

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE 3 semester program
MA IN ISLAMIC STUDIES AND ARABIC LANGUAGE (ISL)
Academic Years 2011 through 2014

3 semester ISL

Minimum credit requirement: 40 credits

Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

The 40 credits must include:

- 16 crs Four core courses
- 4 crs One elective course
- 14 crs Four language courses
- 2 crs Directed Study
- 4 crs One four-credit research project ME/IS5094

Core courses

(16 credits)

IS 5050 Islam: Religion and Law

IS 5055 History of Islamic Thought, 600 - 1100

IS/ME 5010 Methodology: Viewing Middle East & Islamic World

IS/ME 5015 Modern Islamic Revivalist Thought

Elective course

(4 credits)

One course not taken above, chosen from the ME and IS course offerings

Language courses

(14 credits)

Two language courses at AUP (8 credits)

Two language courses at AUC (6 credits)

Plus

ME/IS 5900 Directed Study (4,000 word paper in summer- 2 credits)

ME/IS 5094 Research Project (4 credits)

and

Oral Exam (pass or fail)

NB: ISL (3 semesters) students in good academic standing may apply for the 2-year MEISL option no later than mid-program of the three semester ISL program.

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00

Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.

Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.

***DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MA IN GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS
DEVELOPMENT COMMUNICATIONS TRACK***

Academic Year 2013-2014

Minimum credit requirement: 48 credits

Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

The 48 credits must include:

- 16 crs Four mandatory core courses
- 16 crs Four core options
- 8 crs Two elective courses
- 8 crs One eight-credit thesis project CM/PO5095 *or* one eight-credit CM 5098 Internship

Core courses

(16 credits) four of the following six courses:

CM 5001 Global Communications: Concepts, Critical Approaches and Research Methods

CM 5091 Communications & Development

CM 5025 Communication and the Global Public Sphere *or* PO 5012 Civil Society: International and Comparative Perspectives

CM 5063 Sustainable Development Practicum *or* CM5068 NGO Practicum

Core Options – Theory

(8 credits) choose at least 2 from the following courses:

CM/GV5050 Global Advocacy and Public Policy: the Digital Turn

CM 5070 Media, Gender & Globalization

CM5073 Media and Society in the Middle East and North Africa

CM 5077 Communication and the Global City

CM/PO 5079 Media, Governance and Diversity

CM/PO 5081 Collaborative Methods in Conflict Resolution

GV 5067 Aid Flows, Donors Policies and Recipient Responses

LW 5080 Women, Conflict Resolution and International Law

PO 5058 Conflict Management

PO/GV 5062 Gouvernance Publique et Gouvernance Mondial

Core Options – Practica

(8 credits) choose at least 2 from the following courses:

CM 5028 Video Production Practicum

CM 5062 Media Convergence Practicum

CM 5064 Video News Practicum

CM 5065 Broadcast News Practicum

CM 5066 Branding Practicum

CM 5067 Advertising Practicum

CM 5069 International Public Relations Practicum

CM 5091 Communications Digital Toolkit

CM 5020 Modules (a maximum of 2 Modules for 4 credits, if topic is relevant to DC track)

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Academic Year 2013-2014

Two electives

(8 credits) chosen from the CM, PO, GV and LW course offerings (core options not taken, as core may be taken as electives)

Plus

(8 credits)

CM 5098 Internship

or

CM/PO 5095 Master Thesis Project

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**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MA IN GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS
(MAGC)**

Academic Years 2011 through 2014

Minimum credit requirement: 48 credits
Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

The 48 credits must include:

- 16 crs Four core courses
- 24 crs Six elective courses
- 8 crs Internship or Thesis

Core courses

(16 credits)

CM 5001 Global Communications: Concepts

and

three core options chosen from the following:

CM 5002 Brands and Beliefs

CM/PO 5003 Cultural Diversity and Globalization

CM 5004 Global Digital Cultures

CM 5005 Identity Formation in a Transnational World

CM/PO 5025 Communication and the Global Public Sphere

CM/PO 5026 Politics and Economics of Global Media

Electives

(24 credits) Six courses chosen from the CM course offerings

Plus

CM 5098 Internship (8 credits)

or

CM 5095 Master Thesis Project (8 credits)

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00

Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.

