

THE INTERNATIONAL PLAN

In today's economy, employers are expecting to hire college graduates with international experience, global perspectives, intercultural communication skills, and the ability to work in diverse teams. In response to this need, Georgia Tech developed the International Plan, a globally-focused degree designation.

The International Plan is a challenging undergraduate academic program aimed at developing a student's global competence within the context of their major. It is an optional degree-long program that integrates overseas experiences, language proficiency, and globally-focused coursework into any participating major. It builds on existing undergraduate degree requirements and international opportunities, and it is intended to be completed within the normal time frame of a four-year undergraduate degree. Completion of the International Plan is recognized by a designation on the student's diploma, e.g., "B.S. in Electrical Engineering: International Plan."

A defining feature of the International Plan is coherence. Coherence refers to the connection between the destination(s) chosen to complete the international experiences, the language chosen to satisfy the language requirement, and the appropriateness to the student's discipline. While some students' Plans are inherently coherent through language, other students may link the elements of their Plan through academic and/or professional topics, creating "intellectual" coherence. The program is designed to give students a deep understanding of another culture so that they develop strong intercultural skills that will help them function effectively in a global environment. Students are encouraged to think strategically about their academic and international experience choices and seek guidance from their advisors.

In order to earn the International Plan designation in a participating major, students will complete the following components:

1. Globally-Focused Coursework: Complete three courses, one from each of the following categories. Only one 1000-level course may be used to satisfy globally-focused coursework requirements.
 - a. International relations
 - b. A course about the country or region of the overseas experience
 - c. Global economics
2. International Experience: Complete two terms abroad (at least 26 weeks) engaged in any combination of study, research, and/or internship. International experiences for the International Plan must be approved by the International Plan staff and the major IP faculty representative.
3. Second Language Proficiency: Demonstrate proficiency equivalent to four semesters of college-level language study. An optional Language Proficiency Distinction is available to students who demonstrate more advanced oral proficiency skills.
4. Culminating Course: Complete a major-specific capstone course designed to tie the international studies and experiences together with the student's discipline.
5. Have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.7 upon entrance to and graduation from the International Plan

For additional information about the International Plan visit <https://oie.gatech.edu/content/international-plan>.

International Relations - International Plan Electives

Course	HUM	SS	Ethics
HTS 2037		X	
HTS 2062		X	
HTS 2100		X	X
HTS 3012		X	
HTS 3055		X	
HTS 3066		X	
HTS 3067		X	
INTA 1050		x	
INTA 1110		X	
INTA 2030		X	X
INTA 2040		X	
INTA 2042		X	
INTA 2100		X	
INTA 2120		X	
INTA 2210		X	
INTA 3012		X	
INTA 3031		X	
INTA 3040		X	
INTA 3042		X	
INTA 3043		X	
INTA 3044		X	
INTA 3050		X	
INTA 3101		X	
INTA 3102		X	
INTA 3103		X	
INTA 3104		X	
INTA 3242		X	
INTA 3773		X	
INTA 4007			
INTA 4050		X	
INTA 4060		X	
INTA 4016			
INTA 4040		X	
INTA 4101		X	
INTA 4241		X	
ML 3500			
PUBP 3600		X	X

Country or Regional - International Plan Electives

Course	HUM	SS	Ethics
ARBC 2301	X		
ARBC 3420			
ARBC 3691	X		
ARBC 3692	X		
ARBC 3693	X		
ARCH 4113	X		
ARCH 4123			

ARCH 4125			GRMN 3697	X	
ARCH 4126		X	GRMN 4010	X	
ARCH 4128	X		GRMN 4012	X	
CHIN 3021	X		GRMN 4023	x	
CHIN 3022	X		GRMN 4024	X	
CHIN 3691	X		GRMN 4025	X	
CHIN 3692	X		GRMN 4026	X	
CHIN 3696			GRMN 4027		
CHIN 4031	X		GRMN 4028		
CHIN 4500	X		GRMN 4061	X	
COA 3115	X		GRMN 4065	X	
COA 3116	X		GRMN 4310		
FREN 3000	X		GRMN 4500	X	
FREN 3001	X		GRMN 6310		
FREN 3002	X		HTS 1031		X
FREN 3004	X		HTS 2036		X
FREN 3011	X		HTS 2040		X
FREN 3012	X		HTS 2041		X
FREN 3014	X		HTS 2051		X
FREN 3017	X		HTS 2061		X
FREN 3061	X		HTS 3030		X
FREN 3062	X		HTS 3031		X
FREN 3110	X		HTS 3032		X
FREN 3420			HTS 3033		X
FREN 3500	X		HTS 3035		X
FREN 3501			HTS 3036		X
FREN 3691	X		HTS 3038		X
FREN 3692	X		HTS 3039		X
FREN 3693	X		HTS 3041		X
FREN 3694	X		HTS 3043		X
FREN 3695			HTS 3045		X
FREN 3697			HTS 3046		X
FREN 4005			HTS 3051		X
FREN 4013	X		HTS 3061		X
FREN 4061	X		HTS 3062		X
FREN 4064			HTS 3063		X
FREN 4080			HTS 3069		X
FREN 4089			ID 4203		
FREN 4101	X		ID 4205		
FREN 4102	X		INTA 2220		X
FREN 4103	X		INTA 2221		X
FREN 4105	X		INTA 2230		X
FREN 4110			INTA 2241		X
FREN 4241	X		INTA 2260		X
FREN 4242	X		INTA 3120		X
FREN 4250		X	INTA 3121		X
FREN 4500	X		INTA 3130		X
FREN 4701			INTA 3131		X
GRMN 3030	X		INTA 3203		X
GRMN 3071	X		INTA 3220		X
GRMN 3695	X		INTA 3221		X
GRMN 3696	X		INTA 3223		X

