

## What are the requirements?

The International and Global Studies stream requires 192 credit points over four years:

- A core major (48 credit points) in Global Studies;
- A minor (36 credit points) of a modern language of choice;
- A minimum of 12 credit points completed abroad at a partner university;
- A minimum of 12 credit points taken from the Open Learning Environment;
- 24 credit points of advanced coursework including a substantial final-year project or internship;
- A second major, which can either be converted from the language minor or be selected from the pool of majors in Table A/Table S;
- Elective units from Table A and Table S as required to fulfil the credit points required for the degree.

## What is the difference between Table S and Table A?

Table A is a list of all subjects that sit in the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, while [Table S](#) is a table of shared units and majors/minors from across the university (including Arts and Social Sciences). The requirement for the Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Advanced Studies is that students need to complete at least one major from Table A. If you are enrolled in the International and Global studies Stream, your first Major will be in Global Studies. Global Studies sits in Table A, so you are free to choose your second major from Table A or from the shared units in Table S.

A list of Table A subjects can be found in the Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Advanced Studies [course resolutions](#).

## What can I choose as my second major?

You can convert your language minor to a major, or choose a second major from Table A or Table S. Converting your language minor to a major will give you more elective options.

You will also have the opportunity to use your exchange units to count towards your major (subject to academic approval).

## What will I study on exchange?

You can study anything on exchange that will count towards your degree. Before deciding on a partner institution to apply to, it is worthwhile researching the units that are on offer, and considering how those units will fit with your degree structure. A good place to start is by attending the university exchange information sessions, and looking at [these online resources](#).

### **Do I need to 'save' electives to go on exchange?**

Not necessarily. This is usually recommended because it gives you the maximum flexibility once on your exchange to select units which are of interest to you, and are available. However, it is also common for students to take units on exchange that count towards their majors. Note however that you should always plan to complete your INGS core units at Sydney, as it is very unlikely you will be able to find an alternate unit at another university that is sufficiently similar in content.

### **Where can I go on exchange?**

A full list of the University of [Sydney's partner institutions can be found here](#). It will be your responsibility to research your chosen institution to ensure that you will be able to take units that will count towards your degree (particularly if you want to take a unit that will count towards your second major).

### **Can I do an internship in fourth year?**

Yes, there is the opportunity to do an internship in fourth year. However, internship places are limited, and will be awarded by preference of academic achievement. More information of available internships is coming soon.

### **What are the entry requirements?**

International and Global Studies has a fixed ATAR requirement of 92. To learn more about ATARs and other entry pathways, please visit this [site](#).

### **What do I study in my Language minor?**

The requirements for your language minor can be found in the [Handbook](#), under the individual subject area. Please note, you can enter language minors and majors through an introductory, intermediate and advanced pathway, depending on your previous knowledge. Always refer to the Handbook for the pathway best suited for you.

Example pathways:

**4 year BA (INGS stream) - one semester exchange, majors in Global Studies & a Language major (converted from the minor)**

Year 1	S1	INGS core (1000-level)	Elective unit (1000-level)	Elective unit (1000-level)	Major - language
	S2	INGS core (1000-level)	Elective unit (1000-level)	Elective unit (1000-level)	Major - language
Year 2	S1	INGS core (2000-level)	OLE unit (2000-level)	Major - language (culture)	Major - language
	S2	INGS core (2000-level)	INGS core (2000-level)	OLE unit (2000-level)	Major - language
Year 3	S1	INGS core (3000-level)	INGS core (3000-level)	Elective unit (2/3000-level)	Major - language
	S2	INGS core (3000-level)	Elective unit (2/3000-level)	Major - language (interdisciplinary)	Major - language
Year 4	S1	Exchange (2/3/4000-level)	Exchange (2/3/4000-level)	Exchange (2/3/4000-level)	Exchange (2/3/4000-level)
	S2	INGS core (4000-level)	INGS core (4000-level)	Project (4000-level)	Project (4000-level)

**4 year BA (INGS stream) - one semester exchange, majors in Global Studies & History, minor in language**

Year 1	S1	INGS core (1000-level)	Elective unit (1000-level)	Major - History (1000-level)	Minor - language
	S2	INGS core (1000-level)	Elective unit (1000-level)	Major - History (1000-level)	Minor - language
Year 2	S1	INGS core (2000-level)	OLE unit (2000-level)	Major - History (2000-level)	Minor - language
	S2	INGS core (2000-level)	INGS core (2000-level)	Major - History (2000-level)	Minor - language
Year 3	S1	INGS core (3000-level)	INGS core (3000-level)	Major - History (3000-level)	Minor - language
	S2	INGS core (3000-level)	OLE unit (2000-level)	Major - History (interdisciplinary)	Minor - language
Year 4	S1	Exchange (2/3/4000-level)	Exchange (2/3/4000-level)	Exchange - History (3000-level)	Exchange - History (3000-level)
	S2	INGS core (4000-level)	INGS core (4000-level)	Project (4000-level)	Project (4000-level)

It is highly recommended that you plan out your degree using the above pathways as a guide, [using this degree planner](#) (PDF, 142KB)