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***DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE (MAIS) COMBINED MA IN
INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS (MIA) and MIDDLE EAST AND ISLAMIC STUDIES
(MEIS)
Academic Years 2011 through 2013***

Plus

PO 5002 Four two-credit Modules (8 credits)

PO 5099 Master Thesis Seminar (2 credits)

PO/ME 5095 Master Thesis Project (8 credits)

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00
Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.
Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MA IN CROSS-CULTURAL AND
SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS MANAGEMENT (MCB)**

Academic Years 2011 through 2014

Minimum credit requirement: 40 credits
Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

Required:

Eight **Core courses** (32 credits)

BA 5010	High-Performing Organizations
BA 5020	Global Cross-cultural Management
BA 5040	Global Financial Management and Markets
BA 5050	Doing Business in the European Union
BA 5060	Global Sustainable Business
BA 5070	International Strategy and Leadership
BA 5080	Global Business Management
BA 5012	International Ethics

One **Elective** (4 credits)

Elective approval by program director required

Plus **Internship *or* Thesis**

BA 5098 Internship (4 credits)

or

BA 5095 Thesis Project (4 credits)

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00
Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.
Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.

***DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MA IN CULTURAL TRANSLATIONS
(MCT)
Academic Years 2011 through 2014***

Minimum credit requirement: 38 credits
Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

The 38 credits must include:

Seven Courses, one module, and a directed study (30 credits):

- 4 crs TN 5090 Directed Study
- 0 crs TN 5000 What is Cultural Translation (0 credits)
- 4 crs TN 5010 Translation Workshop
- 4 crs TN 5020 Culture as Translation
- 4 crs TN 5030 Cultures of Translation: Historical Systems
- 4 crs TN 5040 Translating Cultures
- 4 crs TN 5050 Cultural Translation Workshop
- 4 crs Elective approval by program director required
- 2 crs TN 5002 Module (2 credits)

Plus

TN 5099 Thesis Seminar (2 credits)

TN 5095 Thesis Project/Translation (6 credits)

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00
Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.
Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ONE YEAR MA IN MIDDLE EAST AND ISLAMIC STUDIES (MEIS)
Academic Years 2011 through 2014

Minimum credit requirement: 32 credits
Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

The 32 credits must include:

- 24 crs Six core courses
- 4 crs One elective
- 4 crs One four-credit research project ME5094

Core courses
(24 credits)

IS 5050 Islam: Religion and Law
IS 5055 History of Islamic Thought, 600 - 1100
ME 5023 History of the Modern Middle East, 1800 - Present
ME 5025 State, Society & Political Economy of the Middle East
IS/ME 5010 Methodology: Viewing Middle East & Islamic World
IS/ME 5015 Modern Islamic Revivalist Thought

Elective course
(4 credits)

One course not taken above, chosen from the ME and IS course offerings

Plus

ME 5094 Research Project (4 credits)

NB: MES (one-year) master students in good academic standing may apply for the 2-year MEISL option no later than mid-program of the one-year MEIS program.

