# Global Studies: Pre-Law, BA

## Degree Requirements

**Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2023-2024.** Learn more about University Academic Regulation 3.1 ([http://catalog.okstate.edu/university-academic-regulations/](http://catalog.okstate.edu/university-academic-regulations/))

**Minimum Overall Grade Point Average:** 2.00  
**Total Hours:** 120

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<td><strong>American History &amp; Government</strong></td>
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<td>HIST 1103 Survey of American History</td>
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<td><strong>Social &amp; Behavioral Sciences (S)</strong></td>
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**Diversity (D) & International Dimension (I)**

May be completed in any part of the degree plan.  
At least one Diversity (D) course.  
At least one International Dimension (I) course.

| **College/Departmental Requirements** | | |
| **First Year Seminar** | | |
| (Transfer students with 15 hours exempt.) | 1 |

### Arts & Humanities

(See note 2.a.)

### Natural & Mathematical Sciences

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### Non-Western Studies

At least one course (See note 2.d.)

| **Upper-Division General Education** | | |

6 hours outside major department (See note 2.c.)

**Hours Subtotal** **22**

### Major Requirements

Minimum GPA 2.50.

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<td>GEOG 1113</td>
<td>Introduction to Cultural Geography (IS)</td>
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<td>or GEOG 1713</td>
<td>Regions &amp; Nations in Global Context (IS)</td>
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<td>GLST 2103</td>
<td>Global Perspectives (IS)</td>
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<td>GLST 4513</td>
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**Skills Requirement (one of the following or another course at the discretion of the advisor):**

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<td>GEOG 4203</td>
<td>Fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems</td>
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<td>GEOG 4313</td>
<td>Field Techniques and Geodata Collection</td>
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<td>GEOG 3333</td>
<td>Spatial Analysis (A)</td>
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<td>or second 2000-level foreign language</td>
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**Regional Study (6 hours, select one from each category):**

**Western Region (3 hours):**

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<td>GEOG 3243</td>
<td>Legal Geography of Native America, Sovereign Tribal Nations, and Indian Country (DS)</td>
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<td>GLST 3713</td>
<td>Exploring North America and Diversity (DS)</td>
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### Additional GEOG/GLST courses (6 hours)

6
3 hours upper-division GEOG/GLST or foreign language  3
Law-related courses (15 hours):  15

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<td>AMIS 4013</td>
<td>American Indian Sovereignty (D)</td>
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<td>AMST 3333</td>
<td>Crime, Law and American Culture (S)</td>
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<td>LSB 3213</td>
<td>Legal and Regulatory Environment of Business</td>
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<td>LSB 4633</td>
<td>Legal Aspects of International Business Transactions (I)</td>
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<td>NREM 4043</td>
<td>Natural Resource Administration and Policy</td>
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<td>PHIL 3513</td>
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<td>PHIL 3843</td>
<td>Philosophy of Law (H)</td>
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<td>POLS 3033</td>
<td>International Law</td>
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<td>Courts and Judicial Process (S)</td>
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<td>PSYC 4143</td>
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<td>SOC 4033</td>
<td>Comparative Perspectives of Criminal Justice Systems (IS)</td>
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<td>SOC 4103</td>
<td>The Death Penalty in America (S)</td>
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<td>SPCH 3733</td>
<td>Elements of Persuasion (S)</td>
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Conditions:
- Upper-Division Credit: Total hours must include at least 40 hours in courses numbered 3000 or above.
- Minimum 2.00 GPA in all GEOG and GLST courses.
- Foreign Language Proficiency: May be satisfied by 6 hours college credit in the same language, which must include 3 hours at the 2000-level, or equivalent proficiency (e.g., passing an advanced standing examination; TOEFL exam; presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates the high school was primarily conducted in a language other than English; etc.).

3. Foreign Language Proficiency
   a. The foreign language requirement for the B.A. may be satisfied by 9 hours college credit in the same language, which must include 3 hours at the 2000-level, or equivalent proficiency (e.g., passing an advanced standing examination; TOEFL exam; presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates the high school was primarily conducted in a language other than English; etc.).

3. Exclusions: Courses with ATHL or LEIS prefixes and leisure activity courses may not be used for degree credit.
Additional State/OSU Requirements

- At least: 60 hours at a four-year institution; 30 hours completed at OSU; 15 of the final 30 or 50% of the upper-division hours in the major field completed at OSU.
- Limit of: one-half of major course requirements as transfer work; one-fourth of hours earned by correspondence; 8 transfer correspondence hours.
- Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation and any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation.
- Degrees that follow this plan must be completed by the end of Summer 2029.