










## Sophia Program for Sustainable Futures (SPSF) Curriculum

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## For all SPSF students

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### Sophia Program for Sustainable Futures (SPSF) Organization

SPSF consists of the following six departments of social sciences:  
Department of Journalism; Department of Education; Department of Sociology; Department of Economics; Department of Management; and Department of Global Studies

#### 1. SPSF Common Core courses

SPSF students take SPSF Common Core courses. The SPSF Common Core courses are structured into “Theme-based” and “Academic Skills” courses, which are required to be taken by first-and third-year students.

Theme-based courses: Two required courses are for the first-and third-year students to meet the graduation requirements, which cover interrelationships between the discipline the student majors in and the concept of sustainability.

For the first-year students, “First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures”.

For the third-year students, “Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures”.

The first year’s course focuses on the connections among them, and the third year’s course provides more practical opportunities.

No transfer credits and course withdrawal are allowed for the two above courses.

For more details, refer to the curriculum pages of General Studies Courses.

Academic Skills courses: First-year students are required to take four courses offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) to equip themselves with skills necessary for their learning at Sophia University. For more details, refer to the curriculum pages of Language Courses.

In addition to these SPSF Common Courses, the students also take classes relating to their major as well as other classes offered by other SPSF departments.

#### 2. Specialized Education

SPSF students are required to take Specialized Education courses, which are mainly provided by the department the student belongs to. For more details, refer to the curriculum section of each department.

#### 3. When Choosing Courses for Fulfilling SPSF Graduation Requirements

SPSF students must meet their graduation requirements mainly with credits received from SPSF courses taught in English (refer to Distribution of Required Credits).

However, students may include up to 24 credits earned from courses taught in Japanese in their graduation requirements. For more details on each department’s Distribution of Required Credits and Guidelines for Course Registration, refer to the curriculum section of each department. Should you take courses taught in Japanese, see the following instructions 4. and 5. carefully.

#### 4. 24 Credit Limit of Courses Taught in Japanese

The courses include

1. All courses except those offered by CLER:

The instruction language shown in the course numbering should be either “j” or “m”: “j” for classes in Japanese and “m” for the others.

With reference to each course numbering, check the course list in each department which offers the course(s) taught in Japanese on the Academic Handbook (履修要覧 [学部科目編]).

For details of the course numbering, refer to the page on p.27.

2. Courses offered by CLER:

Language courses except for Japanese, Chinese, French and Spanish

**i** Notify the Center for Academic Affairs after you took a course with the instruction language “m” but Japanese was not used at all.

**i** Those who wish to take more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese should also report to the Center for Academic Affairs, with an understanding that those exceeding courses will not count toward the graduation requirements.

### 5. Guidelines for the Level of Taking Courses Taught in Japanese

To register for courses offered in Japanese, a student who is a native speaker of Japanese should have attended more than 10 years of education in which Japanese was the primary language of instruction, or have demonstrated sufficient proficiency in Japanese by being placed in a class with a level higher than JPN343 as a result of taking the Japanese Placement Test administered by the university, or by passing JPN343 (Reading and Writing 3). A non-native speaker of Japanese should have demonstrated sufficient proficiency in Japanese by being placed in a class with a level higher than JPN322 as a result of taking the Japanese Placement Test, or by passing either JPN322 (Advanced Japanese 2) or JPN370 (Intensive Japanese 4).

Students are strongly advised to observe the criteria for Japanese language proficiency in taking courses conducted in Japanese. Students will be responsible for their own academic performance, including any difficulty resulting from issues related to Japanese language proficiency.

### 6. Limit on the Number of Credits per Semester for all SPSF students

SPSF students can take up to 24 credits in each semester. The following limitations apply to the maximum number of credits that can be registered in each academic semester.

First Year	First Year	Second Year	Second Year	Third Year	Third Year	Fourth Year	Fourth Year	Total
Autumn	Spring	Autumn	Spring	Autumn	Spring	Autumn	Spring	Total
24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	192

### 7. SPSF Early Graduation System




SPSF students can apply for early graduation if they wish to graduate (in six or seven semesters), provided certain requirements are met. The following departments offer the opportunity for early graduation: Department of Education; Department of Sociology; Department of Economics; Department of Management; and Department of Global Studies. For more details on the requirements for early graduation, refer to the curriculum section of each department.

### 8. Change of Faculty / Department

Students who wish to change to another Department and satisfy the requirements have the right to apply for the change of Faculty or Department. For further details, see the page of Academic Records, and refer to the “APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR TRANSFER OF FACULTY/DEPARTMENT”.

