



Development Studies

The Ohio State University

B.A.

For students who begin at OSU, Autumn 2023 and After.

Students choosing a major in **Development Studies** are interested in careers in business, local, state and federal government, and non-profits. **Students choose a primary specialization and a secondary specialization.**

Specializations are as follows:

- African Studies
- Development Studies
- East Asian Studies
- Globalization Studies
- Human Rights
- Information Security
- International Conflict & Peace Studies
- International Relations & Diplomacy
- Latin American Studies
- Middle East Studies
- Security & Intelligence
- Slavic & East European Studies
- West European Studies
- World Economy & Business

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

All students must complete four semesters of training in a single world language. You do not need to complete them before taking classes in the major. You also have the option of completing a minor or a second major in a language. Coursework completed at OSU, abroad and/or appropriate placement test results can document this.

OSU taught options to complete the world language training are **ARABIC 2104.01, BCS 2104, CHINESE 2141 & 2151, FRENCH 2101.01, GERMAN 2101, HEBREW 2105, HINDI 2104, ITALIAN 2102, JAPANESE 2102.01, KOREAN 2102.01, MODERN GREEK 4001, PERSIAN 2104, POLISH 2104, PORTUGUESE 3401, QUECHUA 5504.01, RUSSIAN 2104.01, SPANISH 2202.01, TURKISH 2101, UZBEK 2101**, but you may utilize coursework taken elsewhere or placement exams to fulfill this requirement in other languages as well.

Development Studies Specialization-BA

EMBEDDED LITERACIES (EL): (three courses): 9 hours

Students must complete at least one course each in **Advanced Writing (AW)**, **Data Analysis (DA)** and **Technology (TECH)**. These courses are part of the major and courses which fulfill the requirements are indicated below.

Course	Title	Credits	Grade
Required Co-requisite:			
1. REQUIRED FOUNDATIONS: 6 hours			
International Studies 3850	Introduction to Globalization	3	
International Studies 4852	Research in Globalization (AW)	3	
2. Methods & Analysis: 3 hours (choose one) (DA)			
Geography 4103	Introductory Spatial Data Analysis	3	
International Studies 3400	The Analysis & Display of Data	3	
Political Science 3780	Data Literacy & Data Visualization	3	
Sociology 5650	Presenting & Communicating Quantitative Data	3	
3. Student must choose a PRIMARY SPECIALIZATION (15 hours) & a SECONDARY SPECIALIZATION (9 hours).			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If Development Studies is your PRIMARY SPECIALIZATION, then choose five courses: 15 hours. Then choose three courses from a SECONDARY SPECIALIZATION. If Development Studies is your SECONDARY SPECIALIZATION, then choose three courses: 9 hours. 			
PRIMARY SPECIALIZATION: DEVELOPMENT STUDIES: 15 hours			
AEDECON / INTSTDS 4535	International Economic Development (3)		
AEDECON 4320	Energy, the Environment & the Economy (3)		
AEDECON / INTSTDS 4532	Food Security & Globalization (3)		
AEDECON / INTSTDS 4537	Middle Eastern Economic Development (3)		
AEDECON / INTSTDS 4597.01	Food, Population & the Environment (3)		
AGRCOMM 5150	Communication Strategies for Change & Development (3)		
ANTHROP 3597.02	Women, Culture & Development (3)		
ANTHROP 5602	Women's Health in Global Perspective (3)		
COMM 3554	Social Implications of Communication Technology (TECH) (3)		
CRPLAN 3400	Planning for Sustainable Economic Development (3)		
ENR / WGSST 3530	Women, Environment & Development (3)		
GEOG 3597.01	World Urbanization (3)		
GEOG 3800	Geographical Perspectives on Environment & Society (3)		
GEOG 3900	Global Climate Change: Causes & Consequences (3)		
GEOG 5700	Geography of Development (3)		
GEOG 5801	Environmental Conservation (3)		
GEOG 5802	Globalization & Environment (3)		
GEOG 3901H	Global Climate & Environmental Change (3)		
HISTART / INTSTDS 3905	The Developing World on Screen (3)		
INTSTDS 2500	Introduction to Development (3)		
INTSTDS 3450	Human Rights: An Introduction (3)		
INTSTDS 3703	Ethical Issues in Information Technology (TECH) (3)		
INTSTDS 4701	The Development & Control of Weapons of Mass Destruction (TECH) (3)		
POLITSC 3220	Politics of the Developing World (3)		
POLITSC 3596	Nationalism & Ethnicity (3)		
POLITSC 4335	International Environmental Politics (3)		
POLITSC 4940	Politics of Immigration (3)		
RURLSOC 3580	Social Groups in Developing Societies (3)		
SOCIOL 3302	Technology & Global Society (TECH) (3)		
SOCIOL 3306	Sociology of Poverty (3)		
SOCIOL 3460	Environmental Justice (3)		
SECONDARY SPECIALIZATION: 9 hours			
		6/05/2023	
	Minimum Program Hours	33	