

College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences
Department of Sociology
Center for Peace Studies and Violence Prevention

Minor in Peace Studies (PSVP) Checksheet
For Students Graduating in Calendar Year 2017

Student Name: _____ Student Number: _____
Major: _____ Expected Graduation: _____

The University Minor in Peace Studies (PSVP) has two tracks: local issues and global issues. Students must select one of two tracks.

Number of Credits Required for the PSVP Minor: 18 credits. 9 credits of required courses and 9 credits of electives from **either** the local issues or global issues track. Check the Undergraduate Course Catalog & Academic Policies for prerequisites.

Peace Studies Required Courses: 9 credits.

- ___ PSVP 2044 Peace and Violence (3)
- ___ AAEC 3324 Environment & Sustainable Development Economics (3) (Pre: AAEC 1005 or ECON 2005)
- ___ PSVP 4104 Global Society, Violence, and the Prospects for Peace (3) (Pre: PSVP 2044)

TRACK: _____ Local Issues or _____ Global Issues

Local Issues Restricted Electives: 9 credits. At least 3 credits must not be in the student's major. At least 6 hours must be at the 3000 level or above.

- ___ AAEC 2424: Cooperatives and Their Impact on the Human Condition (3)
- ___ AIMS/HUM 1104: Introduction to American Indian Studies (3)
- ___ APS/HUM 1704: Introduction to Appalachian Studies (3)
- ___ APS/HUM 4404: Appalachian Folk Culture (3)
- ___ COMM 3124: Interpersonal Communication (3) (Pre: Junior standing)
- ___ PHIL 1304 Morality & Justice (3)
- ___ PHIL 3314: Ethical Theory (3) (Pre: 3 philosophy credits)
- ___ PHIL 4334: Jurisprudence (3) (Pre: 3 philosophy credits)
- ___ SOC 3414: Criminology (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
- ___ SOC 4424: Juvenile Delinquency (3) (Pre: SOC 3414)

Global Issues Restricted Electives: 9 credits. At least 3 credits must not be in the student's major. At least 6 hours must be at the 3000 level or above.

- ___ AAEC 3204: International Agricultural Development and Trade (3) (Pre: AAEC 1005, 1006)
- ___ AFST 1714: Introduction to Africana Studies (3)
- ___ BIO 4114: Global Change Ecology (3) (Pre: BIO 2704, 2804)
- ___ GEOG 1014: World Regions (3)
- ___ GEOG 2034: Global Conflict (3)
- ___ HUM/COMM 3204: Multicultural Communication (3)
- ___ HUM/REL/HIST 3504: The Age of the Crusades (3)
- ___ JUD/HIST 3494: The Holocaust (3)
- ___ JUD/REL/HIST 3704: Christians, Jews, and the Idea of Judeo-Christianity (3)
- ___ PHIL 1304: Morality & Justice (3)
- ___ PHIL 2304: Global Ethics (3)
- ___ PSCI/PHIL 3015: Political Theory (3) (Pre: PSCI 2014)
- ___ PSCI/PHIL 3016: Political Theory (3) (Pre: PSCI 2014)
- ___ PSCI 3564: Violent Political Change (3) (Pre: PSCI 1024 or 1024H)
- ___ PSCI 3616: International Relations (3) (Pre: IS 2054, PSCI 2054, GEOG 2054, PSCI 2064, IS 2064, or GEOG 2064)
- ___ REL 1024: Judaism, Christianity, and Islam (3)
- ___ SOC 4404: Sociology of the Law (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
- ___ WGS 1824: Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies (3)

Permission to substitute courses must be granted by the minor coordinator. No course can substitute for PSVP 4104. Up to six credits of Independent Study (4974), Special Study (4984), and/or Undergraduate Research (4994) in any department may be used to fulfill requirements for the University Minor in Peace Studies only with the permission of the minor coordinator. A minimum GPA of 2.0 in all courses taken to fulfill the minor is required.

Students who want more information or who wish to complete this minor should contact Dr. James Hawdon, Director Center for Peace Studies and Violence Prevention (cpsvp@vt.edu)