

## Internationally-Oriented Courses for IBA programs in LA&PS

**Internationally-oriented courses** are defined as postsecondary courses with international content or perspective that is integrated into the teaching and learning material.

### Degree Requirement:

12 credits outside the student's IBA major (if enrolled as of 2014-15 and prior)

9 credits outside the student's IBA major (2015-16 changes approved by York Senate)

### Criteria to select an internationally-oriented course:

- Consider academic content with an international dimension and contemporary subject matter (since the 1800s) in topics that include, but are not limited to globalization, international inequalities, cultural and linguistic diversity, international development, intercultural learning and cross-cultural communication. Exceptions may be entertained subject to the approval of the Undergraduate Program Director/IBA coordinator
- Consider interdisciplinary courses with subject matter related to the countries associated with the language study acquired in IBA
- Consider educational activities, granted for credit, that involve experiential learning outside the classroom in an international location (i.e. *YorkU Abroad course*)
- Consider a research abroad project (taken for credit) carried out by a student in a country outside the home institution (i.e. *directed reading*). The project must be arranged by the student with a faculty supervisor

The Office of the Dean, LA&PS, in consultation with its undergraduate programs, includes the following list of internationally-oriented courses. This is not meant to be an exhaustive list, but as a sample list to support IBA enrolment.

	Course Code	Credit	Course Title
1.	AP/ANTH 1120	6.0	Making Sense of a Changing World: Anthropology Today
2.	AP/ANTH 2100	6.0	From Empire to Globalization: Anthropological Perspectives
3.	AP/ANTH 2120	6.0	Visualizing Ourselves, Visualizing Others: Media Representation & Culture
4.	AP/ANTH 2170	6.0	Sex, Gender and the Body: Cross-Cultural Approaches to the Body, Gender, Sexuality and Kinship
5.	AP/ANTH 3110	6.0	Acquiring Research Skills ( <b>YorkU Summer Abroad</b> )
6.	AP/ANTH 3120	6.0	The Anthropology of Tourism
7.	AP/ANTH 3410	6.0	Critical Perspectives on Ethnicity and Nationalism
8.	AP/ARB 2700	6.0	Introduction to Arabic Culture
9.	AP/CH 2030	6.0	Intermediate Chinese Language and Culture in China ( <b>YorkU Summer Abroad</b> )
10.	AP/CH 3790/91	6.0	Contemporary Chinese Culture Through Literary Texts and Film (Course 3791 is - In Translation)
11.	AP/COMN 3770	3.0	Transnational Media Culture and Global Youth
12.	AP/ECON 3199	3.0	Approaches to Global Economics (writing)
13.	AP/ECON 3473	3.0	Global Business Economics
14.	AP/ECON 3550/3559	3.0	Economic Growth and Development (writing)

15.	AP/EN 3175	3.0	Travel Writing in English
16.	AP/EN 3592	6.0	Literary London (YorkU Summer Abroad)
17.	AP/FR 3089	6.0	French Language and Society (YorkU Summer Abroad)
18.	AP/GEOG 1000	6.0	Introduction to World Geography
19.	AP/GEOG 1410	6.0	Human Geography
20.	AP/GEOG 2030	3.0	The End of the Earth as We Know It: Global Environmental Change
21.	AP/GEOG 2070	3.0	Empire, State and Power: Introduction to Political Geography
22.	AP/GEOG 2220	6.0	Urban Geography
23.	AP/GEOG 3060	3.0	Post-Colonial Geographies
24.	AP/GEOG 3130	3.0	The Global Economy
25.	AP/GEOG 4521	6.0	Field Studies in Human Geography (YorkU Summer Abroad)
26.	AP/GER 2020	6.0	Intermediate German in Berlin (YorkU Summer Abroad)
27.	AP/GER 3200	6.0	Modern and Contemporary German Writers (in Translation)
28.	AP/GER 3989 (cross-listed with AP/HUMA 3989)	6.0	Germany and the Global Imaginary
29.	AP/GKM 3600	6.0	Modern Greek Literature and Culture After Independence
30.	AP/HIST 1010	6.0	War, Revolution and Society
31.	AP/HIST 1030	6.0	Imperialism and Nationalism in Modern Asia
32.	AP/HIST 3136 (cross-listed with ANTH 3630 6.0)	6.0	Roman Spain: Archaeology and History (YorkU Summer Abroad)
33.	AP/ HIST 3357	6.0	A Modern History, from 1800 to present (YorkU Summer Abroad)
34.	AP/HIST 3870	6.0	Globalization in History
35.	AP/HND 3710	3.0	Contemporary Literatures of the South Asian Diaspora
36.	AP/HREQ 1910 (cross-listed with AP/SOSC 1910)	6.0	The Global South, Human Rights and Development
37.	AP/HREQ 1960 (cross-listed with AP/SOSC 1960)	6.0	Indigenous Resistance in Global Contexts
38.	AP/HREQ 3595 (cross-listed with AP/PHIL 3595)	3.0	International Ethics
39.	AP/HRM 4475 (cross-listed with SOCI 4475 6.0)	6.0	Migration, Work and Society (YorkU Summer Abroad)
40.	AP/HUMA 1770	6.0	One World: Historical and Cultural Perspectives on Globalization
41.	AP/HUMA 2310	9.0	Introduction to Caribbean Culture
42.	AP/HUMA 2600	6.0	Humanities for a Global Age
43.	AP/HUMA 4147	6.0	International Field Study Tour - Children's Culture in Context (YorkU Summer Abroad)
44.	AP/IT 3760/61 AP/IT 3761 is Cross- listed with AP/ HUMA 3610 3.0	3.0	Italian Medieval and Renaissance Civilization (YorkU Summer Abroad)
45.	AP/IT 3770/71 AP/IT 3771 3.0 is	3.0	Modern and Contemporary Italian Culture (YorkU Summer Abroad)

