

International University of Sarajevo, Faculty of Business and Administration (FBA)											
Study Program: Political Science and International Relations (PSIR)											
Track: International Relations and Diplomacy (IRD)											
Academic Year: 2026–2027											
Semester I						Semester II					
Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS	Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS
ELIT100	Academic English and Effective Communication		3	0		SOC102	Introduction to Sociology		3	0	
POLS102	Introduction to Political Science		3	2		IR101	Introduction to International Relations		3	0	
LAW110	Introduction to Law I		3	0		ELIT200	Critical Reading and Writing		3	0	
MATH100	Mathematical Skills		2	1		ECON112	Introduction to Macroeconomics		2	1	
XXX	University Elective 3 ECTS I, see Table 1					XXX	University Elective 3 ECTS II, see Table 1				
XXX	Language Elective I, see Table 2		2	0		XXX	Language Elective II, see Table 2		2	0	
Semester total = 0						Semester total = 0					
Semester III						Semester IV					
Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS	Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS
SPS150	World History		3	0		POLS211	Politics in BiH	POLS102	3	1	
IR211	International Relations Theories	IR101	3	1		IR212	Politics in Europe	IR101	3	1	
IR215	EU System	IR101	3	1		IR214	International Law	IR101	3	1	
POLS204	Comparative Political Analysis	POLS102	3	0		IR216	Foreign Policy Analysis	IR101	3	1	
IR307	Contemporary International Politics	IR101	3	1		IBF205	Principles of International Business		3	0	
Semester total = 0						Semester total = 0					
Semester V						Semester VI					
Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS	Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS
IR312	Diplomacy	IR101	3	1		ECON204	International Political Economy	ECON112	3	0	
IR301	Political Geography and Geopolitics	IR101	3	1		IR304	Security Studies	IR101	3	1	
POLS407	Politics and Governance in the Balkans	Junior Standing	3	1		IR305	International Organizations	IR101	3	1	
IR300	Research Methodology and Design	Junior Standing	3	2		IR4xx	Diplomacy and Regional Issues in the Balkans	Junior Standing	3	1	
XXX	Program elective I, see Table 3	Junior Standing				IR4xx	Strategy and Warfare	Junior Standing	3	1	
Semester total = 0						Semester total = 0					
Semester VII						Semester VIII					
Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS	Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS
IR470	Work Placement/ Internship	Junior standing		14		XXX	Program Elective IV, see Table 3	Junior Standing			
XXX	Program Elective II, see Table 3	Junior Standing				XXX	Program Elective V, see Table 3	Junior Standing			
XXX	Program Elective III, see Table 3	Junior Standing				XXX	Program Elective VI, see Table 3	Junior Standing			
XXX	Free Elective I					XXX	Program Elective VII, see Table 3	Junior Standing			
XXX	Free Elective II					XXX	Free Elective III				
Semester total = 0						Semester total = 0					
TOTAL					0	Total credits required for graduation					240
Program Electives are taken from the Table 3											
Two program electives (12 ECTS) can be replaced by IR491 Graduation Project, provided the student has a minimum CGPA of 3.0.											
Free Elective courses can be selected from any program in any faculty, provided they have a course code of 200 or higher. Courses with a code lower than 200 can only be taken from the IRD/PSIR programs.											
Language Elective courses are taken from the Table 2 (can not be the student's mother language)											
Work placement/Internship is practiced for a period of at least 25 work days, amounting to a minimum of 150 hours.											

Table 1: University pool of 3 ECTS university elective						Table 2: Language elective courses					
Code	Title		T	P	ECTS	Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS
ARCH107	Understanding Art and Architecture		2	0	3	TURK111	Spoken Turkish I		2	0	3
CS100	Computer Skills		0	2	3	BOS111	Spoken Bosnian I		2	0	3
CULT101	Understanding Cultural Encounters		2	0	3	TURK112	Spoken Turkish II	TURK111	2	0	3
ECON105	Understanding Business		2	0	3	BOS112	Spoken Bosnian II	BOS111	2	0	3
ECON107	Python		1	1	3						
ECON108	Matlab		1	1	3						
HUM100	Social Responsibility and Sustainable Development		2	0	3						
IBF105	Financial Literacy		2	0	3						
IR100	Understanding the Contemporary World through Current Events		2	0	3						
NS111	Understanding Nature and Knowledge		2	0	3						
NS112	Understanding Science and Technology		2	0	3						
SPS140	Understanding Religion		2	0	3						
IR1xx	Understanding Genocide Studies		2	0	3						
Table 3: Program elective courses											
Code	Title	Prerequisites	ECTS	Code	Title	Prerequisites	ECTS				
LAW318	Conflicts and Conflict Resolution	Junior standing	6	ECON308	Regional Development and EU	Junior standing	6				
LAW319	International Criminal Law	Junior standing	6	IR332	European Union Foreign and Security Policy	Junior standing	6				
LAW341	Diplomatic and Consular Law	Junior standing	6	IR333	Turkish Foreign Policy	Junior standing	6				
LAW403	Private International Law	Junior standing	6	IR334	US Foreign Policy	Junior standing	6				
LAW444	Transitional Justice	Junior standing	6	IR461	Conflict Analysis	Junior standing	6				
LAW446	Law of EU Internal Market	Junior standing	6	IR462	Ethnicity and Ethnic Conflicts	Junior standing	6				
LAW466	Foreign Direct Investment Law	Junior standing	6	IR463	Migration, Refugees and Diasporas	Junior standing	6				
POLS212	Political Participation	Junior standing	6	IR465	Political Violence and Terrorism	Junior standing	6				
POLS214	Political Parties and Electoral Systems	Junior standing	6	IR464	Studies in Genocide	Junior standing	6				
POLS221	Politics and the Media	Junior standing	6	IR467	Energy Security	Junior standing	6				
POLS223	Nations, Ethnicities and Ideologies	Junior standing	6	IR472	Human Rights	Junior standing	6				
POLS301	Political Philosophy	Junior standing	6	IR474	Gender in International Relations	Junior standing	6				
POLS302	Contemporary Political Thought	Junior standing	6	IR475	Ethics in International Politics	Junior standing	6				
POLS303	Survey of Political History	Junior standing	6	IR476	Global Environmental Issues	Junior standing	6				
POLS306	Religion and Politics	Junior standing	6	IR477	Conspiracy Theories in International Relations	Junior standing	6				
POLS412	Issues in Turkish Politics	Junior standing	6	IR478	Islam in World Politics	Junior standing	6				
SOC201	Social Theory	Junior standing	6	IR406	Special Topics in Regional Studies	Junior Standing	6				
SOC351	Political Sociology	Junior standing	6	IR407	Special Topics in International Relations	Junior Standing	6				
SOC404	New Social Movements	Junior standing	6	IR4xx	Negotiation and Mediation in Practice	Junior Standing	6				
SOC4xx	Sociology of International Relations			IR3xx	Western Balkans and the European Union	Junior Standing	6				
HIST202	History of the Balkans	Junior standing	6	IR3xx	Contemporary Central and South-Eastern Europe	Junior Standing	6				
HIST309	Social and Economic History of Europe	Junior standing	6								
IBF403	Multinational Corporation and Process of Globalization	Junior standing	6	IR491	Graduation Project	Junior Standing	12				