

International Studies

International Studies at UNCW was founded in 2011. The program now has four full-time faculty members, over 205 majors, and with the class of spring 2017 over 230 alumni. This astounding success is due to an innovative curriculum, a dedicated faculty, and a remarkable group of students who wish to prepare themselves to meet the many complex challenges facing our globalized world and who seek to have a competitive edge in the global economy.

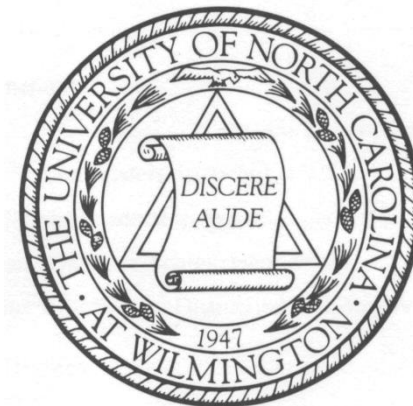
The academic discipline of International Studies seeks to make its students more marketable among an increasingly global workforce. It also provides its students with the interdisciplinary tools that will help them to live ethical, meaningful, and productive lives in the global society of the 21st century. Students come to understand the interconnectedness of peoples and cultures and to see their worldview in relation to the worldview of others. This understanding, along with the second language skills and firsthand experience of living outside the United States, makes International Studies students critical thinkers, problem solvers, and better citizens, domestically and globally.

THE FACULTY

- Dr. Florentina Andreescu – Ph.D., University of Miami
- Dr. Gao Bei – Ph.D., University of Virginia
- Dr. Herbert Berg – Ph.D., University of Toronto
- Dr. Lesley Daspit – Ph.D., Purdue University
- Ms. Theresa Jackson – M.A., University of North Carolina Wilmington
- Ms. Anastasia Kuz – M.A., University of Miami



May 5, 2017 Commencement



We welcome family and friends to celebrate the
Commencement of our graduates with a
Bachelor of Arts
International Studies

OUR SPRING 2017 GRADUATES

- Arya E. Akhlaghi (ΣIP; cum laude)
- Abigail Lynn Auerbach (ΣIP)
- Skylar Glenn Barney
- Allison Elizabeth Blackburn (cum laude)
- Elizabeth Grace Carbone
- Sarah G. Chandler
- Morgan Brooke Conner
- Megan Conway
- Addison Winterkamp Delahunty
- Taylor David Dewosky
- Michaela Elizabeth Dunn
- Rebecca Joy Firth
- David Keith Gilmore
- Daylon S. Grubb
- Kayla Elizabeth Gurley
- Sun H (ΣIP)
- Julia Anne Hagarty (ΣIP; Departmental Honors; magna cum laude)
- Haley Jo Haynes (ΣIP)
- John F. Hofland

- Jessica Elizabeth Hughes
- Eric Tanner Isbell (ΣIP)
- McKenzie Blake LeFlore (magna cum laude)
- Vapaw Gerry Lor
- Rachel Elaine Luca (ΣIP)
- Amelia Jane Lucas (summa cum laude)
- Justine Melodie Marguerat (ΣIP; magna cum laude)
- Matheus Parisotto Marino
- Lindsay Grant McDonald
- Thomas Aren McDonald (ΣIP; magna cum laude)
- Emilie Joy McQueen
- Shannon Rose O'Donnell (ΣIP)
- Lauren Nicole Phelps (ΣIP)
- Haley Isabel Phillips (ΣIP; magna cum laude)
- Colin Daniel Porter
- Micayla Leigh Powell
- Cassie Anne Radcliffe
- Sara Katelyn Reece
- Kaitlin Erin Rice (ΣIP; magna cum laude)
- Charles Caroll Shotton
- Benjamin Allen Stevens
- Jelena Subasic
- Nicholas Charles Sweet (ΣIP)
- Sierra Marche't Taylor
- Michael Patrick Vindell
- Megan Kathleen Wolfe (ΣIP)
- Tyler Jordan Yearsley