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00. Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.
Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE 3 semester program
MA IN MIDDLE EAST STUDIES AND ARABIC LANGUAGE (MEL)
Academic Years 2011 through 2014

3 semester MEL

Minimum credit requirement: 40 credits

Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

The 40 credits must include:

- 16 crs Four core courses
- 4 crs One elective course
- 14 crs Four language courses
- 2 crs Directed Study
- 4 crs One four-credit research project ME5094

Core courses

(16 credits)

ME 5023 History of the Modern Middle East, 1800 - Present

ME 5025 State, Society & Political Economy of the Middle East

IS/ME 5010 Methodology: Viewing Middle East & Islamic World

IS/ME 5015 Modern Islamic Revivalist Thought

Elective course

(4 credits)

One course not taken above, chosen from the ME and IS course offerings

Language courses

(14 credits)

Two language courses at AUP (8 credits)

Two language courses at AUC (6 credits)

Plus

ME/IS 5900 Directed Study (4,000 word paper in summer- 2 credits)

ME 5094 Research Project (4 credits)

and

Oral Exam (pass or fail)

NB: MEL (3 semesters) students in good academic standing may apply for the 2-year MEISL option no later than mid-program of the three semester MEL program.

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00

Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.

Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE (MGCS)
COMBINED MA IN GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS and CIVIL SOCIETY**

Academic Years 2011-12 and 2012-13

Minimum credit requirement: 62 credits
Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

The 62 credits must include:

- 8 crs Two core courses in MAC
- 8 crs Two core courses in MIA
- 20 crs Five elective courses
- 4 crs Research Methods CM 5001
- 4 crs NGO Practicum CM 5068 *or* Sustainable Development Practicum CM 5063
- 8 crs Four two-credit modules PO5002
- 2 crs Thesis seminar PO5099
- 8 crs One eight-credit thesis project CM/PO5095

Core courses

(16 credits) two of the following four courses:

CM/PO 5003 Cultural Diversity and Globalization
CM/PO 5025 Communication and the Global Public Sphere
CM/PO 5026 Politics and Economics of Global Media
CM/GV 5050 Global Advocacy and the Public Policy Process

and

two of the following four courses:

PO/PL 5005 Philosophical Foundations of International Relations
PO 5012 Civil Society
PO 5058 Conflict Management
PO 5072 US and World Affairs

Five electives

(20 credits) chosen from the CM, PO, GV and LW course offerings

Plus

CM 5001 Research Methods (4 credits)
CM 5068 NGO Practicum (4 credits) *or* CM 5063 Sustainable Development Practicum (4 credits)

Plus

PO 5002 Four two-credit PO Modules (8 credits)
PO 5099 Master Thesis Seminar (2 credits)

Plus

CM/PO 5095 Master Thesis Project (8 credits)

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00

Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.

Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MA IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS,
CONFLICT RESOLUTION and CIVIL SOCIETY DEVELOPMENT (MIA)**
Academic Years 2011 through 2014

Minimum credit requirement: 54 credits
Minimum Cum GPA: 3.000

The 54 credits must include:

- 8 crs Four two-credit modules PO5002
- 20 crs Two core and three elective courses
- 16 crs Four courses at the Sorbonne
- 2 crs Thesis Seminar PO5099
- 8 crs One eight-credit research project PO5095

Core courses

(8 credits) two of the following four courses:

PL/PO 5005 Philosophical Foundations of International Relations
PO 5012 Civil Society: International Perspective
PO 5058 Conflict Management (new)
PO 5072 US and World Affairs

Three electives

(12 credits) chosen from the PO, GV, and LW course offerings

Plus

(16 credits) **Four courses at the Sorbonne** (4 crs each)

Plus

PO 5002 Four two-credit Modules (8 credits)

PO 5099 Master Thesis Seminar (2 credits)

PO 5095 Master Thesis Project (8 credits)

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00
Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.
Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.

***DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE (MPPA) MA IN PUBLIC POLICY and
INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
Academic Years 2011 through 2013***

Plus

PO 5002 Four two-credit Modules (8 credits)

PO 5099 Master Thesis Seminar (2 credits)

PO 5095 Master Thesis Project (8 credits)

Optional

Summer Internship:

GV 5980 Internship in Public Policy (0 credits)

Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00

Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 will be placed on probation.

Only two grades of C (C+ included) may be counted towards an MA degree.