	Cross-listed with AP/HUMA 3611 3.00		
46.	AP/JP 2700	6.0	Contemporary Japanese Culture and Society
47.	AP/KOR 3600	6.0	Contemporary Korean Culture
48.	AP/POLS 2940	6.0	Introduction to International Politics
49.	AP/POLS 2950	6.0	States and Societies in the Global Context : Introduction to Comparative Politics
50.	AP/POLS 3240	3.0	Multilateralism I: The United Nations, Regional Organizations and International Law
51.	AP/POLS 3250	3.0	Multilateralism II: The Political Economy of International Organizations
52.	AP/POLS 3260 (cross listed with AP/MIST 3260)	6.0	War and Peace in the Middle East
53.	AP/POLS 3410	3.0	Globalization, State Theory and City-Regions
54.	AP/POLS 3515	3.0	China: 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Superpower
55.	AP/POLS 3553 (cross listed with AP/SOSC 3410)	6.0	Political Economy of Latin America and The Caribbean
56.	AP/POLS 3570	3.0	Africa: The Politics of Transition and Resistance
57.	AP/POLS 3580	6.0	South Korea: The Politics of Youth and Old Age ( <b>YorkU Summer Abroad</b> )
58.	AP/POLS 3900	3.0	Local to Global: City and Nation in the Age of Globalization
59.	AP/PPAS 3560/3569 (cross-listed with AP/ECON 3560/3569)	3.0	Economic Policy in Developing Countries
60.	AP/RU 2750 (cross-listed with AP/HIST 2310 AND AP/HUMA 2750)	6.0	Russian Culture: Continuity and Conflict (In Translation)
61.	AP/SOCI 3430	6.0	Ethnicity, Power & Identity
62.	AP/SOCI 4230	6.0	Sociology of Cultures and Ethnic Identities
63.	AP/SOCI 4350	3.0	Immigration and Citizenship
64.	AP/SOCI 4360	6.0	Migration Experiences: Theory & Practice
65.	AP/SOCI 4390	3.0	Transnationalism and Diaspora
66.	AP/SOCI 4450	6.0	Women in Development
67.	AP/SOSC 2102	3.0	Health Systems in the Global Society
68.	AP/SOSC 2435	6.0	Introduction to South Asian Studies
69.	AP/SOSC 3480	6.0	Culture, Democracy and Development in Africa
70.	AP/SOSC 3970	6.0	India: Culture and Society
71.	GL/HIST 3670 (cross-listed with GL/ILST 3670)	3.0	Brazil in the Era of Globalization: The 20 <sup>th</sup> Century
72.	GL/POLS 3650 (cross-listed with GL/ILST 3650)	3.0	International Peace, Security and Human Rights

**COURSE DESCRIPTIONS:**

AP/ANTH 1120	6.0	Making Sense of a Changing World: Anthropology Today
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**Course Description:**

Anthropology is the comparative analysis of the human condition. This course challenges you to engage with other ways of knowing and being, and to rethink your taken-for-granted knowledge and beliefs; to see the world the way other cultures do. Through the course students will use anthropological approaches to increase an understanding of global issues in diverse locales. Course credit exclusions: AP/ANTH 1110 6.00, AP/ANTH 1130 6.00.

AP/ANTH 2100	6.0	From Empire to Globalization: Anthropological Perspectives
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**Course Description:**

This course analyzes and critiques the social and cultural foundations of historical and contemporary forms of capitalism, development and globalization from an anthropological perspective. As part of this critique we examine forms of on-the-ground resistance around the world. Course credit exclusions: AP/ANTH 2100 3.00, AP/ANTH 2100 6.00 (prior to Fall 2012). PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/ANTH 2100 6.00.

AP/ANTH 2120	6.0	Visualizing Ourselves, Visualizing Others: Media Representation & Culture
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**Course Description:**

This course interrogates the relationship between media and culture. It focuses on media representations in different cultural contexts in order to develop critical analytical skills for understanding the processes through which identities and social inequalities are produced, contested and transformed.

Course credit exclusion: AP/ANTH 2120 6.00 (prior to Fall 2012)

AP/ANTH 2170	6.0	Sex, Gender & the Body: Cross-Cultural Approaches to the Body, Gender, Sexuality and Kinship
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**Course Description:**

This course critically examines popular explanations of what is considered natural (and what is not) about sex, gender, the body and the family. Through a cross-cultural approach, biological models of natural gender roles, as well as sexual and familial relations, are explored and questioned.

Course credit exclusions: AP/ANTH 2170 6.00

AP/ANTH 3110	6.0	Acquiring Research Skills (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

This course will provide students with a theoretical and practical toolbox for designing, conducting, and writing ethnographic research projects. Students will explore the concepts and skills in class and then apply and develop them in the field. Students will have the opportunity to design a research project in consultation with the instructor, and to conduct their own ethnographic fieldwork during an intensive four-week research trip to another country.

PREREQUISITES: Anthropology students - Successful completion of AP/ANTH 1110 OR AP/ANTH 1120 AND Successful completion of a minimum of one 2000-level Anthropology course Sociology students - Successful completion of AP/SOCI 2030 6.00 and AP/SOCI 2040 6.00

NOTE: If you do not meet the prerequisites, please seek permission from course director

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PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Prerequisite: AS/ANTH 1110 6.00 and a minimum of one 2000 level anthropology course. Course Credit Exclusion: AS/ANTH 3110 6.00.