# General Studies

## General Studies ▶

-  For students who entered in or after 2022
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-  All Students

## **[For students who entered in or after 2022]**

At Sophia University, University-wide General Studies are designed for students to acquire the abilities necessary for various studies. In addition to learning the spirit of “Christian Humanism” that underlies all Sophia University education, students will cultivate the ability to identify issues, formulate questions, and solve problems from multiple perspectives with a wide range of knowledge. The purpose is to create a foundation for students to continue learning throughout their lives and to contribute to the realization of a better world as people who live “for others, with others.”

University-wide General Studies courses are structured into categories by topics and in multiple levels. The students are expected to take these courses throughout their undergraduate studies in order to expand the depth and the width of their learning.

### **Compulsory Courses**

All the compulsory courses are divided into designated timetables ("blocks") for each department. The class and the registration code will be posted on My Sophia. Students must check My Sophia and register themselves during the registration period. The following five courses are the compulsory General Studies courses.

#### **"Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others" / "Liberal Arts of the Body"**

Both “Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others” and “Liberal Arts of the Body” are Quarter courses, and students must take them in the designated block. Students must check their designated class on My Sophia.

Semester Offered	Day & Time
Autumn	Thu, 3

Students who are unable to attend the designated "Liberal Arts of the Body" due to mental or physical health issues or other reasons must visit the Center for Liberal Education and Learning office (bldg. No.2, 1F) or contact the office by email ([sophia-geo-co@sophia.ac.jp](mailto:sophia-geo-co@sophia.ac.jp)) before the class starts to make an appointment to consult with the instructor. Please bring a medical certificate (a copy is acceptable) with you to the interview.

#### **Critical Thinking & Discussion**

“Critical Thinking & Discussion” is a semester course. Students must take the course in the designated block.

Semester Offered	Day & Time
Spring	Tue, 4 Fri, 4

#### **Overview of Data Science**


“Overview of Data Science” is a semester course. Students must take the course in the designated block.

Semester Offered	Day & Time
Spring	Thu, 5


## Thinking about Issues, Perspectives, and Positionality

“Thinking about Issues, Perspectives, and Positionality” is a semester course. Students must take the course in the designated block.

“Thinking about Issues, Perspectives, and Positionality” is an \*asynchronous course. Students must enroll themselves in “Thinking about Issues, Perspectives, and Positionality” on Moodle.

 Asynchronous courses are delivered in video lectures, slides, or other asynchronous formats.

Semester Offered	Day & Time
Autumn	Sat, 5

 Note: Students who fail a compulsory course in their first-year must retake the course in the second year or later. They may choose from all of the English-taught classes offered. They are lottery courses, and students should register during the lottery registration period.

## Compulsory Elective Courses

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Registration CD	Semester offered	Course title	Cr.	Day & Time
GSCH0130	Autumn	STUDIES IN CHRISTIAN HUMANISM: PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGIOUS LANGUAGE	2	Tue, 5
GSCH0280	Autumn	STUDIES IN CHRISTIAN HUMANISM: PHILOSOPHY OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND HUMAN DIGNITY	2	Tue, 5
GSCH0331	Autumn	STUDIES IN CHRISTIAN HUMANISM: BIBLICAL FOUNDATIONS AND CONTEMPORARY APPLICATIONS	2	Tue, 5

Students should register for these courses during the **lottery registration period**.

If a student earns more than the required credits for Studies in Christian Humanism Courses, they will be regarded as General Studies Elective Courses.

Students should register for these courses during the **lottery registration period**. For details, see the page relevant to Lottery Course.

If a student earns more than the required credits for Studies in Christian Humanism Courses, they will count towards General Studies Elective Courses.

## Advanced General Education Courses

Students must take 4 credits of Advanced General Education Courses including SPSF Common Core (Theme-based) "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (2cr)." For the remaining 2 credits, students



must choose from the Advanced General Education courses listed in the University-wide General Studies courses in your third / fourth years. (cf.履修要覧[学部科目編] 全学共通科目)

### **Notes on Advanced General Education Courses for SPSF Students**

All Students must take at least 2 credits of “Advanced General Education Course” as a part of GS Compulsory Electives.

- Students may take the Advanced General Education Course from the fifth semester (ie. their first semester in the third year).
- If students take more than 2 credits of Advanced General Education Courses, they can count these credits as GS Electives courses.
- Most of the Advanced General Education Courses are lottery courses. Students must enter during the lottery entry period. Students may be selected for 2 courses in maximum per semester, and you can register more courses by first-come-first-served base.
- For lottery courses of “Advanced General Education Course,” students will not be accepted into more than two course per semester.


