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The 36 credit hours required for the master of arts in international relations must include the following courses:

**Core Courses**
- INTL 5000 Introduction to International Relations
- INTL 5100 Research Methods and Perspectives
- INTL 6000 International Relations: Theory and Practice or INTL 6250 Thesis

Two courses from the Comparative Politics Cluster
Four courses from the International Politics Cluster
Three elective courses (9 credit hours)

**Comparative Politics Cluster (2 courses)**
- INTL 5050 Comparative Politics
- INTL 5570 Comparative Foreign Policy
- INTL 5580 Politics of Development
- INTL 5600 Area Studies
- INTL 5605 Topics in Comparative Politics
- INTL 5625 Middle East Area Studies
- INTL 5635 Western European Area Studies
- INTL 5645 Asian Area Studies
- INTL 5655 African Area Studies
- INTL 5665 South and Central Asian Area Studies
- INTL 5675 Central and Eastern European Area Studies
- INTL 5685 Latin American Area Studies

**International Politics Cluster (4 courses)**
- INTL 5400 International Political Economy
- INTL 5510 Theories of International Relations
- INTL 5530 International Law
- INTL 5540 International Organizations
- INTL 5550 War and Diplomacy
- INTL 5560 U.S. Foreign Policy
- INTL 5700 Humanitarian Issues in International Politics
- INTL 5800 Globalization
- INTL 5860 Issues in International Politics
- INTL 5870 International Law and Politics of Outer Space
- INTL 5890 Terrorism in World Politics

For a complete list of the elective courses and more information on this degree or the one-year Global International Relations degree please visit our online catalog: www.webster.edu/gradcatalog.

**Core Course Descriptions**

**INTL 5000 Introduction to International Relations (3)**
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**INTL 5100 Research Methods and Perspectives (3)**
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**INTL 6000 International Relations: Theory and Practice (Integrated Studies) (3)**
Various contemporary theories of international relations are examined. The relationship of theory to the practice of international relations is considered. This course presents an overview for students who are completing a major in international relations.

**Q&A**

**Q** Are the faculty members experts at teaching these type of specialized courses?

**A** Webster faculty are experts in strategic areas of international relations such as foreign policy, political economy, refugee studies, human rights, economic development, war and diplomacy, international organizations, and law. With their NGO, government, and commercial experience, many faculty bring professional experience into the classroom.

**Q** Will my classmates be from different backgrounds or people just like me?

**A** From aspiring diplomats to government contractors and non-governmental officials, your classmates will provide contacts and exposure that will broaden your perspective and provide valuable networking relationships throughout your career.

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