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American Studies AMST 605	6125	Ethnicity, Race, and Nationality	Ms Tang and Ms Thomas	Thursday 6:00-8:30	This course will explore the construction and maintenance of ethnic, racial, and national identities in the United States. Students will analyze various interdisciplinary texts which contain implicit and explicit expressions of gender, ethnic, racial, sexual, regional, and national identities. Various case studies will furnish material to train students in the methods and approaches used in American Studies.	Organizational
Applied Sociology SOCIO 601	6178	Complex Organizations	Schutt	Tuesday 4-6:30	The course acquaints students with studies of complex organizations that throw light on decision-making and conflict in the setting of formal organizations. Students will study how policies emerge and how they are translated into action. They study research illuminating the nature and functions of rules, the initiation and consequences of political processes, the role and problems of street-level bureaucrats, and the impact of social, political, and economic conditions on organizational behavior. Theories and concepts are applied to human service organizations, and their distinctive features are discussed.	Organizational
Critical Thinking CRCRTH 601	13618	Critical and Creative Thinking	Schoenburg	Online	This course explores issues about the nature and techniques of critical thought, viewed as a way to establish a reliable basis for our claims, beliefs, and attitudes about the world. We explore multiple perspectives, placing established facts, theories, and practices in tension with alternatives to see how things could be otherwise. Views about observation and interpretation, reasoning and inference, valuing and judging, and the production of knowledge in its social context are considered. Special attention is given to translating what is learned into strategies, materials, and interventions for use in students' own educational and professional settings.	n/a
Critical Thinking CRCRTH 618	13619	Creative thinking, collaboration and organizational change	Bradford	Online	Through interactive, experiential sessions and structured assignments, students learn critical and creative approaches to working in organizations. Skills addressed include: communication and team-building; facilitation of participation and collaboration in groups; promotion of learning from a diversity of perspectives; problem-finding and solving; and reflective practice. Students apply these skills to situations that arise in business, schools, social change groups, and other organizations with a view to taking initiative and generating constructive change	Organizational

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International Relations PAF G 631	1398	Theories and Concepts on International Relations	Weiner	Thursday 6-8:30	This course provides students with a critical assessment of the major theories and concepts which define international relations as a field of study. It has two primary goals: (1) in-depth analysis of explanatory theories (e.g., realism, idealism, structuralism, neo-liberalism, interdependence, functionalism) and of core concepts (e.g., sovereignty, national interest, collective security, balance of power); and (2) examination of the historical evolution of international systems, with focus on the modern state system and the Cold War period. Special attention is given to the processes and institutions (e.g., international law, United Nations, NGOs, international civil society) that contribute to conflict resolution and international cooperation. Ultimately, this course provides the foundations (conceptual, historical, and theoretical) that graduate students in International Relations need as a preparation for the curriculum's more specialized and advanced courses.	International
International Relations PAF G 635	1400	Globalization and International Development	Alangir	Tuesday 6-8:30	This course provides a comprehensive study of the major concepts and theories necessary for a critical understanding of the socio-political-economic problems and possibilities facing Third World countries in their quest for development. While examining the domestic determinants of development, a major focus is on the role of international institutions and the dominant countries (United States, European Union, Japan) in shaping the policy options in developing countries, with particular attention to the process of globalization as a recent contributor to the problem of underdevelopment.	International
International Relations PAF G 636	1401	Political Economy of Regional Systems	Shahdadi	Thursday 6-8:30	The general goal of this course is to examine the distinct patterns of regional groupings (Western Europe; Middle East; Southeast Asia; Latin America; North Africa and Mediterranean; Sub-Sahara Africa): the inter-state relations which define the region, with primary focus on political economic issues; the interplay between regional issues and the broader context of international relations; and the impact of globalization on the political, economic and cultural aspects of each region. For any one semester, however, within the broader analysis of regional systems, the focus will be on one single region-e.g., the European Union.	International

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International Relations PAF G 636	14858	Political Economy of Regional Systems	Vanicelli	Online	The general goal of this course is to examine the distinct patterns of regional groupings (Western Europe, Middle East, Southeast Asia, Latin America, North Africa and Mediterranean, Sub-Sahara Africa): the inter-state relations which define the region, with primary focus on political-economic issues; the interplay between regional issues and the broader context of international relations; and the impact of globalization on the political, economic, and cultural aspects of each region. For any one semester, however, within the broader analysis of regional systems, the focus will be on one single region-e.g., the European Union.	International
International Relations PAF G 632	1399	Contemporary issues in world politics	Faraksh	Tuesday 6-8:30	This seminar focuses on current, major issues with an international dimension and/or global impact and with salience for the emerging patterns of world politics. While engaging in critical analysis of current issues, it examines the broader conceptual context and analytic framework which explain interactions among nations. Weekly reports based on assigned readings as well as a major research paper pursue distinct goals: the critical utilization of concepts; the refinement of analytic tools; the examination of different perspectives (national, international, global community); policy analysis	International
International Relations PAFG 697	15268	Special Topics in Public Affairs: Practice of Developmental and Humanitarian Assistance	Keating	Saturday 11:45-2:45	The worlds of international development and humanitarianism offer many opportunities for rewarding careers. Whether the practitioner is interested in think-tank theorizing or street-level interventions there is a wide range of practice types and organizations operating from every conceivable motivation. This course will take a tour of the world's leading development organizations and inquire about their practice areas, methods, results and human resource management. The objective of this course is to help the student determine which path they might want to follow in the development world and to prepare them with the necessary practical knowledge to make career choices. It will also review the major theoretical debates in the field.	International

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Management MBAMGT 677	12837	Multinational Corporations and Globalization	Levy	Wednesday 6:00-8:30	This course will explore the evolving role of multinational corporations as critical players in global structures and processes, and their shifting relationships with the state and civil society. The class will use a participative seminar format and employ a number of videos to illustrate themes. The course readings will expose you to a range of perspectives on MNCs and globalization, from sociology, business, economics, and international political economy, that address a number of key questions: What is globalization, and what role do MNCs play in it? What are the technological and political drivers of the process? What is the impact on industrialized countries in North America and Europe? On developing countries, such as India and China? Does the rise of China as an economic and political power constitute a threat or opportunity? How do MNCs wield power, and should we be concerned? Why might MNCs be willing to act with social responsibility? What are the implications of the current financial crisis?	Organizational and International