If a student earns more than the required credits for Advanced General Education Courses, they will count towards General Studies Elective Courses.

## 【For students who entered before 2022】

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### Health and Physical Education

Students who have not earned credits for “Wellness, the Body and Culture” must take “Wellness, the Body and Culture” (\*Asynchronous course).

 Asynchronous courses are delivered in video lectures, slides, or other asynchronous formats.

Students who entered before 2022 may take any of the following semesters.

Semester Offered	Day & Time
Autumn	Sat, 6
Spring	Sat, 6

### Studies in Christian Humanism

Two courses in the category “Studies in Christian Humanism” (キリスト教人間学) for a total of 4 credits are compulsory for all students who are enrolled in the SPSF. Normally, students must take one course in their first semester and another in the following semester. SPSF students must choose courses offered in English below. If a student earns more than the required credits for Studies in Christian Humanism Courses, they will be regarded as General Studies Elective Courses.

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GSCH0280	Autumn	STUDIES IN CHRISTIAN HUMANISM: PHILOSOPHY OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND HUMAN DIGNITY	2	Tue, 5
GSCH0331	Autumn	STUDIES IN CHRISTIAN HUMANISM: BIBLICAL FOUNDATIONS AND CONTEMPORARY APPLICATIONS	2	Tue, 5
GSCH0040	Spring	STUDIES IN CHRISTIAN HUMANISM: PHILOSOPHY OF THE HUMAN PERSON	2	Tue, 5
GSCH0330	Spring	STUDIES IN CHRISTIAN HUMANISM: BIBLICAL FOUNDATIONS AND CONTEMPORARY APPLICATIONS	2	Tue, 5

Students should register for these courses during the **lottery registration period**.

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## Advanced General Education Courses

Students must take SPSF Common Core (Theme-based) “Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (2cr)” as “Advanced General Education Course”.

## All Students

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-  General Studies SPSF Common Core (Theme-Based)
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## General Studies SPSF Common Core (Theme-Based)

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All SPSF students must take two courses in the category SPSF Common Core (Theme-based), “First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures(4 cr)” and “Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures(2cr)”.

The first year theme-based course “First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures” will be given in a lecture format by professors from the six departments in the first semester. Students will see how the topics relating to their own disciplines inter-connect with each other when put together around the theme of “sustainability.”

In their fifth semester of the third year, after they acquired knowledge through courses of their own major and other majors, they take another theme-based course, “Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures,” where students will bring in knowledge and perspectives they obtained in their own major and share them with students of other majors.

Please note that the course “Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures” is offered to SPSF students as “Advanced General Education Course” which is a part of general requirements for all undergraduate students at Sophia University.

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### **General Studies SPSF Common Core (Theme-Based)**

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Registration CD	Semester offered	Course title	Cr.	Day & Time
GSSS1010	Autumn	FIRST YEAR LECTURE IN/ABOUT SUSTAINABLE FUTURES	4	Tue, 2-3
GSSS3010	Autumn	THIRD YEAR SEMINAR FOR SUSTAINABLE FUTURES	2	Mon,2

## General Studies Elective Courses

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All SPSF students must take 12 credits (14 credits for those who entered before 2022) from the courses listed in the University-wide General Studies course, "Zengaku kyotsu kamoku," as GS Electives. These courses must be courses taught in English.

- GS Elective courses taught in Japanese cannot be counted as GS Elective requirements.
- Students who wish to take GS Elective courses offered in Japanese (the course numbering with “j”) must consult the Center for Academic Affairs during the registration period.
- Only up to 8 credits are approved for courses from Language Programs.(\*)
- First-year Students may take up to 4 credits of General Studies Elective Courses each semester. For details regarding Language courses, see, “LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)”

 \*No more than 24 credits of Courses taught in Japanese in total.

### Course List

- Remarks: [ ] =Lottery Courses. Number in brackets is the capacity.  
Instructor's name with\*=adjunct instructor