AP/ANTH 3120	6.0	The Anthropology of Tourism
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**Course Description:**

This course explores the sites/sights of tourist practice. Beginning with an historical analysis of tourism in relationship to European colonial expansion, we then consider the cultural significance of contemporary tourism both at home and abroad. Course credit exclusions: AP/ANTH 3010B 6.00. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/ANTH 3010B 6.00 and AS/ANTH 3120 6.0

AP/ANTH 3410	6.0	Critical Perspectives on Ethnicity and Nationalism
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**Course Description:**

This course examines the significance and perception of ethnicity and of nationalism, both as concepts and as modes of establishing or of manipulating identity and of organizing social life in non-Western societies. Course credit exclusion: AP/ANTH 3410 6.00 (prior to term Fall 2012). PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/ANTH 3410 6.00.

AP/ARB 2700	6.0	Introduction to Arabic Culture
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**Course Description:**

This course presents textual sources in Arabic literature, philosophy and scripture, and is designed to introduce students to major aspects of Arabic and Islamic culture from the classical to the modern period. Course credit exclusions: None. Note: Knowledge of Arabic is desirable, but not required. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/ARB 2700 6.00.

AP/CH 2030	6.0	Intermediate Chinese Language and Culture in China (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

An intensive intermediate Chinese language and culture course, taught on the York campus and followed by a stay at Fudan University in Shanghai, China. The course covers language structures and functions, vocabulary and topics on Chinese culture and civilization. This course is taught in Chinese. The course will be offered in the summer session only. Four weeks on York University campus: six hours weekly (three hours twice weekly, in evenings) followed by three weeks in Shanghai, China; Five contact hours daily, plus excursions. Prerequisite: AP/CH 1000 6.00, or permission of the department. Course credit exclusion: AP/CH 2000 6.00.

AP/CH 3790/91	6.0	Contemporary Chinese Culture Through Literary Texts and Film (Course 3791 is - In Translation)
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**Course Description:**

This course explores the relationship between ideology and art. Focusing on such aspects as narrative technique and allegory and by investigating the film versions of some of the literary texts under discussion, this course offers insights into contemporary China. Course credit exclusion: AP/CH 3791 6.00. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/CH 3790 6.00 and AS/CH 3791 6.00

AP/COMN 3770	3.0	Transnational Media Culture and Global Youth
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**Course Description:**

The aim of this course is to provide students with an overview of the critical debates and issues surrounding youth media culture in a transnational context. This course will trace the impact of the transnational mobility and ubiquity of media such as film, television, music, mobile technologies, video

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games and the internet, on the proliferation of global youth cultures. The course will explore the emergence of complex forms of hybrid cultures and identities that increasingly occur amongst young people throughout the world. At the basis of the course will be a critical analysis of the construction of youth including the multiple, diverse constructions across a range of cultures. Course credit exclusions: None.

AP/ECON 3199	3.0	Approaches to Global Economics (writing)
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**Course Description:**

Explores approaches to the global economy, emphasizing structural and policy-related aspects. Course credit exclusions: AP/ECON 3190 3.00, AP/POLS 3270 3.00, AP/POLS 3275 3.00.

PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AK/POLS 3700 6.00, AS/ECON 3190 3.00, AS/ECON 3199 3.00, AS/POLS 3270 3.00, AS/POLS 3275 3.00

AP/ECON 3473	3.0	Global Business Economics
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**Course Description:**

Deals with international business decision-making and includes concepts of international trade and finance, strategy, marketing, and the international “rules of the road” that are the responsibility of such organizations as the WTO and IMF. Brings together insights from economics, strategy, and finance to address the challenges of international business economics, including the theory of transactions costs applied to global outsourcing.

Prerequisite: AP/ECON 2400 3.00 or equivalent. Course credit exclusions: None.

PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AK/ECON 3473 3.00.

AP/ECON 3550/3559	3.0	Economic Growth & Development (writing)
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**Course Description:**

Studies the economic problems of poor countries and poor communities. Explores the meaning of development by considering the characteristics of economic underdevelopment, poverty, income and wealth distribution, rural versus urban development, population growth, and unemployment and migration. Additional topics include theories of development, growth and technological change, strategies for environmentally sustainable development, education, and health.

Prerequisites: AP/ECON 1000 3.00 and AP/ECON 1010 3.00 or equivalents. Course credit exclusions: GL/ECON/ILST 3920 3.00, AP/ECON 3550 3.00.

PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AK/ECON 3550 3.00, AS/ECON 3310 3.00.

AP/ECON 3569	3.0	Economic Policy in Developing Countries
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**Course Description:**

Examines policy issues arising from development planning. Topics include agriculture versus industry, international trade, monetary and fiscal policies, foreign investment, foreign aid and self-reliance, and global issues.

Prerequisites: AP/ECON 1000 3.00 and AP/ECON 1010 3.00 or equivalents. Course credit exclusions: AP/ECON 3560 3.00, AP/PPAS 3560 3.00.

AP/EN 3175	3.0	Travel Writing in English
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**Course Description:**

Dealing with 19th- and 20th-century travel writing (British, Canadian, American, African, Asian and Caribbean), this course examines the construction of a travelling/narrating self, its representations of

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other landscapes, cultures and peoples and the writer's rhetorical strategies. Course credit exclusion: AP/EN 2305 3.00 (prior to Fall 2011). PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/EN 2260 3.00.

