

HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Objectives

To prepare professionals with a theoretical and practical knowledge of international relations, so that they develop competencies and skills in interdisciplinary negotiations in order to perform adequately as facilitators in a globalized, interdependent, complementary, and multicultural world, and are able to analyze and interpret political, economic, legal, social, and cultural aspects, in both national and international spheres.

Areas for Potential Employment

Graduates of this program will be able to work: in federal government agencies, such as the State Department and the Ministries of the Economy, Public Education, Tourism, the Interior, the Environment, and Natural Resources, as well as in the Banco Nacional de Comercio Exterior (Mexico's Trade Commission); in state government agencies, such as the Department of Economic Development, Tourism, Culture, and Education; for international organizations, such as the United Nations (UN), the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), the World Bank (WB), the International Monetary Fund (IMF), the World Trade Organization (WTO), the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), and the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC); in the private sector, as consultants in the area of international business in companies, chambers of commerce and industry, and in social organizations; also in the education sector, as directors or consultants in the area of international programs and as teachers, researchers, and relations analysts.

First Semester

- Introduction to International Relations
- Principles of the Governing of States
- Statistics
- Computing
- Oral and Written Communication I
- Economics

Second Semester

- History of International Relations
- Political Science
- Introduction to the Study of Law

- Research Methodology and Techniques
- Oral and Written Communication II
- Macroeconomics

Third Semester

- Contemporary History of International Relations
- Constitutional Law
- Government and the Political Process in Mexico
- Protocol and Etiquette
- History of Culture
- World Economic Geography

Fourth Semester

- Theory of International Relations
- Political Economics
- International Public Law
- The Philosophy of Science
- History of Mexico

Fifth Semester

- Mexico's Foreign Policy
- International Private Law
- Philosophical Anthropology
- International Trade and Finance
- Society and Government in Latin America

International Relations

Student Profile

The student in this program should:

- Be interested in political, economic, legal, social, and cultural matters, (nationally and internationally);
- Be interested in foreign languages and be good at learning them;
- Be able to analyze and synthesize current national and international events;
- Be interested in the well-being of the international community;
- Be interested in history, geography, and world culture;
- Be interested in foreign cultures;
- Be skilled at handling information;
- Have good interpersonal skills;
- Have a broad, general knowledge.

Sixth Semester

- Comparative Law
- Government and the Political Process in the United States
- Society and Government in Canada
- Society and Government in the Asian Pacific
- International Economic Structure
- Internship

Seventh Semester

- The International Economic Relations of Mexico
- United States Foreign Policy
- Society and Government in the Middle East and Africa
- Russia's Foreign Policy
- Services Marketing
- Society and Government in Europe
- Internship

Ninth Semester

- Research Seminar
- Diplomatic Law
- Economic Development
- International Educational Relations
- Intercultural Leadership

Eighth Semester

- Seminar: Relations Between Mexico and Latin America
- Seminar: Relations Between Mexico and the United States and Canada
- Mexican Foreign Trade
- Society and Government in India and Oceania
- Professional Ethics