## General Studies Elective Courses

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- GS Elective courses taught in Japanese cannot be counted as GS Elective requirements.
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GSS20400	Autumn	CULTURAL REVITALIZATION AND COMMUNITY BUILDING	2	MIZUTANI Yuka	[50]
GSP20450	Autumn	COMPARATIVE CULTURAL STUDIES (DISCOVERING RUSSIAN CULTURE)	2	LATYSHEVA Svetlana	[150]
GSS20810	Autumn	POSTCOLONIALISM AND ETHNIC IN/EXCLUSION IN SPAIN, LATIN AMERICA, AND LATINO/A/X COMMUNITIES IN THE UNITED STATES	2	SALZMAN Megan	
GSD20340	Autumn	PROGRAMMING IN DATA SCIENCE AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE	2	KOBAYASHI Hirotaka	[60]※1
GSD20350	Autumn	FUNDAMENTALS OF DATA SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING	2	KAWATANI Gen	[156]※2
GSS20160	Autumn	JAPANESE POP CULTURE	2	NEVES Mauro	[100]
GSB20031	Autumn	EXPERIENCING THE MIRACLE OF LIFE	2	MANZON Maria	[100]
GSS20700	Autumn	GLOBAL MEDIA AND JAPAN	2	WONKYUNG Rhee	[60]
GSP20970	Autumn	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION - OVERVIEW AND MANAGEMENT METHOD OF JAPAN'S INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION -	2	UMEMIYA Naoki	[140]
GSP20390	Autumn	INTRODUCTION TO ENGLISH LINGUISTICS	2	IZUMI Shinichi	[100]
GSP20630	Autumn	INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY	2	KOMAI Shoji*	[100]
GSC20060	Autumn	RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FAITH AND REASON	2	LUHATA Lokadi	[100]
GSS20401	Spring	CULTURAL REVITALIZATION AND COMMUNITY BUILDING	2	MIZUTANI Yuka	[50]
GSD20360	Spring	FUNDAMENTALS OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE	2	GONSALVES Tad	[66]※2
GSS20340	Spring	INTERNATIONAL POLITICS AND PEACEBUILDING 1	2	HIGASHI Daisaku	[50]
GSS20360	Spring	INTRODUCTION TO CONFLICTS AND HUMAN SECURITY	2	HIGASHI Daisaku	[130]
GSS20660	Spring	DEBATE ON PEACEBUILDING	2	HIGASHI Daisaku	[60]
GSP21720	Spring	EASTERN EUROPE SINCE THE END OF THE COLD WAR	2	KANDILAROV Evgeniy Gerchev	
GSP21700	Spring	GENERAL TOPICS OF MODERN PHYSICS	2	PAULO Limão-Vieira	[150]
GSS20610	Not Offered	GENDER EQUALITY, INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION, UN, GLOBAL COMMUNITIES AND JAPAN	2		[10]
GSS20730	Not Offered	CELEBRATION OF LIFE: AFRICAN EXPERIENCE	2		[100]
GSS20720	Not Offered	AFRICAN HISTORY THROUGH INFLUENTIAL PERSONS	2		[100]
GSP21690	Not Offered	INTRODUCTION TO EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT	2		[110]

\*1 Prerequisite: "Overview of Data Science (General Studies Compulsory course for students who entered in or after 2022)." It is recommended that students have taken "Fundamentals of Data Science and Engineering" and "Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence".

\*2 Prerequisite: "Overview of Data Science (General Studies Compulsory course for students who entered in or after 2022)".

Students should register for lottery courses during the **lottery registration period**.

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## SAIMS Program Courses

The Sophia AIMS Program (SAIMS) is a trans-disciplinary program focusing on “Human Development”, and its main theme is “Human Ecology: Diversity and Connectivity of Society and Nature”. Students from ASEAN countries and Japan will study together in a program that combines the disciplinary frameworks of natural sciences, social sciences, and humanities. All courses are conducted in English (TOEFL iBT79



or its equivalent level is required.)

The SAIMS program participants are strongly recommended to take at least one of these courses before or after studying abroad under the SAIMS program.

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Registration CD	Semester offered	Course title	Cr.	Instructor	Remarks
GSS20500	Not Offered	CONSERVATION	2		[100]
GSS20501	Not Offered	CONSERVATION	2		[100]
GSS20510	Not Offered	ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	2		[100]
GSS20511	Not Offered	ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	2		[100]
GSS20520	Not Offered	SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT	2		[100]
GSS20521	Not Offered	SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT	2		[100]

※: Faculty of Economics-SPSF students can include these courses into their Departmental Specialized Education.

Social Engagement Program and Internship courses in which the language of instruction is more than one language (numbered with an “m”) are also countable as GS electives toward graduation requirements.

 Related to 24 credit limit. For detail, please see For all SPSF Students section.

