

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS: COMPARATIVE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS



KEY SKILLS

- Analytical Thinking
- Research Proficiency
- Communication
- Cultural Competency
- Problem-Solving
- Policy Analysis
- Foreign Language Proficiency
- Project Management
- Economic Analysis
- Global Awareness
- Technological Literacy
- Political History



SAMPLE OCCUPATIONS

- Diplomat
- International Development Consultant
- Policy Analyst
- Economic Analyst
- Nonprofit Program Manager
- Economic Development Consultant
- Journalist
- Human Rights Advocate
- International Relations Specialist
- Academic Researcher
- Political Risk Analyst
- Social Researcher
- Professor
- Cultural Affairs Officer
- International Project Coordinator
- Economic Policy Advisor
- Legislative Assistant
- International Trade Assistant
- Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) Manager
- Trade and Investment Advisor



SAMPLE STUDENT ORGS

- Undergraduate Economics Society
- Organization for International Development
- International Affairs Society
- China Affairs Forum at GW
- Delta Phi Epsilon Fraternity
- ESIA Graduate Student Board
- ETA Society for Global Affairs
- GW Foreign Film Society
- International Affairs Review
- International Affairs Society
- John Quincy Adams Society
- LATAM@G
- Onero Institute
- Organization of Asian Studies
- Organizations of International Development Studies
- The Security Policy Studies Student Board
- Sigma Iota Rho
- Strategic Crisis Simulations
- AIESEC Alexander Hamilton Society



PROFESSIONAL ORGS

- InterAction
- Association for Comparative Economic Studies (ACES)
- International Political Science Association (IPSA)
- American Political Science Association (APSA)
- International Studies Association (ISA)
- Council for European Studies (CES)
- International Sociological Association (ISA)



CONCENTRATIONS/SPECIALIZATIONS

- Comparative Politics
- International Relations
- Economic Systems
- Social Structures
- Global Development Public Policy
- Human Rights
- Comparative Politics
- State-Society Relations
- Nationalism
- Globalization
- Sociology
- Democracy
- Authoritarianism
- Electoral Systems



POSSIBLE WORK SETTINGS

- Government Agencies
- International Organizations
- Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)
- Consulting Firms
- Academic Institutions
- Think Tanks
- Nonprofit Organizations
- Government Contractor
- Intelligence Community
- Foreign Service
- Multinational Corporations
- International Financial Institutions



SAMPLE EMPLOYERS

- U.S. Department of State
- Foreign Service
- USAID
- United Nations
- Brookings Institution
- World Bank
- NATO
- Human Rights Watch
- CARE International
- Médecins Sans Frontières
- McKinsey & Company
- Deloitte
- Booz Allen Hamilton
- BBC World Service
- Global Fund for Women
- Al Jazeera
- The Economist
- RAND Corporation
- Carnegie Endowment for International Peace
- Center for Strategic and International Studies
- European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR)
- International Monetary Fund (IMF)
- African Studies Association (ASA)
- UK Foreign Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO)
- Latin American Studies Association (LASA)
- Center for Global Development
- Middle East Studies Association (MESA)
- Amnesty International
- Asian Studies Association (ASA)
- Oxfam International
- American Economic Association (AEA)
- World Trade Organization (WTO)

