## Global and International Studies, Associate in Arts (AA)

### Requirements

**Associate Degree Graduation Requirements**

Complete all of the following:

1. All Department Requirements listed below with a “C” or better or “P” in each course (at least 20% of the department requirements must be completed through SBCC).
2. One of the following three General Education options:
   - **OPTION 1:** A minimum of 18 units of SBCC General Education Requirements ([https://drive.google.com/file/d/1SS7izg0uBQzLtLZqAsJ6_ISGeONo0Wu_/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1SS7izg0uBQzLtLZqAsJ6_ISGeONo0Wu_/view?usp=sharing)) (Areas A-D) and Institutional Requirements (Area E) and Information Competency Requirement (Area F)
   - **OPTION 2:** [IGETC](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1SS7izg0uBQzLtLZqAsJ6_ISGeONo0Wu_/view?usp=sharing) Pattern
   - **OPTION 3:** [CSU GE Breadth](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1CnDIacSVTZK_kEJS-cgeOH8tA_dRCCP2/view?usp=sharing) Pattern
3. A total of 60 degree-applicable units (SBCC courses numbered 100 and higher).
4. Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better in all units attempted at SBCC.
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6. A total of 12 units through SBCC.

### Code | Title | Units
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**Core Requirements**
GLST 101 | Introduction to Global Studies | 9-10
GLST 102 | Global Problems | 
POLS 121 | International Politics | 
  or POLS 121H | International Politics, Honors | 
  or POLS 131 | Comparative Politics | 
Select three courses from the following Electives, from different disciplines: | | 9-15
  ANTH 103 | Introduction To Cultural Anthropology | 
  ANTH 109 | Comparative World Cultures | 
  ART 104 | History Of Art, Renaissance To Modern | 
  or ART 104H | History Of Art, Renaissance To Modern, Honors | 
  ART 108 | History of Asian Art | 
  ART 110 | History Of Women In Art | 
  ART 111 | Survey Of Tribal Arts | 
  ART 215 | Survey Of Non-Western Art | 
  ART 216 | Survey Of Islamic Art And Architecture | 
  COMM 151 | Intercultural Communication | 
**ECON 101** | Microeconomics | 
  or **ECON 101H** | Microeconomics, Honors | 
  or **ECON 102** | Macroeconomics | 
  or **ECON 102H** | Macroeconomics, Honors | 
**IBUS 102** | Introduction to International Business | 
**ENG 232** | World Literature | 
**ENG 237** | Sacred Literature, Western Texts | 
**ENVS 110** | Humans And The Biological Environment | 
**ERTH 141/ GEOG 101** | Physical Geography | 
**GEOG 102** | Human Geography | 
**GEOG 105/ ERTH 142** | Economic Geography | 
**HIST 102** | History Of The U.S. Since 1865 | 
  or **HIST 102H** | History Of The U.S. Since 1865, Honors | 
**HIST 104** | History Of Western Civilization | 
  or **HIST 113H** | History Of Western Civilization: 1600 To Present, Honors | 
**HIST 107** | World Civilization, Beginnings To 1550 | 
**HIST 108** | World Civilization, 1550 To Present | 
**HIST 110** | History Of American Women | 
  or **HIST 110H** | History Of American Women (Honors) | 
**HIST/ENVS 112** | American Environmental History | 
**HIST 120** | Modern Europe | 
**HIST 133** | History Of Latin America: Bc To 1800’S | 
**HIST 134** | History Of Latin America: 1800’S To Modern Period | 
**HIST 138** | History Of The Modern Middle East | 
**MATH 117** | Elementary Statistics | 
  or **PSY 150** | Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences | 
  or **SOC 125** | Introduction to Statistics in Sociology | 
**MUS 118** | World Music | 
**PHIL 102** | Comparative World Religions | 
  or **PHIL 102H** | Comparative World Religions, Honors | 
**POLS 121** | International Politics | 
  or **POLS 121H** | International Politics, Honors | 
**POLS 122** | International Organizations: Global and Regional Governance | 
**POLS 131** | Comparative Politics | 
**SOC 101** | Introduction To Sociology | 
  or **SOC 101H** | Introduction To Sociology, Honors | 
**SOC 109** | Social Problems | 
**SOC 115** | Introduction To Social Research | 
  or **PSY 200** | Research Methods and Experimental Design in Psychology | 
Any foreign language courses offered at SBCC, i.e., language acquisition courses (101, 102, 103, 104, 150, 160)

**Total Units** | 18.00-25.00
It is highly recommended that students intending to transfer select their courses in consultation with an academic counselor to ensure that they meet the requirements of four-year institutions.

POLS 121 or 121H or 131 may count toward the Electives requirement if not previously used to satisfy Core Requirements (listed above).

Learning Outcomes
1. Describe key developments in the ongoing process of globalization
2. Analyze the concept of global interdependence with reference to various characteristics of globalization and to specific global problems
3. Connect concepts related to political, economic, cultural and ecological globalization with events discussed in contemporary news

Recommended Sequence
Make an appointment with your SBCC academic counselor through Starfish to create a Student Education Plan that reflects a recommended course sequence for this program that is tailored to your individual needs.

How to schedule an Academic Counseling appointment (http://www.sbcc.edu/starfish/howtos/starfish_appt_how_to.pdf).