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### ■ Social Engagement Program, Internship Course

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Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor

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GSEN2510	Autumn	LEARNING FROM SOUTHEAST ASIA (SHORT-TERM PROGRAM) B	2	TBA	Intensive Course	m
GSSN2000	Autumn	JAPAN-AUSTRALIA STUDENT SUMMIT PROGRAM	2	TBA	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2050	Autumn	UNITED NATIONS: ROLE & FUNCTIONS (INTENSIVE COURSE AT THE UN HEADQUARTERS IN N.Y)	2	KONDO Tetsuo*	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2171	Autumn	GLOBAL INTERNSHIPS (SHORT-TERM)	2	Co.) ANNO Tadashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2550	Autumn	DIVERSE COMMUNITIES IN JAPAN	2	Co.) DEGUCHI Makiko	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2490	Autumn	INTRO. TO THE HISTORY & CONTEMPORARY SOCIETY OF AFRICA B	2	OHIRA Wakiko	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2530	Autumn	JWL STUDY TOUR	2	WONKYUNG Rhee	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2500	Spring	LEARNING FROM SOUTHEAST ASIA (SHORT-TERM PROGRAM) A	2	ANNO Tadashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2020	Spring	GLP GLOBAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM	2	UMEMIYA Naoki, MIYAZAKI Sachie*	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2390	Spring	STUDY VISIT TO THE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN GENEVA	2	KONDO Tetsuo*	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2170	Spring	GLOBAL INTERNSHIPS (SHORT-TERM)	2	Co.) ANNO Tadashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2350	Spring	ESTONIA STUDY TOUR FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION	2	MARUYAMA Hideki	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2360	Spring	SOCIO-ECONOMIC AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT STUDY OF INDIA: CASE STUDY OF KERALA MODEL	2	PUTHENKALAM John Joseph	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2560	Spring	"THE WORLD IS MY CAMPUS" -EXPERIENCING AMERICAN POLITICS, ECONOMY AND MEDIA-	2	ANNO Tadashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2570	Spring	LEARNING ETHNOGRAPHIC FIELDWORK IN INDONESIA AND TIMOR-LESTE	2	FUKUTAKE Shintaro	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2580	Spring	FIELDWORK ON 'JAPAN' IN ASIA	2	KWON Hyangsuk, WONKYUNG Rhee	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2460	Spring	LEADERSHIP FOR A MULTICULTURAL SOCIETY	2	WONKYUNG Rhee	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2480	Spring	INTRO. TO THE HISTORY & CONTEMPORARY SOCIETY OF AFRICA A	2	OHIRA Wakiko	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2520	Spring	UD TRUCKS INTERNSHIP PROGRAM -A DOOR TO A WORLD LEADER IN SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORT SOLUTIONS	2	Co.) SUZUKI Takashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN2540	Spring	AJCU-AP SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAM	2	FIRMANSYAH Antonius	Intensive Course	m

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## **Summer Session in East Asian Studies**

Students may take Summer Session in East Asian Studies courses offered by the Center for Global Education and Discovery. Summer Session courses are not counted into maximum credit limits per semester or year. More information on registration procedures and programs will be posted on My Sophia in April 2025.


## Advanced General Education Courses

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### <Students who entered in or after 2022>

SPSF students who entered in or after 2022 must take 2 credits from the courses listed in the Advanced General Education Courses taught in English as GS Compulsory Electives from their fifth semester. Students who wish to take Advanced General Education courses offered in Japanese (the course numbering with “j”) must consult the Center for Academic Affairs during the registration semester.

- Advanced General Education courses taught in Japanese cannot be counted as GS Compulsory Elective / GS Elective requirements.\*

 \*No more than 24 credits of Courses taught in Japanese in total.

### <Students who entered before 2022>

SPSF students who entered before 2022 can take courses listed in the Advanced General Education Courses taught in English as GS Electives from their fifth semester.

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Registration CD	Semester offered	Course title	Cr.	Instructor	Remarks
GSS30462	Autumn	IMAGINED AFRICA AND BEYOND	2	OHIRA Wakiko	[120]
GSP30060	Autumn	UNDERSTANDING PICTUREBOOKS	2	CHEETHAM Dominic	[100]
GSS30380	Autumn	INVITATION TO GLOBAL ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES	2	Co.) NAKAGAWA Yoshinori	[120]
GSS30220	Autumn	FOREIGN AND SECURITY POLICY OF JAPAN	2	TOKUCHI Hideshi*	[100]
GST30020	Spring	NEGOTIATION WORKSHOP	2	MORISHITA/TREHEARNE	[60]
GSS30461	Spring	IMAGINED AFRICA AND BEYOND	2	OHIRA Wakiko	[120]
GSP30110	Spring	KEY GLOBAL ECONOMIES	2	Co) MONFORT Brieuc	[100]
GSE30090	Spring	TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION - CAREER DEVELOPMENT -	2	Co) KONDO Jiro/ Others	Intensive Course
GSP30200	Not Offered	THE RACIAL HISTORY OF TRANSPACIFIC LITERATURE	2		[100]
GSS30340	Not Offered	INTEGRAL ECOLOGY AND CHALLENGES OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION IN AFRICA	2		[100]
GSC30130	Not Offered	FAITH AND REASON: THE NATURE AND DESTINY OF THE HUMAN PERSON	2		[100]
GSC30140	Not Offered	FREEDOM AND LEADERSHIP: IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY FOR LIFE	2		[100]

Students should register for these courses during the **lottery registration period**.