AP/EN 3592	6.0	Literary London (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

London has been an inspiration, both negative and positive, for generations of British writers. This course, taught in the classroom at York and in London itself, investigates how an understanding of the many facets of the city can transform our understanding of its literature. Readings will address the abundant variety of experiences London has offered and still offers its writers.

The course will be offered in the summer session only. Three weeks on York University campus, followed by three weeks in London, England.

Prerequisites: None Course credit exclusions: None

AP/FR 3089	6.0	French Language and Society (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

An intensive French language and society course, taught at York University (two weeks) and at l'Université de Savoie in Chambéry, France (four weeks). This course offers students a unique opportunity to gain six credits at the 3000 level through the intensive study of French in a French-speaking milieu. Language of instruction is in French. The course will be offered in the summer session only.

PREREQUISITES: AP/FR 2081 3.0 and AP/FR 2082 3.0

AP/GEOG 1000	6.0	Introduction to World Geography
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**Course Description:**

This course explores geographic approaches to disparities of cultural, economic, political and environmental development in major world regions comprising developed capitalist and socialist countries and underdeveloped nations. Course credit exclusion: None. Prior TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/GEOG 1000 6.00.

AP/GEOG 1410	6.0	Human Geography
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**Course Description:**

An introduction to the study of human geography which puts emphasis on geographical aspects of population, culture, society and economy. Detailed examples are studied in tutorials. Course credit exclusion: None. Prior TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/GEOG 1410 6.00 and AK/GEOG 2500 6.00.

AP/GEOG 2030	3.0	The End of the Earth as We Know It: Global Environmental Change
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**Course Description:**

This course explores how human society has transformed the earth system and investigates the social, economic and political implications of contemporary environmental change. Topics include deforestation, climate change, biodiversity loss and natural disasters such as hurricanes, flooding and drought. Internet access is required. Recommended prerequisites: AP/GEOG 1000 6.00, AP/GEOG 1400 6.00 and AP/GEOG 1410 6.00. Course credit exclusions: None. Prior TO FALL 2009: Recommended prerequisites: AS/GEOG 1000 6.00, AS/GEOG 1400 6.00 and AS/GEOG 1410 6.00. Course credit exclusion: AS/GEOG 2030 3.00.

AP/GEOG 2070	3.0	Empire, State and Power: Introduction to Political Geography
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**Course Description:**

This course explores the reciprocal links between geography and political processes at the global, national and local levels. Political geography asks us to understand the historical and contemporary relationships between power and space, focusing on empires, nations, states, territory, and borders. More broadly, the course highlights the importance of space and place for processes of domination. Course credit exclusions: AP/GEOG 2050 6.00 (prior to Fall 2013), AP/GEOG 2070 3.00 (prior to Fall 2013). PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/GEOG 2070 3.00.

AP/GEOG 2220	6.0	Urban Geography
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**Course Description:**

In a world where over 50 per cent of the population lives in urban areas, cities play a significant role in shaping the social, cultural, economic, political, and environmental conditions of people's everyday lives. This course introduces the geographical literature on the urbanization process in historical and contemporary perspective. It provides students with a necessary general survey of the characteristics of urban processes and patterns, urban systems and structure, and urban social issues from a geographical perspective. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/GEOG 3120 6.00 and AK/GEOG 3430 6.00.

AP/GEOG 3060	3.0	Post-Colonial Geographies
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**Course Description:**

This course examines the particular landscapes produced by colonialism and the struggles to move beyond it. Attention is paid to the use of space and place as mechanisms of control and liberation. Examples are international, and concern fictional and non-fictional landscapes. Prerequisite: 54 credits successfully completed. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Prerequisite: 54 credits successfully completed. Course credit exclusion: AS/GEOG 3060 3.00.

AP/GEOG 3130	3.0	The Global Economy
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**Course Description:**

This course examines the evolution of the world economy as well as the major institutions that have supported it, and interprets the new geography of investment, production and consumption that accompanies it. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/GEOG 3130 3.00.

AP/GEOG 4521	6.0	Field Studies in Human Geography (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

This course introduces students to geographic field studies by bringing traditional classroom learning into the field through a combination of pre-departure seminars and an extended trip to allocation away from the University. The specific topic for this course is Community Development and Environments in Thailand. During the fieldtrip, students will learn about geographical issues through observation, participation, discussions, and lectures, while reflecting critically on fieldwork. During the fieldtrip, students will learn about community-based environmental conservation and development, through visits to four field sites. In each of these sites they will observe community development processes, interview community members (group interviews with the assistance of translators), and listen to guest lectures by local experts. Language of instruction is English. The course will be offered in the summer session only. One week on York University campus, followed by three weeks in Chiangmai, Thailand.

**PREREQUISITES:** AP/GEOG 1000 6.0 (or AP/GEOG 1410 6.0) and completion of 86 credits; or written permission by Course Director



AP/GER 2020	6.0	Intermediate German in Berlin (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

This course introduces some of the major German-language writers and works of the 20th and 21st centuries. Applies various approaches to establish the historical conditions under which these texts were produced and to discuss the particular pressures and concerns to which they represent a response. Writers may include Nietzsche, Freud, Mann, Kafka, Brecht, Zweig, Benjamin, Bachmann, Wolf, Schlink and Sebald.

Course credit exclusions: AP/GER 2200 6.00, AP/GER 2201 6.00 (prior to Fall 2010), AP/GER 4200 6.00. Note: No knowledge of German is necessary. AP/GER 3200 6.00 will count for major or minor credit towards the German culture and society stream in the German studies program, but will not count for major or minor credit towards the German language, literature and culture stream in the German studies program.

