

GLOBAL STUDIES, ASSOCIATE IN ARTS FOR TRANSFER

The Associate in Arts in Global Studies for Transfer degree (AA-T in Global Studies) program at Monterey Peninsula College is designed to ensure students can analyze the processes and consequences of globalization. The focus of the program will be global problem-solving in the current neoliberal era, with the goal of preparing students to understand the interaction of individuals, nation-states, non-governmental actors, and international organizations. The purpose of this major is to provide students with the education and the preparation necessary for transfer into the CSU system to pursue a baccalaureate degree in Global Studies or similar major. Students must complete the Associate Degree for Transfer requirements to earn the AA-T degree.

Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the program, students will be able to:

- Analyze the ongoing phenomenon of globalization employing concepts including but not limited to hegemony, neoliberalism, interdependence, diaspora, Eurocentrism and Orientalism.
- Develop research projects employing the diverse methodologies of the social sciences and humanities.
- Assess the interdependence of global issues, such as inequality, food insecurity, global climate change, terrorism, and community displacement.

Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree Major Requirements

Code	Title	Units
Required Core		
GLST 1	Introduction to Global Studies	3
GLST 2	Global Issues	3
List A		
Select five courses from at least four of the following areas:		15-19
<i>Area 1: Culture and Society</i>		
ANTH 4	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	
HIST 8	World History Since 1500	
<i>Area 2: Geography</i>		
GEOG 2	Introduction to Physical Geography	
GEOG 4	Introduction to Human Geography	
<i>Area 3: Economics</i>		
ECON 2	Principles of Economics: Macro	
ECON 4	Principles of Economics: Micro	
<i>Area 4: Politics</i>		
POLS 2	Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics	
POLS 4	Introduction to International Relations	
<i>Area 5: Humanities</i>		
ENGL 44	Survey of World Literature I	
ENGL 45	Survey of World Literature II	
Any 3rd- or 4th-term foreign language course:		
FREN 2A	Intermediate French	
FREN 2B	Advanced French	

JPNS 2A	Intermediate Japanese	
SPAN 3	Intermediate Spanish I	
SPAN 3S	Intermediate Spanish for Spanish Speakers I	
SPAN 4	Intermediate Spanish II	
SPAN 4S	Intermediate Spanish for Spanish Speakers II	
TOTAL MAJOR UNITS		21-25
Additional Requirements		35-39
Complete CSU General Education or IGETC pattern and electives, if needed, for a total of 60 transferable units.		
Total Units		60

Please refer to the graduation requirements section of the Catalog for information about degree and certificate requirements including Reading and Writing, Mathematics, Information Competency, and General Education requirements.