If a student earns more than the required credits for Advanced General Education Courses, they will be regarded as General Studies Elective Courses.

Students should register for these courses during the **lottery registration period**. For details, see the page relevant to Lottery registration.

## Internship Course



Information icon: Internship courses in which the language of instruction is more than one language (numbered with an “m”) are also be countable as GS electives toward graduation requirements.

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Registration CD	Semester offered	Course title	Cr.	Instructor	Remarks	Language of Instruction
GSEN3150	Autumn	GLOBAL INTERNSHIPS (LONG-TERM)	6	Co.) ANNO Tadashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN3181	Autumn	GLOBAL INTERNSHIPS FOR SENIOR/JUNIOR (SHORT-TERM)	2	Co.) ANNO Tadashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN3540	Autumn	SOPHIA GED GLOBAL INTERNSHIP	6	ATARASHI Erika	Intensive Course	m
GSEN3151	Spring	GLOBAL INTERNSHIPS (LONG-TERM)	6	Co.) ANNO Tadashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN3530	Spring	UD TRUCKS INTERNSHIP PROGRAM -A DOOR TO A WORLD LEADER IN SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORT SOLUTIONS	2	Co.) SUZUKI Takashi	Intensive Course	m
GSEN3180	Spring	GLOBAL INTERNSHIPS FOR SENIOR/JUNIOR (SHORT-TERM)	2	Co.) ANNO Tadashi	Intensive Course	m

Notes on Internship Courses:




- Pre-screening will be conducted for all Internship courses.
- Internship courses; “Long-Term Internships”, “Sophia GED Global Internship” course are held during regular class weeks. Therefore, students who participate in these courses are required to adjust their course schedule not to overlap.
- Contact the Center for Global Education and Discovery (Bldg. No.2, 1F) for details regarding internship courses.

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# Language

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## LANGUAGE (SPSF COMMON CORE-ACADEMIC SKILLS)

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SPSF Common Core-Academic Skills consists of four courses: Academic Writing 1, Academic Writing 2, Academic Presentations and Critical Thinking & Discussion. These are offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) located on the 5th Floor in Building 6. All SPSF students are required to take these courses.

### LANGUAGE (SPSF COMMON CORE-ACADEMIC SKILLS) ▶

 COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

 REGISTRATION RULES



## **COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

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### **ACADEMIC WRITING 1 (AW1)**

In this course, students will develop their academic writing skills using a four skills integrated approach to well-equip them to write essays and research papers for undergraduate classes in English. The course will take a task-based, learning through doing approach to writing, starting from finding and evaluating academic sources and developing research questions, through to editing and discussing written work in seminar-style classes. Students will write about topics related to modern society in Japan which interest them. Classes will consist of input on academic writing skills from the teacher, in-class writing exercises and practice, teacher and peer feedback on students' written work, and presentation and discussion of students' assignments.

### **ACADEMIC WRITING 2 (AW2)**

This course will build on and further develop the academic writing skills learned in Academic Writing 1. Students will undertake a research project involving some original research which culminates in a research paper. This project will also require students to draw from more academic sources and have a focus on critique as well as summary or description. They will also have greater freedom to choose topics related to their own studies or interests.

### **ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS**

In this course, students will build their confidence in speaking in front of others and develop key presentation skills. Students will begin to develop their skills by making presentations on their own personal and academic interests. As the semester progresses, students will develop more advanced academic presentation skills by giving poster presentations, and by giving presentations at a mock academic conference on the theme of Japanese society, for which students can utilize their research from Academic Writing 1. As well as input from the teacher there will be extensive practice of presentation skills and active observation of other students' presentations.

### **CRITICAL THINKING & DISCUSSION**

In this course, students will develop the critical thinking skills they need to perform well academically as undergraduates and beyond. They will learn key terms and concepts in critical thinking and practice applying those by closely examining a variety of texts on which they will write short summaries or reactions. Through this process, students will also reflect on their own thinking processes and skills. Most in-class work will be based around discussions of the various texts and topics, with input and

guidance from the teacher on academic discussion skills. Students will also learn how to demonstrate their critical thinking skills in these discussions.