AP/GER 3200	6.0	Modern and Contemporary German Writers (in translation)
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**Course Description:**

This course introduces some of the major German-language writers and works of the 20th and 21st centuries. Applies various approaches to establish the historical conditions under which these texts were produced and to discuss the particular pressures and concerns to which they represent a response. Writers may include Nietzsche, Freud, Mann, Kafka, Brecht, Zweig, Benjamin, Bachmann, Wolf, Schlink and Sebald.

Course credit exclusions: AP/GER 2200 6.00, AP/GER 2201 6.00 (prior to Fall 2010), AP/GER 4200 6.00. Note: No knowledge of German is necessary. AP/GER 3200 6.00 will count for major or minor credit towards the German culture and society stream in the German studies program, but will not count for major or minor credit towards the German language, literature and culture stream in the German studies program.

AP/GER 3989 (cross-listed with AP/HUMA 3989)	6.0	Germany and the Global Imaginary
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**Course Description:**

Investigates the international cultural, artistic, intellectual, and social links that have informed German self-definition and the German imagination of spaces and peoples beyond the German-speaking world. Considers how this international exchange has influenced cultural production in a variety of media, such as literature, film, visual arts, music, architecture and theatre. Course credit exclusions: None.

AP/GKM 3600	6.0	Modern Greek Literature and Culture After Independence
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**Course Description:**

A general survey of the development of Greek literature and culture from the early 19th century, as they related to contemporary Greek consciousness. Further practice and study of modern Greek. Prerequisite: AP/GKM 2000 6.00 or AP/GK 2430 6.00, or permission of the department. With permission, students may co-enrol in AP/GKM 2000 6.00. Course credit exclusions: None. Prior TO FALL 2009: Prerequisite: AS/GKM 2000 6.00 or AK/AS/GK 2430 6.00, or permission of the department. With permission, students may co-enrol in AS/GKM 2000 6.00. Course credit exclusions: AS/GKM 3600 6.00 and AK/AS/GK 3450 6.00 (prior to Fall/Winter 2002-2003).

AP/HIST 1010	6.0	War, Revolution and Society in the 20 <sup>th</sup> Century
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**Course Description:**

A study of the major political and social upheavals which have helped to shape the contemporary world. The course will concentrate on the origins of the two World Wars and the Cold War, and on their consequences. Topics chosen for detailed examination will vary from year to year.

Course credit exclusions: None

AP/HIST 1030	6.0	Imperialism and Nationalism in Modern Asia
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**Course Description:**

This course concerns the community of independent Asian nations, examining their distinctive traditional societies, the impact of imperialism, their reactions to it and their modern evolution. Course credit exclusions: None. Prior TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/HIST 1030 6.00

AP/HIST 3136 (cross-listed with ANTH 3630 6.0)	6.0	Roman Spain: Archaeology and History (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

This course examines the historical value of archaeological evidence by applying archaeological theory and method to the excavation of a late-Iberian/early-Roman site in Spain: Cabrera de Mar (Barcelona). A combination of formal instruction at York and hands-on excavation at the site provides a detailed understanding of archaeological techniques and the critical use of archaeological data in addressing key historical questions. The language of instruction is in English. **PREREQUISITES:** None

AP/HIST 3357	6.0	Greece: A Modern History, from 1800 to the present (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

This course analyzes some of the major developments in European and world history during the Nineteenth and Twentieth Century and then explains how those momentous changes were experienced in one country: Greece. Based on Athens and also taking trips for on-site teaching, the course provides in-depth understanding of major developments in recent Greek history and connects them to key moments in European and world history. The course will be offered in the summer session only. Two weeks on York University campus, followed by four weeks in Athens, Greece

PREREQUISITES: None

AP/HIST 3870	6.0	Globalization in History
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**Course Description:**

This course examines relations between history and globalization on two levels, (1) constructing narratives of world history that include all cultures, and (2) controversies surrounding conceptualizing such histories.

Course credit exclusion: None

AP/HND 3710	3.0	Contemporary Literatures of the South Asian Diaspora
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**Course Description:**

This course investigates the phenomenon of South Asian diaspora in modern, postcolonial, and global contexts. It examines an interdisciplinary literature from the Humanities and Social Sciences in order to establish the social features of diaspora and the cultural expressions of the diasporic condition through a consideration of theoretical, literary, and ethnographic texts. Course credit exclusions: None. Note: Knowledge of Hindi and/or Urdu is not required.

AP/HREQ 1910 (cross-listed with AP/SOSC 1910)	6.0	The Global South, Human Rights and Development
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**Course Description:**

An examination of the historical relationship among human rights, economic equity, and the idea of development in the global south; attempts of selected countries to alleviate poverty through various development strategies. This will entail a survey of socio-economic structures, and legal-political institutions in the global south, and an analysis of the relationship between the global south and the global north. Note: This course has been approved in the Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies for general education credit. This course will not count for major credit in HREQ. Course credit exclusion: AP/SOSC 1430 9.00. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AK/SOSC 1910 6.00, AS/SOSC 1430 9.00.

AP/HREQ 1960 (cross-listed with AP/SOSC 1960)	6.0	Indigenous Resistance in Global Contexts
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**Course Description:**

Examines the stories of how Indigenous communities around the world resist assaults on their lands and cultures, both historically and at present. With an interdisciplinary approach, students learn about Indigenous peoples' relationships with the natural world and about their approaches to social issues. Note: This course has been approved in the Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies for general education credit. This course will not count for major credit in HREQ.

