

LIBERTY

UNIVERSITY.

Helms School of Government
Degree Completion Plan (DCP)

**B.A. in
Government: International Relations**

Name _____ ID _____

GENERAL EDUCATION: CORE COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS
(53-57 hours)

LIBERAL ARTS FOCUS (18 hours)

ALL GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES MUST BE CHOSEN FROM THE LIST OF "APPROVED RESIDENTIAL GENERAL EDUCATION & INTEGRATIVE COURSES." (www.liberty.edu/gened)

COMMUNICATION (6 hours)

Course	Hrs.	Sem. Taken	Grade
COMS 101 Speech Communication	3	_____	_____
ENGL 101 Composition and Rhetoric	3	_____	_____

MATHEMATICS, SCIENCE, & TECHNOLOGY (8-12 hours)

CRST 290 History of Life	2-3	_____	_____
MATH _____ (above 110)	3	_____	_____
NAT SCI _____	3	_____	_____
Technology Competency	0-3	_____	_____

INFORMATION LITERACY (9 hours)

ENGL 102 Composition and Literature	3	_____	_____
HIEU 201 or 202 or HIUS 221 or 222	3	_____	_____
HIEU 201 or 202 or HIUS 221 or 222	3	_____	_____

CRITICAL THINKING (9 hours)

ENGL 201, 202, 215, 216, 221, or 222	3	_____	_____
HUMN 101, THEA 101, ARTS 105, MUSC 103	3	_____	_____
PHIL 201 Phil./Contemporary Ideas	3	_____	_____

BIBLICAL WORLDVIEW (21 hours)

BIBL 105 Old Testament Survey OR ^BIBL 205 Old Testament Life/Literature	3	_____	_____
BIBL 110 New Testament Survey OR ^BIBL 210 New Testament Life/Literature	3	_____	_____
BWVW 101 Biblical Worldview I	2	_____	_____
BWVW 102 Biblical Worldview II	2	_____	_____
EVAN 101 Evangelism and Christian Life	2	_____	_____
PSYC 150 Psychology of Relationships	3	_____	_____
THEO 201 Theology Survey I	3	_____	_____
THEO 202 Theology Survey II	3	_____	_____

^Options available to Honors students

LIBERAL ARTS FOCUS (18 hours)

LANGUAGE (12 hours) [6 hours must be at the 200 or above level]
Must be one language.

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INTEGRATIVE STUDIES (6 hours)

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As part of the Core Competency requirements, **students may select one course for Integrative Studies which contains the same prefix as courses within the major.** Integratives may only be taken after the student has achieved 60 hours.

MAJOR: GOVERNMENT: INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (48 hours)

CORE (27 hours)

Course	Hrs.	Sem. Taken	Grade
GOVT 200 Constitutional Government and Free Enterprise	3	_____	_____
GOVT 210 Introduction to Political Science	3	_____	_____
GOVT 220 American Government	3	_____	_____
GOVT 340 International Relations	3	_____	_____
GOVT 350 Political Economy and Public Policy	3	_____	_____
GOVT 421 American Constitutional History	3	_____	_____
GOVT 425 American Foreign Policy	3	_____	_____
GOVT 490 Political Theory	3	_____	_____
GOVT 492 Senior Seminar	3	_____	_____

CONCENTRATION: International Relations (21 hours)

GOVT 330 Intro. to Comparative Politics	3	_____	_____
GOVT 440 Political Geography	3	_____	_____
GOVT 445 International Law	3	_____	_____
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~Students may choose upper-level electives from any of the following:
GOVT, HIST, FREN 304 and/or SPAN 304.

DIRECTED COURSE (REQUIRED) (0-3 hours) This course is an approved General Education course and may be counted in the Core Competency requirements.

MATH 201 Intro. to Probability/Statistics	3	_____	_____
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FREE ELECTIVES (0-1 hour) Minors are included as elective hours.

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

FRSM 101 Freshman Seminar	REQ. _____	MET _____
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All Christian/Community Service requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded.

TOTAL – 120 hours minimum required. (Of this total, at least 45 hours must be 300-400 level.)