

Bachelor of Arts with a major in International Relations (2018/2019 Catalog)

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Oakland University Courses	Macomb Community College Options
PS 1600	POLS 1600
ECN 2020	ECON 2110

Electives in Economics, History, Philosophy (6-8 credits)

ECN 2010	ECON 1170
HST 2602	HIST 2420

Major Language Corequisite (choose from the options below)

Complete two years of a single modern foreign language as follows:	FREN, ITAL, SPAN (1260, 1270, 2360 and 2370)
OR, begin ARAB, CHIN, or GRMN language sequence as follows:	ARAB, GRMN (1260, 1270 and 2360) CHIN (1260 and 1270)

MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENTS:

In many cases it is to a student's advantage to complete the MTA or MACRAO agreement when fulfilling General Education requirements. This may allow for more flexibility when creating a schedule while at your community college. When choosing to complete MTA or MACRAO, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at Macomb or [MTA Approved Courses](#)

Additional course requirements for MTA when following this major guide (minimum 30 credit hours required for MTA):

- MTA Approved English Composition Course – ENG 1180 or 1210
- MTA Approved English Composition Course – ENG 1190 or 1220 (this is a prerequisite for coursework at OU)
- One MTA Approved Humanities & Fine Arts Course
- One MTA Approved Mathematics Course
- Two MTA Approved Science Courses

SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING MTA OR MACRAO: In some cases, completing the MTA or MACRAO agreement may not be practical. When using MTA or MACRAO, your ability to make the most efficient course selections at OU may be impacted depending on your accumulated credits and chosen OU major. For more details on whether or not it is recommended for you to complete MTA or MACRAO, please consult with an OU academic adviser.

When transferring without a transfer agreement, please reference the table below for courses that satisfy individual categories.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

40 credits are required from categories 1-10. Each of these categories must be fulfilled by completing one course of at least 3 or more credits. A course may not be used in more than one of these categories. Please see OU Catalog for further information

1. Writing Foundations	ENGL 1190 or 1220 (minimum grade of C required for this category)
2. Formal Reasoning	ITCS 1140; MATH 1100, 1290, 1340, 1360, 1370, 1760; PHIL 2200
3. Arts	ARTT 1620, 2650, 2660; HIST 2340; HUMN 1210, 1270, 1300, 1460; MUSC 1030, 1040, 2710, 2720
4. Foreign Language and Culture	Satisfied by Major – Language Corequisite
5. Global Perspective	Satisfied by Major – ECON 2110, POLS 1600
6. Literature	ENGL 1730, 2510, 2520, 2600, 2610, 2710, 2720, 2730, 2740, 2800, 2810, 2850; HUMN 1750
7. Natural Science and Technology	BIOL 1000, 1010, 1310; CHEM 1000, 1050, 1170; ESCI 1210; GEOL 1140; PHSA 1050; PHYS 1180, 2220; RNEW 1000
8. Social Science	Satisfied by Major -- ECON 1170, POLS 1600
9. Western Civilization	HIST 1500, 1600, 1700, 2000, 2100, 2200, 2360; PHIL 2010, 2100
10. Knowledge Applications	Satisfied by Major – 2000-level Language Corequisite
U.S. Diversity – May double count with categories 1-10	ENGL 2740; HIST 2100, 2200; HUMN 1270, 1460; POLS 1000; SOCY 1010, 2550
Capstone & Writing Intensive in the Major	These general education requirements MUST be met by courses taken at Oakland University.

Students who complete MTA or MACRAO according to this guide satisfy general education categories 1-9 and U.S. Diversity.

EXPLORATORY:

Students with majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) must satisfy an exploratory requirement. This can be done by completing a double major or a CAS minor or concentration; or by completing a minimum of 12 credits in a single CAS rubric, outside of their major rubric. For additional options visit oakland.edu/exploratory. Only courses that are at the 100-level or above may be used to fulfill the exploratory requirement. Students using MTA or MACRAO must complete the exploratory requirement at Oakland University or another four-year institution.

NOTES:

The College of Arts and Sciences requires that a minimum of 16 credits in the major be completed at Oakland University.

Please contact College of Arts and Sciences Advising at oakland.edu/casadvising or (248) 370-4567 for more information regarding your degree requirements.