AP/HREQ 3595 (cross-listed with AP/PHIL 3595)	3.0	International Ethics
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**Course Description:**

An examination of the role of norms in the analysis of international relations, in particular as they apply to foreign actor involvement in conflicts within states as a response to massive human rights violence, ethnic cleansing, and genocide. Prerequisites: AP/PHIL 2060 3.00, AP/PHIL 2070 3.00 or AP/PHIL 2075 3.00. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Prerequisites: Six credits in philosophy (preferably including one of AK/AS/PHIL 2060 3.00, AK/AS/PHIL 2070 3.00, AK/AS/PHIL 2075 3.00 or AK/PHIL 2440 3.00) or permission of the instructor. Course credit exclusions: AK/AS/PHIL 3595 3.00.

AP/HRM 4475 Cross-listed with SOCI 4475 6.0	6.0	Migration, Work and Society
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**Course Description:**

Migrants, Work and Society is a study abroad course based on experiential and comparative learning examining successful policies and practices in the area of migrant work and societal integration in Canada and in Germany. Major governmental, NGO, individual, academic and employer visits and initiatives will be studied and compared in terms of their success in the local context. Language of instruction is English.

**PREREQUISITES:** Permission by Course Director

AP/HUMA 1770	6.0	One World: Historical and Cultural Perspectives on Globalization
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**Course Description:**

Explores the social and cultural interactions of the peoples of the World from pre-history to the 21st century with the main emphasis placed on the period between 1500 and the present. Note: This course

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has been approved in the Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies for general education credit.  
Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AK/HUMA 1770 6.00.

AP/HUMA 2310	9.0	Introduction to Caribbean Culture
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**Course Description:**

This course introduces students to the major cultural characteristics of the contemporary Caribbean through an examination of the writers, artists and scholars of the region. Note: This course has been approved in the Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies for general education credit. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/HUMA 2310 9.00.

AP/HUMA 2600	6.0	Humanities for a Global Age
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**Course Description:**

This course provides students with important contexts for the study of the Humanities, including the place of Humanities in the curriculum of the modern university, key concepts for intellectual debate in the Humanities and the place of Humanities-type inquiry in globalized world cultures. Course credit exclusion: AP/HUMA 2600 9.00.

AP/HUMA 4147	6.0	International Field Study Tour - Children's Culture in Context (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

This course is a field course and study tour. Students in this course prepare for this course at York University and then continue the study of children's culture in the specific international location of the course. The instructor of the course will accompany the students while in the field. During the course of the semester students will engage with children and community members, live in community settings and apply knowledge to support the needs and desires of the community. Students will be involved in community work that supports children and their communities as appropriate for the particular field study tour.

This course fulfills the 4000-level core course requirement for Children's Studies majors and minors.

Course credit exclusions: None.

Note: Priority will be given to Children's Studies Majors and Minors.

AP/IT 3761 AP/IT 3761 is Cross-listed with AP/ HUMA 3610 3.0	6.0	Italian Medieval and Renaissance (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

The focus will be on the Florentine contribution to literature and the arts in the context of the social and political changes taking place from the 14th to the 16th centuries. Knowledge of Italian is not required. This course counts towards the major and minor in Italian Culture. Students counting the course towards the major or minor in Italian Studies must register in AP/IT 3760 3.0. Note: This course takes place in Florence, Italy.

PREREQUISITES: None

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION: English

AP/IT 3771	6.0	Modern and Contemporary Italian Culture (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

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Key issues in contemporary Italian society are studied in their historical development, with focus on the following: unification and its aftermath; regionalism; Fascism and the Resistance; political parties and intellectuals; the Church; art and literature. Knowledge of Italian is not required. This course counts towards the major and minor in Italian Culture. Students counting the course towards the major or minor in Italian Studies must register in AP/IT 3770 3.0. Note: This course takes place in Rome, Italy.

PREREQUISITES: None

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION: English

AP/JP 2700	6.0	Contemporary Japanese Culture and Society
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**Course Description:**

This course provides an overview of contemporary Japanese culture and society, to help students in understanding Japan and its people in the age of globalization and cross-cultural communication. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/JP 2700 6.00, AS/JP 2800A 6.00 (prior to Fall/Winter 2003-2004).

AP/KOR 3600	6.0	Contemporary Korean Culture
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**Course Description:**

This course introduces students to contemporary Korean culture, identity, and society. It seeks to help students develop a dynamic understanding of modern Korea by taking an interdisciplinary approach to cultural and social political issues of Korean society. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/KOR 3600 6.00.

AP/POLS 2940	6.0	Introduction to International Politics
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**Course Description:**

A study of the nature of international politics, with special attention given to the conditions and consequences of war and peace among nation states; the impact on the international system of factors such as the politics of food, environment, population, the sea-bed and outer space, multinational corporations and cartels of raw-materials producers, the call for a new international economic order. Course credit exclusion: GL/ILST 2300 3.00. PRIOR to Fall 2010: Course credit exclusion: AS/POLS 2210 6.00.

AP/POLS 2950	6.0	States and Societies in the Global Context : Introduction to Comparative Politics
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**Course Description:**

An introduction to the comparative study of political systems, institutions, and processes. The second half of the course will examine in detail the government and politics of specific countries and regions. Course credit exclusions: None.

AP/POLS 3240	3.0	Multilateralism I: The United Nations, Regional Organizations and International Law
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**Course Description:**

Multilateralism concerns the management of conflict and the building of cooperation among the variety of political entities and agents that enter the field of world politics and governance. This course provides students with a better understanding of the evolving role of international organization within the broader context of changing world politics and international law. Emphasis is placed on the historical development of international organization. Course credit exclusions: GL/ILST 3615 6.00, GL/POLS 3615 6.00. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/POLS 3240 3.00, GL/ILST 3615 6.00 and GL/POLS 3615 6.00.

