



(BA) Bachelor of Arts Degree in International Relations and Diplomacy

Offered at the following Schiller International University campuses: Florida, London, Paris, Heidelberg, Madrid, Leysin

General Requirements

1. Students must earn a minimum of 124 semester credits. All students must complete the Basic Courses and Area Courses as previously described under the AA degree in the Liberal Arts Program.
2. No more than 2 credits in physical education may be included in the 124 credit requirement.
3. A cumulative grade point average of 2.00 (C) or above must be earned.
4. The final 33 credits must be completed in residence at Schiller International University.
5. Completion of at least the intermediate level of one foreign language is required.

Required Core Courses

Credits

Techniques of Diplomacy

IR 341	Concepts in International Relations and Diplomacy	3
IR 370	Writing for Foreign Affairs	3
IR 450	Practical Diplomacy	3
BA/EN 372	Business and Professional Speaking	3

International Relations, Political Science, International Economics

IR 221	Introduction to International Relations	3
PS 221	Introduction to Political Science	3
ECO 2023c	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECO 2013c	Principles of Macroeconomics	3

Six elective courses chosen from the following (or other 300-400 level IR/PolSci courses as approved by the IR &D Advisor): 15

IR 331	Modern Diplomacy
IR 335	American Foreign Policy
IR/EC 353	Political Economy of North-South Relations
IR 356	International Relations of the Pacific Rim Region
IR 430	The Collapse of Communism
IR 436	The Middle East
IR/EC 452	Resources and the Environment
IR/EC 456	The European Union
IR/EC 457	Economics of Developing Countries
IR/EC 470	International Economic Policies and Institutions
IR 481	Model United Nations
PS 370	The US Political System
PS 382	Contemporary German Politics and Society
PS 383	France: Contemporary Politics and Society
PS 384	Modern Spanish Politics and Society
PS 385	Contemporary British Politics and Society



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International Management

GEB 1350	Introduction to International Business	3
BA 332	Organizational Administration OR	3
BA 401	Human Resources Management	
IT100	Business Applications Software (or other IT Course)	3
Three international business management courses chosen from the following (or from other international business courses as approved by the IR&D Advisor):		9
BA 200	Cross-Cultural Communication	
BA 322	International Marketing	
BA 338	Import-Export Operations	
BA 402	Comparative Industrial Relations	
BA 436	Case Studies in Management	
BA 437	Multinational Enterprise	
BA 439	International Business Policy	

General Education

EN 111–112	English Composition	6
AMH 2010-2020	American History or	6
HI 225–226	European History	
Fine Arts/Humanities		6
Physical Science/Mathematics		6
Social Science		6
General Education Electives (including Foreign Language)		15
Minor Area of Concentration or Electives		15
Free Electives		4

Total credits required: 124

Minor Area of Concentration

BA degree candidates in International Relations and Diplomacy may select elective courses to complete the 124 credit requirement, or they may select courses to fulfil the requirements for a minor in one or more of the fields described in the Bachelor of Arts section of the Liberal Arts Program (provided that prerequisite courses are completed before registering for upper-division courses).