INTA 3230	X
INTA 3231	X
INTA 3240	X
INTA 3241	X
INTA 3243	X
INTA 3260	
INTA 3330	X
INTA 3331	X
INTA 4121	X
INTA 4240	X
INTA 4331	X
INTA 4332	X
INTA 4333	X
INTA 4743	X
JAPN 3401	
JAPN 3691	X
JAPN 3692	X
JAPN 3693	X
JAPN 3700	
JAPN 4123	X
JAPN 4163	X
JAPN 4165	X
JAPN 4173	X
JAPN 4193	
JAPN 4500	X
JAPN 4743	X
JAPN 4780	X
JAPN 6080	
KOR 3001	X
KOR 3002	X
KOR 3691	X
KOR 3692	X
KOR 3693	X
KOR 4500	
KOR 4060	
LMC 3102	X
LMC 3104	X
LMC 3106	X
LMC 3212	X
LMC 3302	X
LMC 3316	X
LMC 3518	X
RUSS 3222	X
RUSS 3242	
RUSS 3691	X
RUSS 3692	X
RUSS 3698	X
RUSS 4300	
RUSS 4500	
RUSS 4692	
RUSS 4693	
SPAN 3050	X

SPAN 3061	X
SPAN 3064	X
SPAN 3122	X
SPAN 3200	
SPAN 3211	X
SPAN 3235	X
SPAN 3241	X
SPAN 3242	X
SPAN 3260	X
SPAN 3300	
SPAN 3500	X
SPAN 3690	
SPAN 3592	
SPAN 3691	X
SPAN 3692	X
SPAN 3693	X
SPAN 3694	X
SPAN 4061	X
SPAN 4062	X
SPAN 4101	X
SPAN 4158	
SPAN 4160	X
SPAN 4165	X
SPAN 4170	X
SPAN 4220	X
SPAN 4255	X
SPAN 4270	
SPAN 4350	X
SPAN 4360	
SPAN 4405	
SPAN 4500	X
SPAN 4410	
SPAN 4693	
SWAH 3420	
WOLO 3420	

Global Economics - International Plan Electives

Course	HUM	SS	Ethics
ECON 2101		X	
ECON 4311		X	
ECON 4350		X	
ECON 4351		X	
ECON 4355		X	
ECON 4357		X	
ECON 4411		X	
ECON 4415		X	
HTS 3064		X	
INTA 2050		X	
INTA 3232		X	
INTA 3301		X	
INTA 3303		X	

INTA 3304	X
INTA 3321	X
INTA 4230	X
INTA 4330	X
INTA 4340	X
INTA 4745	
MGT 3660	
CS 4745	

Industrial Design	ID 4012 - IP
Industrial and Systems	ISYE 4106 - IP
Literature, Media, and Communication	LMC 4100/LMC 4200/LMC 4300/ LMC 4400/ or LMC 4500 - IP or LMC 4102 - IP
Mechanical Engineering	ME 4182 - IP or ME 4723
Neuroscience	See IP Faculty Representative
Psychology	See IP Faculty Representative
Solid Earth and Planetary Sciences	See IP Faculty Representative

Culminating Course - International Plan Capstone

The IP Capstone is integrated into the major's senior design/seminar course. Students should enroll in the appropriate course and section for their major as listed below. Major IP faculty representatives can provide additional information and instructions

Major	Course Number
Aerospace Engineering	AE 4350/AE 4351 - IP or AE 4356/ AE 4357 - IP or AE 4358/AE 4357 - IP
Applied Languages and Intercultural Studies	CHIN 4500/FREN 4500/ GRMN 4500/JAPN 4500/ RUSS 4500/SPAN 4500
Architecture	ARCH 4012, ARCH 4011
Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences	See IP Faculty Representative
Biochemistry	CHEM 4699 - IP, CHEM 4582, CHEM 4765, CHEM 4695, VIP (must be approved)
Biology	BIOS 4699 - IP or BIOS 4590 or BIOS 4690 or BIOS 4910
Biomedical Engineering	BMED 4600/BMED 4601 - IP BMED 4602 and BMED 4873
Business Administration	MGT 3659
Civil and Environmental Engineering	CEE 4090 - IP
Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering	CHBE 4520-IP or CHBE 4530-IP
Chemistry	CHEM 4699 - IP, CHEM 4582, CHEM 4765, CHEM 4695, VIP (must be approved)
Computer Science	See IP Faculty Representative
Computational Media	See IP Faculty Representative
Earth & Atmospheric Sciences	See IP Faculty Representative
Electrical and Computer Engineering	ECE 4012 - IP
Economics	See IP Faculty Representative
Economics and International Affairs	See IP Faculty Representative
Environmental Science	See IP Faculty Representative
Global Economics and Modern Languages	CHIN 4500/FREN 4500/ GRMN 4500/JAPN 4500/ RUSS 4500/SPAN 4500
History, Technology, and Society	HTS 4091
International Affairs	INTA 4500 - IP
International Affairs and Modern Languages	CHIN 4500/FREN 4500/ GRMN 4500/JAPN 4500/ RUSS 4500/SPAN 4500