

LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE

CURRICULUM GUIDE

International Studies
Associate in Arts Degree

Curriculum Code: 0252 (Effective Fall 2011 – Summer 2016)

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a baccalaureate degree in this subject area. Students completing this curriculum will also satisfy the MACRAO Transfer Agreement between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan. General education and subject area requirements vary from one college or university to another.

Prior to beginning this curriculum, students should contact the Academic Advising Department, Room 212, Gannon Building, telephone number (517) 483-1904, to consult with an academic advisor and obtain an appropriate transfer guide. They are also available on the web at www.lcc.edu/transfer/guides/. Students should also contact the school to which they will transfer for specific transfer institution requirements. (See *Transfer Information* for a list of institutions for which transfer guides are available.)

PREREQUISITES

Students should see *Course Descriptions* or *Course Offerings* for course prerequisite information. See the *Assessment and Placement Testing* section for skills assessment and advising information.

INFORMATION

Contact the Social Science & Humanities Department, Arts & Sciences Building, Room 255, telephone number (517) 483-1018 (Website: www.lcc.edu/ssh/) or the Academic Advising Department, Gannon Building, Room 212, telephone number (517) 483-1904.

REQUIREMENTS

| CODE | TITLE | TOTAL: 22 CREDITS CREDIT HOURS |
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| GEOG 200 | World Regional Geography | 4 |
| HUMS 213 | World Civilizations to 1600 | 4 |
| HUMS 214 | World Civilizations from 1600 | 4 |
| POLS 120 | American Political System | 4 |
| POLS 260 | Comparative Political Systems | 3 |
| POLS 270 | International Relations | 3 |

LIMITED CHOICE REQUIREMENTS

TOTAL: 38-48 CREDITS

Complete the indicated number of credits from **EACH CHOICE** listed below.

CHOICE 1: General Education MACRAO Requirements

8 Credits

(See *Transfer Information/MACRAO Transfer Agreement* for approved courses in each area.)

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| English Composition (See Note 1) | 0 |
| Science and Mathematics (See Note 2) | 8 |
| Social Science (See Note 3) | 0 |
| Humanities (See Note 3) | 0 |

CHOICE 2: General Education Core Requirements **3–13 Credits**
 (See *General Education Core Requirements* for information on how to fulfill these requirements. Core area proficiency exams, where appropriate, are available for each core area. Meeting Core with a proficiency test may require additional MACRAO credits.)

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| Communication Core Area | 3–4 |
| Global Perspectives and Diversity Core Area (See Note 3) | 0 |
| Mathematics Core Area (See Note 2) | 0–4 |
| Science Core Area (See Note 2) | 0–5 |
| Writing Core Area (See Note 1) | 0 |

CHOICE 3: Writing (Complete one course from each Subchoice) **8 Credits**

Subchoice 3A

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| WRIT 121 | Composition I | 4 |
| WRIT 131 | Honors Composition I | 4 |

Subchoice 3B

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| ENGL 122 | Writ About Literature & Ideas | 4 |
| ENGL 132 | Honors Writ–Literature & Ideas | 4 |
| WRIT 122 | Composition II | 4 |
| WRIT 132 | Honors Composition II | 4 |

CHOICE 4: Related Courses (See Note 4) **11 Credits**

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| ANTH 270 | Cultural Anthropology | 3 |
| ECON 120 | Power, Authority and Exchange | 4 |
| ECON 260 | Comparative Economic Systems | 3 |
| ENGL 211 | World Literature I | 4 |
| ENGL 212 | World Literature II | 4 |
| HIST 214 | African History | 4 |
| HIST 230 | British History | 4 |
| PHIL 211 | Philosophy: Ancient & Medieval | 4 |
| PHIL 212 | Philosophy: Modern & Contempory | 4 |
| POLS 201 | Intro to Political Science | 3 |
| POLS 271 | Contemporary U.S. Foreign Policy | 3 |
| RELG 211 | Religions of South/SE Asia | 4 |
| RELG 212 | Judaism, Christianity & Islam | 4 |
| SOCL 120 | Introduction to Sociology | 4 |
| SOCL 185 | Intro African–American Studies | 3 |
| SOCL 260 | Race and Ethnicity | 3 |

CHOICE 5: Languages (See Note 4) **8 Credits**
 Any foreign language with course numbers 121, 122, 201, or 202

MINIMUM TOTAL **60**

NOTES:

1. Students completing “CHOICE 3” have fulfilled the requirements for these Core and MACRAO areas.
2. Certain Core courses may also be used to meet MACRAO requirements. See *Transfer Information/LCC Core–MACRAO Crosswalk* for suggested courses.
3. Students completing “REQUIREMENTS” have fulfilled the requirements for these MACRAO and Core areas.
4. Students using a “CHOICE 5” course to fulfill the Communication Core requirement must take an additional “CHOICE 5” course to complete the language requirement.