The College of Arts and Sciences expects students to have completed the Texas State recommended high school program and be ready to enroll in Language 2040 (TCCNS: Language 2311). If you are not prepared for this level, the necessary prerequisites will either replace electives or increase the hours required for this degree.

### Undergraduate Degree Program Options

**Bachelor of Arts, International Studies, Areas of Concentration:**
- International Security and Diplomacy
- International Business and Economics
- International Development
- Regional Studies
- Peace Studies

### Courses Recommended for Transfer

The UNT Core requirements, with the exception of American History and Government/Political Science, and the College & Major requirements are shown with Texas Common Course Numbering System values only when UNT offers equivalent courses. There may be other courses in transfer that apply toward the specific degree requirement, but those listed are known to apply.

#### UNT Core: Communication

ENGL 1301; and ENGL 1302 or 2311

A grade of 'C' or better is required on courses applied toward this requirement.

#### UNT Core: Mathematics

One course chosen from: MATH 1316, 1324, 1325 or 1425, 1332, 1342 or 1442 or 2342 or 2442, 1350, 2312 or 2412, 2313 or 2413 or 2513

#### UNT Core: Life & Physical Sciences

This requirement will be met by fulfilling College of Arts & Sciences Bachelor of Arts laboratory science requirement (see next page).

#### UNT Core: American History

Two courses chosen from: HIST 1301, 1302, 2301

#### UNT Core: Government/Political Science

GOVT 2305 and 2306

#### UNT Core: Creative Arts

One course chosen from: ARTS 1301 or 1304; DRAM 1310; MUSI 1306 or 1307; SPCH 2341

#### UNT Core: Language, Philosophy and Culture

One course chosen from: ENGL 2332 or 2333; HIST 2321 or 2322; PHIL 1301, 1304, 2303, 2306, or 2316

**FREN 3040, 4060, 4310; GERM 3040, 3050, 4310; and ITAL 3040, 3050, 3070 (all at UNT only) are options for the major and will apply to both the UNT Core Language, Philosophy and Culture requirement and the College of Arts & Sciences Bachelor of Arts major requirement (see next page).**

#### UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences

One course chosen from: ANTH 2346 or 2351; COMM 1307; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301 or 2302; GEOG 1303; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301; SPCH 1318; TECA 1394

#### UNT Core: Discovery

This requirement will be met by fulfilling College of Arts & Sciences Bachelor of Arts major requirement (see next page).

#### UNT Core: Capstone

The Capstone Core requirement is unique to UNT and will be fulfilled by an advanced course at UNT.

*Note: The Core Capstone courses are under review by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, and are subject to change.*

### College of Arts & Sciences Core: Foreign Language

Any foreign language 2311 and 2312.

Courses must be taken in the same language.

**NOTE:** Prerequisites for foreign language 2311 and 2312 courses are 1311 and 1312 or 1411 and 1412 or 1511 and 1512. Placement exams may be available; see your community college academic advisor for details.
Hours Required and General/College Requirements:
A minimum of 120 semester hours, of which 42 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree as specified in the General University Requirements section of the UNT catalog and the College of Arts & Sciences requirements.

In order to graduate with a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in international studies, students must have achieved a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 at the time of graduation.

It is strongly recommended that students take advantage of Study Abroad opportunities. Students are also encouraged to do an internship in their area of concentration. The internship will count for 3 hours.

UNT Core Curriculum/Transfer of Core Curriculum: UNT complies with the mandates of the 1997 Texas Legislature regarding requirements for state-assisted institutions. Students who successfully complete the common core curriculum (in whole or in part) at a Texas state-assisted institution of higher education are eligible to transfer as "core complete" for those categories in the UNT University Core Curriculum.

Individual academic programs may require courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum. Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major/program requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.

Choice of Catalog: Any student transferring directly from a Texas public community college to UNT shall have the same choice of catalog designating degree requirements as the student would have had if the dates of attendance at the university had been the same as the dates of attendance at the community college.

The College of Arts & Sciences requires curriculum and policies are located in the Undergraduate Catalog 2014-2015.

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College of Arts & Sciences Core: Laboratory Sciences

The College of Arts and Sciences requires students to complete at least 9 hours (3 courses) in laboratory science (6 hours/2 courses also satisfy the university core Life & Physical Sciences requirement). At least one course must be taken from the list of Natural and Life Sciences, at least one course must be taken from the list of Physical Sciences, and the third course can be taken from either the list of Natural and Life or Physical Science courses below:

Natural and Life Sciences  |  Physical Sciences
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ANTH 2401 or 2101/2301  |  ASTR 1403 or 1103/1303*  
BIOL 1406 or 1106/1306  |  ASTR 1404 or 1104/1304*  
BIOL 1407 or 1107/1307  |  CHEM 1411 or 1111/1311  
BIOL 1408 or 1108/1308* |  CHEM 1412 or 1112/1312  
BIOL 2401 or 2101/2301  |  PHYS 1401 or 1101/1301  
BIOL 2402 or 2102/2302  |  PHYS 1402 or 1102/1302  
BIOL 2406 or 2106/2306* |  PHYS 1403 or 1103/1303*  
GEOL 1401 or 1101/1301* |  PHYS 1404 or 1104/1304*  
GEOL 1403 or 1103/1303* |  PHYS 1410 or 1110/1310  
                          |  PHYS 1415 or 1115/1315*  
                          |  PHYS 2425 or 2125/2325  
                          |  PHYS 2426 or 2126/2326

*Recommended course options for non-science majors.

International Studies with a Concentration in Peace Studies: Major

- INST 2100 also fulfills the UNT Core Discovery requirement
- 6 advanced hours in one foreign language (only at UNT)(pre-requisite of foreign language TCCNS 2312). FREN 3040, 4060, 4310; GERMAN 3040, 3050, 4310; and ITALIAN 3040, 3050, 3070 (all at UNT only) are options for the major and will also satisfy the UNT Core Language, Philosophy and Culture requirement.
- INST Senior Seminar (only at UNT)(also fulfills the UNT Core Capstone requirement)

Courses listed above are TCCNS options and do not include all courses required for the UNT International Studies Major.
This four-year plan provides a model for on-time completion of this UNT program using as many TCCNS courses as possible. The four-year plan also shows the first point when no TCCNS options are available for this program. See the current Undergraduate Catalog for course prerequisites. Course availability at UNT is subject to change, and the plan shown below may change based on updates to UNT’s course offerings.

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