## REGISTRATION RULES

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### ACADEMIC WRITING 1 (AW1) / ACADEMIC WRITING 2 (AW2)

- ACADEMIC WRITING must be taken in the following sequence:

ACADEMIC WRITING 1 (Autumn) → ACADEMIC WRITING 2 (Spring)



\* Students cannot register for the next course if they have not completed the previous course. (If students have not completed AW1, they cannot register for AW2. If they are not able to fulfill the course requirements, they will re-register for AW1 in the following Autumn semester.)



\* Students cannot register for the same course which they have already completed.

- Students must take all courses and gain 4 credits. (2 credits / course)
- ACADEMIC WRITING is counted as an SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills) course.
- No withdrawals are allowed for these courses.
- Students should register for these courses during the registration period. Students are required to take designated classes, which will be announced on the My Sophia Bulletin Board at 3 pm on September 24 for ACADEMIC WRITING 1 and at 3 pm on April 7 for ACADEMIC WRITING 2.

### ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS (Autumn)

- ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS is counted as an SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills) course.
- No withdrawals are allowed for these courses.
- Students should register for these courses during the registration period. Students are required to take designated classes, which will be announced on the My Sophia Bulletin Board at 3 pm on September 24.
- Students can register for ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS and CRITICAL THINKING & DISCUSSION in the order that they wish.

### CRITICAL THINKING & DISCUSSION (Spring)

- CRITICAL THINKING & DISCUSSION is counted as an SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills) course for the students who entered in and before 2021.
- For the students who entered in and after 2022, CRITICAL THINKING & DISCUSSION is counted as a GS Compulsory Course (The Art of Thinking and Express).
- No withdrawals are allowed for these courses.
- Students should register for these courses during the registration period. Students are required to take designated classes, which will be announced on My Sophia, From University, "LANGUAGE / LLC" at 3 pm on April 7.
- Students can register for ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS and CRITICAL THINKING & DISCUSSION in the order that they wish.

As for the attendance rules, see "LANGUAGES"> "ATTENDANCE POLICY FOR LANGUAGE COURSES".  
For any detail of designated classes, please check My Sophia, From University, "LANGUAGE / LLC", at the beginning of each semester. The announcement will be done by April 7 (Fri) in the Spring semester and


by September 24 (Wed) in the Autumn semester. This is also the case with repeaters (i.e. those students who have been absent from any semester and have studied abroad).

## LANGUAGES (FOREIGN LANGUAGES)

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### LANGUAGES (FOREIGN LANGUAGES) ▶

 FOREIGN LANGUAGES

 (A NOTE TO JOURNALISM STUDENTS ONLY) LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT FOR GRADUATION

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## **FOREIGN LANGUAGES**

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Language courses are offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) located on the 5th Floor in Building 6. English being the medium of instruction for SPSF students, students are reminded that English does not fall into the category of foreign languages.

Within SPSF, there are different rules and registration procedures for foreign languages between Department of Journalism and others. Also, the SPSF students are strongly encouraged to take Language Courses counted as “Courses taught in English” such as Chinese, French, Spanish or Japanese by CLER. Students should check carefully the contents "LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT FOR GRADUATION" of their own category and "IMPORTANT RULES FOR LANGUAGE COURSES".

## **(A NOTE TO JOURNALISM STUDENTS ONLY) LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT FOR GRADUATION**

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First of all, Journalism students must choose a language in order to fulfill the language requirement of Specialized Education (SE), Compulsory Elective courses. Students must earn 8 credits in ONE language selected from the Language Courses counted as “Courses taught in English” such as Chinese, French, Spanish or Japanese by CLER.

When students have chosen the language to fulfill their language requirement, they will need to register the language on Loyola. Please refer to pages on the “Registration for fulfilling language requirements” in “Course Registration Quick Navi for 2025”.

If the language students selected is a lottery course, students will be able to apply for lottery entry after completing the “Registration for fulfilling language requirements”. To take lottery courses, students must apply for the courses during the Lottery entry of each semester.

In principle, no withdrawals are allowed for language courses taken to fulfill the 8-credit language requirement. Once students withdraw from such a course, they will not be allowed to choose that language to fulfill the language requirement. Withdrawal is allowed for language taken under the category of GS or SE Electives.

Students taking Chinese, French or Spanish starting at a higher level may take advanced level courses repeatedly to fulfill the 8-credit language requirement, as long as the advanced level courses are taught by different teachers. However, ADVANCED [INTEGRATED SKILLS] A to D cannot be taken more than once. Students who choose a language they have studied previously and have been placed at an advanced level may encounter difficulties in completing the required 8 credits in one language.

