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Faculty
Faculty assigned to teach Professional Studies and Fine Arts courses are drawn from the Schools of Art and Design, Communication, Hospitality and Tourism Management, Journalism and Media Studies, Music and Dance, Public Affairs, and Theatre, Television, and Film.

Professional Studies and Fine Arts International Studies Minor
(Minor Code: 22997) (SIMS Code: 669000)
The minor consists of 18 units to include 12 upper division units from Professional Studies and Fine Arts 320 or 350, 501, 502, 550; and six units selected from Professional Studies and Fine Arts 100, Art 357, Communication 371, Criminal Justice 570*, Dance 382, Journalism and Media Studies 210, 450*, Music 345, Public Administration 580*, Recreation and Tourism Management 404, and Television, Film and New Media 363 (maximum credit three units).

Courses in the major department or that are required for the major may not be used to satisfy requirements for the minor. A minimum of six upper division units must be completed in residence at San Diego State University.

For more information, see http://psfa.sdsu.edu/international_minor.

*Additional prerequisites required.

Courses (PSFA)
Refer to Courses and Curricula and University Policies sections of this catalog for explanation of the course numbering system, unit or credit hour, prerequisites, and related information.

LOWER DIVISION COURSES
PSFA 100. Sustainable Development (3) [GE]
Key concepts, definitions, and measures of sustainable development. Interrelationships between biodiversity and society. Integrated view of science of sustainable development.

PSFA 280. Adaptation to U.S. Academic Culture (3)
Cross-cultural adaptation of international students to include interactions with American students and theories of intercultural communication.

PSFA 296. Experimental Topics (1-4)
Selected topics. May be repeated with new content. See Class Schedule for specific content. Limit of nine units of any combination of 296, 496, 596 courses applicable to a bachelor’s degree.

UPPER DIVISION COURSES
(Not Acceptable for Advanced Degrees)
PSFA 501. Study Abroad I (3)
Prerequisite: Professional Studies and Fine Arts 320 or 350. Study and practical applications of PSFA-related intercultural issues in a selected international setting. Areas of study within PSFA disciplines. Maximum credit six units.

PSFA 502. Study Abroad II (3)
Prerequisite: Professional Studies and Fine Arts 320 or 350. Study and practical applications of PSFA-related intercultural issues in a selected international setting. Areas of study within PSFA disciplines. Maximum credit six units.

PSFA 550. International Studies Capstone (3)
Prerequisites: Professional Studies and Fine Arts 501 and 502. Comparative exploration of the ways visited culture/society/nation addresses a problem or issue relative to approaches taken in US.