

MASTER OF ARTS IN THE FIELD OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AFFAIRS CONCENTRATION

See notes regarding special topics* and LAW courses**.

Code	Title	Credits
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Students pursuing this concentration must take ECON 6283 and ECON 6284 as part of the core field requirement for the master's degree program. Students pursuing the international economic affairs concentration are permitted to double-count ECON 6284 toward the 12 credits of concentration coursework, thereby allowing them to complete the concentration with 9 additional credits of approved economics-related coursework beyond ECON 6283 and ECON 6284. Students concentrating in international economic affairs must take 9 elective credits to meet the overall 40 credit requirement.

Students must demonstrate proficiency in introductory statistics. Means of demonstrating proficiency include, but are not limited to, prior satisfactory completion of undergraduate statistics coursework, or STAT 1051, 1053, STAT 1111, or IAFF 6501 at GW. Students should consult the program director as soon as possible following matriculation into the program regarding additional ways in which this requirement may be fulfilled.

Required course (3 credits):

ECON 6284	Survey of International Macroeconomics and Finance Theory and Policy (double-counted from core field courses)
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Supporting courses (9 credits):

ECON 6237	Economics of the Environment and Natural Resources
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ECON 6250	Survey of Economic Development
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ECON 6255	Economics of Technological Change
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ECON 6293	Topics in International Finance
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ECON 6335	Applied Financial Derivatives
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IAFF 6118	Special Topics in International Affairs (Global Energy Trade Price and Risk Management)
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IAFF 6138	Special Topics in International Development Studies (BRI and Chinese International Development)
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IAFF 6138	Special Topics in International Development Studies (External Development Financing)
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IAFF 6158	Special Topics in International Science and Technology Policy (Economics of Technological Change)
IAFF 6158	Special Topics in International Science and Technology Policy (Economics of Space)
IAFF 6198	Special Topics in International Economic Policy (Economics of US - China Trade)
IAFF 6198	Special Topics in International Economic Policy (Law, Economics, and Governance in Global Trade)
IAFF 6198	Special Topics in International Economic Policy (Macro Policy Case Studies)
IAFF 6198	Special Topics in International Economic Policy (Private, National, and Public Private Partnerships)
IAFF 6198	Special Topics in International Economic Policy (Quantitative Models in Trade Policy Analysis)
IAFF 6198	Special Topics in International Economic Policy (Rising Market Powers in the 21st Century)
IAFF 6198	Special Topics in International Economic Policy (Trade and International Policymaking)
IAFF 6216	Analytic Tools for Global Policy
IAFF 6318	Special Topics in Asian Studies (Contemporary China's Economy)
IAFF 6358	Special Topics in Latin American and Hemispheric Studies (Economic and Social Development of Latin America)
IAFF 6378	Special Topics in Middle East Studies (Oil: Industry, Economy, and Society)
IAFF 6378	Special Topics in Middle East Studies (Political Economy of the Middle East)
IBUS 6202	Regional Strategy for Multinationals
IBUS 6297	International Management Experience
IBUS 6301	International Business Finance
LAW 6526	International Trade Law ²
PPPA 6013	Regression Methods for Policy Research
PPPA 6014	Microeconomics for Public Policy II
PPPA 6015	Benefit-Cost Analysis

Recommended skills courses

IAFF 6502	Professional Skills I (Analyzing International Economic Data)
IAFF 6502	Professional Skills I (International Supply Chain Fundamentals)
IAFF 6503	Professional Skills II (Intro to Gaming and Simulations)
IAFF 6503	Professional Skills II (Negotiating Skills)

*Specific subject matter covered in special/selected topics courses varies by semester. Consult the Schedule of Classes for each semester's offerings. Only specific topics that are determined by the program director to be relevant to the student's program of study may be used to fulfill this requirement. Any topic intended to be used for this requirement must be approved by the program director prior to enrollment.

**Up to two relevant LAW courses may be taken with the permission of the Law School dean of students and the Elliott School academic advisor.