Leadership in the Global Economy

The Leadership in the Global Economy concentration within Global Studies is a new and interdisciplinary focus that allows students to combine an education in global economics with core humanities and leadership values. Rather than obtaining a traditional business or humanities degree, students will become cognizant of the interrelationship between specific regions in the world and how local cultures affect politics in a diverse and constantly changing landscape. By focusing on one particular world region and becoming proficient in one language, students will attain a global outlook allowing them to thrive and master global leadership tasks in an interconnected world.

Structure of the Degree

The Global Studies degree has four main components that will prepare students for careers where an understanding of urgent global issues is required, and where an ability to work with people from a variety of cultures is indispensable. These components are:

1. A focus on major global issues.
2. Deep understanding of a world region, and the cultures, social practices and economic challenges in that region.
3. Proficiency in a foreign language.
4. Integrated opportunities for study abroad.

Visit [http://bulletin.sc.edu/](http://bulletin.sc.edu/) for more information on learning outcomes and courses.

### Degree Requirements

**Carolina Core (31-34 hours)**

- CMW: Persuasive Communication: Writing (6 hours)
- ARP: Analytical Reasoning and Problem Solving (6-8 hours)
- SCI: Scientific Literacy (8 hours)
- GFL: Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding (0-9 hours)
- GHS: Historical Thinking (6 hours)
- GSS: Social Sciences (6 hours)
- AIU: Aesthetic and Interpretive Understanding (3 hours)

**Fine Arts and Humanities Requirements (9 hours)**

**Prerequisites (18 hours)**

Global Studies Major – Concentration on Leadership in the Global Economy (30-33 hours)

- Foreign Language (6 hours @ 300 level)
- Concentration on Leadership in the Global Economy (15-18 hours)
- World Region (9 hours)

**Additional Courses for Degree**

- Cognate (12 hours) or
- Minor Requirements (18 hours)

**Electives for B.A. Degrees**

- General Electives for remaining hours to complete degree

Dr. Agnes C. Mueller, Director
Global Studies
ACMueller@mailbox.sc.edu

---

The University of South Carolina is an equal opportunity institution.