



GLOBAL STUDIES

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS FOR TRANSFER

The Global Village has arrived! Global Studies is an exciting and dynamic interdisciplinary program that allows students to identify and understand the global and transnational forces that affect the everyday lives of people across the world. The Global Studies program combines courses from the Arts and Sciences, Anthropology, Economics, Geography, History, Philosophy, Political Science and Sociology to examine contemporary issues in an increasingly globalized world. Through the development of critical thinking skills and the analysis of local and global processes, students are given the tools to both understand the global village and to shape it as they become the next generation of leaders in business, government, nongovernmental and international organizations. Areas of inquiry include the tension between local and global cultures, conflict and security, philosophy, technology and new media, political and non-governmental movements, economics, development and the environment. *For more information, contact: Dr. Gloria Guevara (805) 678-5095 gquevara@vcccd.edu OR Dr. Arion Melidonis (805) 678-5044 amelidonis@vcccd.edu*

| REQUIRED CORE CLASSES | | UNITS |
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| GLST R101 | Introduction to Global Studies | 3.0 |
| GLST R102 | Global Issues and Problems | 3.0 |

| LIST A – CULTURE AND SOCIETY | | |
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| Select one course from the following (3 units): | | |
| ANTH R102/H | Introduction to Cultural Anthropology/ Honors | 3.0 |
| HIST R160/H | World History II/ Honors | 3.0 |

| LIST B - GEOGRAPHY | | |
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| Select one course from the following (3 units): | | |
| GEOG R101 | Elements of Physical Geography | 3.0 |
| GEOG R102 | World Regional Geography | 3.0 |
| GEOG R105 | Introduction to Human Geography | 3.0 |

| LIST C - ECONOMICS | | |
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| Select one course from the following (3 units): | | |
| ECON R101 | Introduction to the Principles of Macroeconomics <i>Prerequisites: MATH R002 or MATH R005 or MATH R011 or MATH R015 or Placement as determined by the college's multiple measures process</i> | 3.0 |
| ECON R102 | Introduction to the Principles of Microeconomics <i>Prerequisites: MATH R002 or MATH R005 or MATH R011 or MATH R015 or Placement as determined by the college's multiple measures process</i> | 3.0 |

| LIST D - POLITICS | | |
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| Select one course from the following (3 units): | | |
| POLS R104 | Introduction to International Relations | 3.0 |
| POLS R108 | Comparative Politics | 3.0 |

| LIST E | | |
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| Select one course from the following (3 units): | | |
| HIST R150 | World History I/ Honors | 3.0 |
| PHIL R103 | Survey of World Religions: East | 3.0 |
| PHIL R104 | Survey of World Religions: West | 3.0 |
| PHIL R115/H | Comparative World Religions/ Honors <i>Advisories: ENGL R096</i> | 3.0 |

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| Total Required Major Units | 21.0 |
| CSU General Education or IGETC Pattern | 37-39 |
| Double-Counted Units | -(9-15) |
| Electives (CSU transferable units needed to reach 60) | 9-17 |
| Total Units required for the AA-T Degree | 60 |

★ **General Education: A.S./A.A. degrees require completion of the Oxnard College General Education pattern**