**College of Southern MD & West Virginia University**

** Associate of Arts in Social Sciences leading to**

**Bachelor of Arts in International Studies (WVU-BA)**

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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| **College of Southern Maryland** | **Hours** | **WVU Equivalents** | **Hours** |
| Year One, 1st Semester |  |  |  |
| ENG 1010 | 3 | ENGL 101 | 3 |
| MTH 1015 | 3 | STAT 111 | 3 |
| FYS 1010 | 3 | ORIN 1TC | 3 |
| PSY 1010 | 3 | PSYC 101 | 3 |
| SCE 1010 | 3 |  | 3 |
| **TOTAL** | 15 |  | 15 |
| Year One, 2nd Semester |  |  |  |
| SOC 1010 | 3 | SOCA 101 | 3 |
| ART / HUMANITIES | 3 | ART / HUMANITIES | 3 |
| COM 1010 | 3 | CSAD 270 | 3 |
| ENG 1020 | 3 | ENGL 102 | 3 |
| Biological/Physical Sciences | 4 | Biological/Physical Sciences | 4 |
| **TOTAL** | 16 |  | 16 |
| Year Two, 1st Semester |  |  |  |
| GRY 1050 | 3 | GEOG 102 | 3 |
| SOC 2010 | 3 | SOCA 2TC | 3 |
| Arts/Humanities | 3 | Arts/Humanities | 3 |
| Elective | 3 | Elective | 3 |
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| **TOTAL** | 15 |  | 15 |
| Year Two, 2nd Semester |  |  |  |
| ECN 1200 | 3 | ECON 101 | 3 |
| POL 1010 | 3 | POLS 102 | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 3 | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 3 | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 2 | ELECTIVE | 2 |
| **TOTAL** | 14 |  | 14 |

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| **WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY** | | | |
| Year Three, 1st Semester |  | Year Three, 2nd Semester |  |
| FOR LANG 203 | 3 | FOR LANG 204 | 3 |
| RESEARCH METHORDS COURSE (INTS 388, POLS 300, or SOCA 311) | 3 | AOE COURSE 3 | 3 |
| AOE COURSE 1 | 3 | AOE COURSE 4 | 3 |
| AOE COURSE 2 | 3 | REGIONAL COURSE 2 | 3 |
| REGIONAL COURSE 1 | 3 | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| INTS 288 | 1 |  |  |
| **TOTAL** | 16 | **TOTAL** | 15 |
| Year Four, 1st Semester |  | Year Four, 2nd Semester |  |
| AOE COURSE 5 | 3 | AOE COURSE 6 | 3 |
| REGIONAL COURSE 3 | 3 | INTS 488 | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 3 | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 3 | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 3 | ELECTIVE | 2 |
| **TOTAL** | 15 | **TOTAL** | 14 |

\*The various Areas of Emphasis associated with the International Studies program at West Virginia University, are dependent upon the student’s choice in foreign language. Students are encouraged to study the various Areas of Emphasis, and select the respective foreign language for that plan of study.

Students are required to complete 3 credit hours from each of the GEF Areas 4 through 7 before successful graduation from West Virginia University. Students are encouraged to study the provided GEF chart to select electives that satisfy the GEF 6 and GEF 7 requirements. Students will complete the GEF 5 requirement at West Virginia University.

The WVU General Education Foundations (GEF) curriculum designates 9 credits (normally 3 three-credit courses) of Focus coursework to satisfy GEF Area 8. Working with their advisors, students select three additional courses from the list of those approved for the GEF (see <http://registrar.wvu.edu/gef>) to maximize connections, incorporate additional competencies, and encourage true breadth of study. Such courses may lead to a minor or even a second major, and are intended to help students capitalize on the range and diversity of courses offered at WVU. CSM students on this pathway will fulfill this requirement with successful completion of PSY 1010, SOC 1010, and POL 1010.

Students transferring to West Virginia University with an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree will have satisfied the General Education Foundation requirements at WVU.

Students who have questions about GEF requirements or any other issue relating to academics at West Virginia University should contact the Office of Undergraduate Education at WVU.

The above transfer articulation of credit between West Virginia University and College of Southern Maryland, is approved by the Dean, or the Dean’s designee, and effective the date of the signature.

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