AP/POLS 3250	3.0	Multilateralism II: The Political Economy of International Organizations
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**Course Description:**

Multilateralism concerns the management of conflict and the building of cooperation among the variety of political entities and agents that enter the field of world politics and governance. The course builds upon the introduction provided in AP/POLS 3240 3.00 (AS/POLS 3240 3.00 prior to Fall 2009), and examines actual structures, processes, activities and instruments of international organizations within and outside the UN Family. Prerequisite: AP/POLS 3240 3.00. Course credit exclusions: GL/ILST 3615 6.00, GL/POLS 3615 6.00. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Prerequisite: AS/POLS 3240 3.00. Course credit exclusions: AS/POLS 3250 3.00, GL/ILST 3615 6.00 and GL/POLS 3615 6.00.

AP/POLS 3260 (cross listed with AP/MIST 3260)	6.0	War and Peace in the Middle East
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**Course Description:**

A study of the relations between Israel and its contiguous neighbours, including the historical origins of the current stalemate and an assessment of the various approaches to peacemaking in the area. Course credit exclusions: AP/HIST 3792 6.00, AP/REI 3260 6.00 (prior to Fall 2013). PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AK/AS/POLS 3260 6.00, AK/POLS 3209J 6.00 (prior to Fall/Winter 2005-2006).

AP/POLS 3410	3.0	Globalization, State Theory and City-Regions
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**Course Description:**

This course explores the development of global city-regions in a comparative perspective, including a critical assessment of state restructuring processes and how globalization is anchored in urban politics and the ways in which city-regions constitute sites of global contestation. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/POLS 3115 3.00 (prior to Fall/Winter 2004-2005), AS/POLS 3410 3.00.

AP/POLS 3515	3.0	China: 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Superpower
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**Course Description:**

China's relationship with the outside world has been a dominant issue in its political development. This course focuses on this relationship in the post-1949 period, with emphasis on the recent open door policy and its impact on the Chinese political system. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/POLS 3515 3.00.

AP/POLS 3553 (cross listed with AP/SOSC 3410)	6.0	Political Economy of Latin America and The Caribbean
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**Course Description:**

This course examines the history and political economy of the Americas using case studies from Latin America and the Caribbean to highlight the forces that have shaped the internal politics of the region and its relationship to world markets. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/POLS 3790 6.00 (prior to Fall/Winter 2003-2004), AS/SOSC 3410 6.00.

AP/POLS 3570	3.0	Africa: The Politics of Transition and Resistance
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**Course Description:**

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An examination of Africa's present crisis, identifying both the opportunities for, and the severe constraints upon, the political and economic transformation of selected African states, with emphasis varying from year to year, on Ghana, Nigeria, Ivory Coast, Senegal, Tanzania, Kenya and Uganda. Course credit exclusions: AP/POLS 3570 3.00 (prior to Fall 2012), GL/POLS 3200 6.00. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/POLS 3570 3.00, GL/POLS 3200 6.00.

AP/POLS 3580	6.0	South Korea: The Politics of Youth and Old Age (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

This course is an extraordinary opportunity to learn about South Korea, with a focus on the politics of youth and old age. The theme of the course is that an ageing population impacts youth as much as the elderly. As such, the course studies the political debates and cultural shifts – including intergenerational conflicts – that arise with a rapidly ageing population. While in Seoul, students in the course will have extensive opportunities to interact with students from Yonsei University. The course will be offered in the summer session only. Two weeks on York University campus, followed by four weeks in Seoul, South Korea.

**PREREQUISITES:** None

AP/POLS 3900	3.0	Local to Global: City and Nation in the Age of Globalization
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**Course Description:**

This course examines political experience in the era of globalization. Issues covered include work in the global city; immigration and racism; culture and media; women and the international division of labour, and; environmental sustainability. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/POLS 3900 3.00.

AP/PPAS 3560/3569 (cross-listed with AP/ECON 3560/3569)	3.0	Economic Policy in Developing Countries
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**Course Description:**

Examines policy issues arising from development planning. Topics include agriculture versus industry, international trade, monetary and fiscal policies, foreign investment, foreign aid and self-reliance, and global issues. Prerequisites: AP/ECON 1000 3.00 and AP/ECON 1010 3.00 or equivalents. Course credit exclusions: AP/ECON 3569 3.00, AP/PPAS 3569 3.00. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AK/ECON 3560 3.00, AS/ECON 3320 3.00, AK/PPAS 3560 3.00.

AP/RU 2750 6.0 (cross-listed with AP/HIST 2310 6.0 and AP/HUMA 2750 6.0)	6.0	Russian Culture: Continuity and Conflict (In Translation)
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**Course Description:**

This course examines Russian culture in an historical and social context focusing on Kievan Rus', the rise of Muscovy, the expansion of the Russian Empire and its revolutionary mutation into the Soviet Union and the post-Soviet contemporary scene. Prerequisite: No knowledge of Russian required. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Prerequisite: No knowledge of Russian required. Course credit exclusions: AS/HUMA 2990D 6.00 (prior to Fall/Winter 2003-2004), AS/RU 2750 6.00.

AP/SOCI 3430	6.0	Ethnicity, Power & Identity
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**Course Description:**

This course introduces students to contemporary issues in ethnicity, power and identity from an international perspective. Sociological and anthropological theories on ethnicity, race, culture and identity form the conceptual basis for this course.

