

HUMANITARIAN ACTION MINOR

For an 18-credit minor in Humanitarian Action, students complete the following:

Code	Title	Credits
Introductory Foundation Course		
Select one of the following:		3
AETH 2272	Ethics of Humanitarian Action	
HIST 2270	History of Global Humanitarian Action	
POLI 2472	Politics of Humanitarian Action	
Context and Analysis Courses		
Select two of the following:		6
AETH 2276	Ethical Dimensions of Global Business Practices	
AETH 2293	Ethics of War and Peace	
ANTH 2015	Refugees and Culture	
ANTH 2016	Anthropology of Humanitarianism	
ECON 2140	Health Economics	
ENGL 1130	Literature of the Holocaust	
HIST 2274	Historical Perspectives on Contemporary Global Crises	
INTL 2481	International Human Rights	
PUBH 2240	Introduction to Global Public Health	
POLI 1104/ INTL 1051	Introduction to International Relations	
POLI 2252	African Politics	
POLI/INTL 2471	United Nations Security Council Crisis Simulation	
POLI 2475	Climate Change: International Policy and Politics	
POLI 2478	International Law	
POLI 2479	Threats to Global Security in the 21st Century	
POLI 2480	Border Politics	
POLI/INTL 2481	International Human Rights	
POLI 2258	Political Violence	
POLI 4303	Gender, War, and Peace	
SOCI 1150	Introduction to International Migration	
Skills and Methods Courses		
Select two of the following:		6
ANTH 3700	Grant Writing for the Social Sciences	
ANTH 3710	Theory and Practice in Anthropology	
COMM 3324	Crisis Communication	
ECON 3237	Fair Trade and Microfinance	
ENGL 1839	Grant and Proposal Writing	
HONR 2201	Emerging Questions	
HUAC 3980	Humanitarian Action Internship	
LCST 3301	Justice and the Developing World	
MGMT 4350	International Law	
MGMT 4370	Managing Non-Profit Organizations	

POLI 2473	Humanitarian and Disaster Response Field Training	
RLST 2335	Liberation Theology	
Capstone		
HUAC 4999	Humanitarian Action Capstone	3
Total Credits		18

Students have the option of choosing from one of three foundational courses in ethics, history and politics that introduce humanitarian action. Each course covers the core material through different disciplinary approaches.

In addition to one foundational course, students must complete four elective courses. These electives are divided equally among context and analysis and skills and methods. Context and analysis courses cover topics such as international organization, global public health, gender, war and peace, genocide, human rights, global security, historical perspectives on contemporary crises, border politics, migration, refugees and climate change.

To satisfy the two remaining electives in skills and methods, students may choose from a range of courses in such fields as anthropology, communication, management, law, information systems and grant writing. Elective offerings also include courses in international operations of non-profits, engineering, and field research courses in Latin American and Caribbean Studies. Students may also count the successful completion of a humanitarian action internship as one of the two skills and methods elective requirement.

Students may double-count one context and analysis elective and one skills and methods elective from another major/minor. With the director's approval they may substitute an alternative course for the skills and methods requirement.

The culminating experience for the Humanitarian Action minor is the Capstone Seminar.

Consult with the director or associate director for additional information.