Development Studies

I. REQUIRED MINOR
In addition to major requirements, students must complete one of the following minors:

- Agribusiness: minimum 12 hours (4-5 classes)
  Prerequisite: AEDECON 2001 or Econ 2001.01 or 2001.02
- Business: 15 hours (5 classes)
  Prerequisites: Econ 2001.01 or 2001.02, CSE 1110 or higher, Math 1130 or 1148 or math placement in M or L.
- City and Regional Planning: 12 hours (4 classes)
- Environmental Science: 15 hours (5 classes)
- Geographic Information Science: 18 hours (6 classes)
- Global Public Health: 15 hours (5 classes)
- Information Security: 16 hours (6 classes) Consult INTSTDS advisor for prerequisites and scheduling.
- International Business: 15 hours (6 classes)
- Quantitative Economics: 15 – 16 hours (5 classes)

II. PRE-MAJOR: (Complete 4 classes): 13 hours. Complete sections (a) and (b).

a. Completion of 1103 or equivalent of one of the following languages with a grade of C- or higher. Choose from:
   - Arabic
   - Chinese
   - French
   - Persian
   - Portuguese
   - Quechua
   - Spanish
   - Turkish

b. Completion of the following classes with a grade of C- or above. These courses do not count in the major, but may also double count for GE requirements:
   - Earth Sciences 1151 Natural Disasters (3)
   - Economics 2001.01 or 2001.02 Principles of Microeconomics (3)
   - Statistics 2450 Introduction to Statistical Analysis I (3)

III. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: Complete sections (a), (b), (c) and (d), continued on back.

- Complete a minimum of 30 credit hours and 10 courses.
- Courses used in your major cannot also be used for GE requirements.
- You must earn a C- or higher in all courses on your major and have a minimum 2.0 grade point average in the major.

a. REQUIRED FOUNDATIONS: (Complete all four courses): 12 hours.
1. AEDE Econ or INTSTDS 4535 International Economic Development (3)
2. Geography 5700 Geography of Development (3)
3. International Studies 2500 Introduction to Development Studies (3)
4. Political Science 3220 Politics of the Developing World (3)
b. ADVANCED FOREIGN LANGUAGE: (Complete one): 3-5 hours
Remember, you must complete 1103 of the same language first. *

- Arabic 2104
- Chinese 2102
- French 2101.01
- Persian 2104
- Portuguese 3401
- Quechua 5504.01
- Spanish 2202.01
- Turkish 2101

*Note: International Students should consult with the IS department about this requirement.

c. CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES (choose four): 12 HOURS

AEDECON or INTSTDS 4320 Energy, the Environment & the Economy (30)
AEDECON or INTSTDS 4532 Food Security & Globalization (3)
AEDECON or INTSTDS 4534 Comparative Challenges to Economic Development (3)
AEDECON or INTSTDS 4537 Middle Eastern Economic Development (3)
Agricultural Communication 5150 Communication Strategies for Change & Development (3)
Geography 3900 Global Climate Change: Causes and Consequences (3)
Geography 3901H Global Climate and Environmental Change (3)
International Studies 3450 Human Rights: An Introduction (3)
International Studies 5801 Children and War (3)
Political Science 4335 International Environmental Politics (3)
Political Science 4940 Politics of Immigration (3)
Sociology 5563 Global Inequality & Poverty (3)

d. ELECTIVES (choose one): 3 hours
(Choose one course from the list below or unused courses from Section c.)

AECECON or INTSTDS 4597.01 Food, Population, and the Environment (3)
Anthropology 4597.01 Cultural Conflict in Developing Nations (3)
Anthropology 4597.02 Women, Culture and Development (3)
Anthropology 5602 Medical Anthropology: Women’s Health (3)
Earth Sciences 3411 Water Security in the 21st Century (3)
Earth Science 4425 Energy Resources and Sustainability (3)
Geography 3597.01 World Urbanization (3)
Geography 3800 Geographical Perspectives on Environment & Society (3)
Geography 5801 Environmental Conservation (3)
Geography 5802 Globalization and Environment (3)
International Studies 4195 Selected Problems in International Studies (3)
International Studies 5191 Student Intern Program (3)
International Studies 5616 Challenges to Childhood: An International Perspective (3)
INTSTDS or PUBAFFRS 5700 Rebuilding Failed and Weak States (3)
International Studies 5797 Study Abroad (3) with department approval.
Rural Sociology 3580 Social Groups in Developing Societies (3)
Sociology 3306 Sociology of Poverty (3)
Sociology 3460 Environmental Justice (3)