Course credit exclusions: AP/MIST 3580 6.00, AP/REI 3580 6.00 (prior to Fall 2013).

PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/SOCI 3430 6.00, AK/SOCI 3580 6.00, AK/SOSC 3350 6.00.

AP/SOCI 4230	6.0	Sociology of Cultures and Ethnic Identities
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**Course Description:**

This course examines the process by which immigrant groups become detached from their homelands and integrate into Canadian society. Topics include social change in the homeland and social incorporation in Canada.

Prerequisite: Students must have successfully completed 84 credits. Course credit exclusions: None.

Prior TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/SOCI 4230 6.00, AS/SOCI 4230A 6.00 (prior to Fall/Winter 2003-2004).

AP/SOCI 4350	3.0	Immigration and Citizenship
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**Course Description:**

This course examines emerging patterns of international migration and refugee flows. Particular attention is given to the recent rise of emigration from Asia, the Caribbean and Latin America to North America. These flows are studied from the perspective of global trends in political economy, development and underdevelopment, and social-cultural ties and networks.

Prerequisite: Students must have successfully completed 84 credits. Course credit exclusion: AP/SOCI 4350 3.00 (prior to Fall 2013).

AP/SOCI 4360	6.0	Migration Experiences: Theory & Practice
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**Course Description:**

This course examines the relationship between globalization and international migration. Themes include: why migrants leave home countries; immigration policies and practices in receiving countries; trafficking in migrants; migrants in global cities; migrant networks; transnationalism, and; refugee expulsion and return.

Prerequisite: Students must have successfully completed 84 credits. Course credit exclusion: AP/SOCI 4360 6.00 (prior to Fall 2013).

AP/SOCI 4390	3.0	Transnationalism and Diaspora
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**Course Description:**

This course introduces theoretical perspectives on transnational migration, focusing on immigrant incorporation, citizenship, the host state, relations with the home state/community and transnationalism. Comparative material from various regions may be used.

Prerequisite: Students must have successfully completed 84 credits. Course credit exclusion: AP/SOCI 4390 3.00 (prior to Fall 2013).



AP/SOCI 4450	6.0	Women in Development
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**Course Description:**

The course explores the theme of women in development in its different meanings. The issue of development is analyzed in terms of global economy, national states, popular movements and discourse with emphasis on women, gender and class analysis and feminist politics.

Prerequisite: Students must have successfully completed 84 credits. Course credit exclusions: None

AP/SOSC 2102	3.0	Health Systems in the Global Society
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**Course Description:**

This course explores health systems from a comparative perspective. Particular attention is given to the impact of technology on health care delivery, the targets for health in a global world and reforms in public and private health systems. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusions: AS/SOSC 2102 3.00, AS/SOSC 2112 6.00 (prior to Fall/Winter 2003-2004).

AP/SOSC 2435	6.0	Introduction to South Asian Studies
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**Course Description:**

This course introduces students to contemporary South Asia by exploring the following themes: history and political economy; institutions and governments; social movements; the environment; and culture and identity (including issues relating to the South Asian diaspora). Course credit exclusions: None.

PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/SOSC 2435 6.00.

AP/SOSC 3480	6.0	Culture, Democracy and Development in Africa
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**Course Description:**

This course explores the complex interplay of political, social and cultural forces at work in Africa's communities, nations and regions. Of particular interest is the often ignored capacity of African culture to generate change and solve the problems of development. Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/SOSC 3480 6.00.

AP/SOSC 3970	6.0	India: Culture and Society
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**Course Description:**

The course analyzes significant political and economic developments in India in the 20th century. It is divided into three sections: (a) the nationalist movement, (b) the political economy of India's development, and (c) social movements e.g. women, anti-caste and the environmental movements.

Course credit exclusions: None. PRIOR TO FALL 2009: Course credit exclusion: AS/SOSC 3970 6.00.

AP/SP 2020	6.0	Intermediate Spanish Abroad (YorkU Summer Abroad)
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**Course Description:**

This course involves the intensive study of the Spanish language at the intermediate level as well as of the culture of the Spanish-speaking country of immersion, four weeks at York University and four weeks in the Spanish-language locale. Interaction with native speakers through cultural activities and excursions complements in-class development of listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills through written exercises, compositions, oral presentations, and conversations. Course materials highlight the history and socio-cultural context of the destination country.

Prerequisites: AP/SP 1000 6.00 or Permission of the Program

Course credit exclusions: AP/SP 1050 6.00, AP/SP 2000 6.00, AP/SP 2010 6.00, GL/SP 1520 6.00.

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Note: Students who are Spanish-speakers are NOT allowed to enrol in AP/SP 1000 6.00, AP/SP 2000 6.00 or AP/SP 2020 6.00. The grammatical and the cultural components in AP/SP 2010 6.00 treat those aspects of Spanish that especially challenge the abilities of the native speaker.

GL/HIST 3670 (cross-listed with GL/ILST 3670)	3.0	Brazil in the Era of Globalization: The 20 <sup>th</sup> Century
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**Course Description:**

The course examines major contemporary developments in Brazil's domestic situation and external relations, notably the rise of nationalism, industrialization, urbanization, the social condition of natives and blacks, migration flows, and the country's role in intra-Hemispheric and world cooperation.

GL/POLS 3650 (cross-listed with GL/ILST 3650)	3.0	International Peace, Security and Human Rights
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**Course Description:**

Interdisciplinary and multicultural introduction to the international peace, security and human rights dimension of international society. The course emphasizes the evolution of thought and practices in this area and stresses the interconnectedness of the international security and prosperity quests. Course credit exclusion: GL/ILST 3270 3.00.

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