

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

Customize Your Degree

Popular Double Majors

Disaster Preparedness & Emergency Management, Economics, Environmental & Sustainability Studies, History, Journalism, Law & Justice Studies, Management, Modern Languages & Linguistics, Political Science, Spanish

Popular Minors

Arabic, Asian Studies, Business Administration, Economics, French, German Studies, History, Jewish Studies, Journalism, Law & Justice, Marketing, Leadership Studies, Political Science, Spanish, Political Science

Popular CUGS (Certificates of Undergraduate Study)

Applied Spanish, Arabic, Asian, Chinese, Counterterrorism & Emergency Response Operations, French, German, Global Business, Global Health Studies, Italian, Japanese, Jewish Studies, Middle East Studies, Penninsular Spanish Literature & Culture, Religious Studies, Social Justice & Social Change, Spanish American Literature & Culture; Women, Gender & Media; Women, Gender & Society

WHY CHOOSE INTERNATIONAL STUDIES?

Our program gives students the tools they need to make sense of the globalized world. By introducing them to the cultures, histories, economies, politics, languages, and geographies of many different world areas, the major enables students to better understand contemporary world issues and to see the United States in a global context. This interdisciplinary major provides diversity in content and approach, encouraging our students to think broadly and deeply about world issues, and it positions them well to obtain and excel in a variety of different jobs.

Rowan University offers the only major in International Studies in southern New Jersey and our program compares very favorably to others across the state and across the Delaware Valley. Our concentrations (International Business and Economics, Global and Comparative Perspectives, Global Health, and four different Area Studies concentrations), allow students to pursue their own interests within coherent programs of study. Our concentration in International Business and Economics is particularly significant, since few colleges and universities in the region offer students the opportunity to study international humanities, social sciences, and business within the same major.

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THE BOTTOM LINE

Prospective students should also note that International Studies combines well with many different majors and minors. By adding a major or minor, students broaden their credentials, enhance their career preparation, and open doors to more career options. All students benefit from close working relationships with faculty, especially those in their concentration, and from numerous study abroad opportunities.



INTERNATIONAL STUDIES QUICK FACTS



Gianna

“While I always wanted to be a part of helping others, I didn’t quite have a clear career path of how to get there. My future goal is to work with organizations like FEMA or the American Red Cross. My major gives me a lot of options to explore.”



Potential Career Paths

Diplomat
Economist
Editor
Teacher (Elementary, Middle, High School)
or Higher Education Professor
FBI/Secret Service/Special Agent
Foreign Affairs Analyst
Immigration Specialist
Intelligence Analyst
Labor Relations Manager
Political Risk Analyst
Technical Information Officer



Internship Sites

Alice Paul Institute
Virtual Student Federal Service: State
Department Bureau of Educational and
Cultural Affairs
Glassboro High School
Rowan Center for Holocaust &
Genocide Studies
Literacy New Jersey
Foundation for Post Conflict Development
Multicultural Arts Exchange
Hogan & Vandenberg LLC Law
Braskem USA
NJ Department of Environmental Protection
Hart Wagner LLP



International Scholarship Winners

Boren Scholarship, Japan (2019-20)
Boren Scholarship, Jordan (2019-20)
Teaching Assistance Program in France
(TAPIF) (2019-20)
Peace Corps, Morocco (2019-20)
Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange for
Young Professionals fellowship, Germany
(2018-19)
Boren Scholarship, China (2017-18)



Study Abroad

Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Athens, Greece
Barcelona, Spain
Barranquilla, Atlántico, Colombia
Berlin, Germany
Birmingham, England
Copenhagen, Denmark
Dublin, Ireland
Gold Coast, Australia
Grenada, Spain
Madrid, Spain
Meknes, Morocco
Milan, Italy
Rome, Italy
Salzburg, Austria
Sevilla, Spain
Shanghai, China
Tokyo and Yokohama, Japan

