15 credits	TOTAL	15-17 credits
SENIOR YEAR			
FALL Courses		SPRING Courses	
Remaining Courses for Major	3	GLO 400 Global Studies Seminar (odd years)	3
Core/Minor/Second Major	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
Core/Minor/Second Major	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
Core/Minor/Second Major	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
Core/Minor/Second Major	3	Core/Minor/Second Major	3
TOTAL	12 credits	TOTAL	12 credits

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This example four-year plan is intended to outline the number and types of courses a student might take in order to fulfill the degree, major, core and elective requirements to graduate. Students meet with their academic advisor each semester to review progress toward fulfilling their degree requirements.



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