For students wishing to take language courses exceeding the 8-credit language requirement in the category of Specialized Education (SE), Compulsory Elective courses, up to 8 credits from language courses can be included in their graduation requirements as Elective courses that fall under the category of General Studies courses (GS).

Journalism students can also include language courses into their Elective courses in Specialized Education courses (SE). Please check the chart "Language Requirement for Journalism Students" below for details.

Be sure to see the “(For all the SPSF students) Important rules for language courses”.

Language Requirement for Journalism Students

Category	Required Credits	Maximum Credits	Language Courses Counted as "Courses taught in English"				Language Courses Counted as "Courses taught in Japanese"																
			Chinese	French	Spanish	Japanese	German	Italian	Korean	Russian	Portuguese	Latin	Indonesian	Tagalog	Arabic	Thai	Persian	Cambodian	Burmese	Turkish	Vietnamese	Hindi	Swahili
GS	Electives	1	8	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SE	Compulsory Electives	8	8	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Electives	1	8	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



## (FOR ALL THE SPSF STUDENTS EXCEPT FOR JOURNALISM STUDENTS) LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT FOR GRADUATION

For students wishing to take Japanese or any other language courses, up to 8 credits from language courses can be included in their graduation requirements as Elective courses in General Studies (GS). For departments that allow students to include language courses into their Elective courses in Specialized Education (SE), Japanese or other language courses can be also included into their SE up to the number of credits stipulated by the departments. Please check the chart "Language Courses for SPSF Students" below for details. SPSF Students are recommended to take language courses counted as "Courses taught in English".

Language Courses for SPSF Students

Department	Category		Maximum Credits	Language Courses Counted as "Courses taught in English"				Language Courses Counted as "Courses taught in Japanese"																
				Chinese	French	Spanish	Japanese	German	Italian	Korean	Russian	Portuguese	Latin	Indonesian	Tagalog	Arabic	Thai	Persian	Cambodian	Burmese	Turkish	Vietnamese	Hindi	Swahili
Education	GS	Electives	8	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
	SE	Electives	8	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
Sociology	GS	Electives	8	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
	SE	Electives	8	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
Economics	GS	Electives	8	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
	SE	Electives	4	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
Management	GS	Electives	8	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
	SE	Electives	4	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
Global Studies	GS	Electives	8	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
	SE	Electives	26	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○

## (FOR ALL THE SPSF STUDENTS) IMPORTANT RULES FOR LANGUAGE COURSES

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“First foreign language” refers to a language other than English and Japanese that students study at the university for the first time. Thus, when students have either studied or used the particular language prior to the enrollment of the course and their proficiency in the language exceeds the course goals and learning objectives, students will not be able to register for the course. If students register without permission for a course which does not match their ability, the registration will be terminated even during the semester.

Under the following circumstances listed below, students who wish to register for a particular language course must apply for the “Placement Test” (refer to the page “PLACEMENT AT HIGHER LEVEL”) in order to be placed into a course appropriate to their proficiency. The “Placement Test” will be held at the beginning of each semester. Students who fail to take the test will not be able to register for the language course during that particular semester. For information on language courses that do not hold the “Placement Test” (Russian, Portuguese, Asian and African Languages), be sure to check the information posted on the My Sophia, From University, “Language/ LLC” before the course registration period of each semester.




This applies to students who have:

- studied the language before enrolling in university
  - a family member who is a speaker of the language, and they are exposed to the language on a daily basis
  - either lived or studied in a place where the language is used
  - have experience of using the language for reasons not stated above
- Students are allowed to take up to 2 credits per language each semester. This limitation does not apply to advanced courses, optional courses, Short-term Language Programs during spring/summer vacation and Japanese offered by the CLER.
  - The chosen language must be taken in the correct sequence. (Russian, Portuguese, Latin, Asian and African Languages courses start from the spring semester.)
  - In principle, language courses cannot be taken repeatedly unless otherwise mentioned. Chinese, French, Spanish, German, Italian and Korean 1 credit advanced courses (上級科目ADVANCED A to H or A to O) can be taken repeatedly as long as the courses are taught by different teachers. However, ADVANCED [INTEGRATED SKILLS] cannot be taken more than once. This rule applies to the students who are placed in higher level courses.
  - When students take advanced courses, they can start from any advanced courses except for Japanese.
  - For lottery courses, lottery entry is available only for journalism students taking language courses as the Specialized Education (SE), Compulsory Elective courses. All the SPSF students who wish to study a language course as GS or SE Electives, may register for any available courses from the lottery registration period (first-come-first-served basis). For details, please refer to the page Academic Services>5.Course Registration >"5-1. Course Registration for Undergraduate Students" about course registration procedure and schedule.
  - As the number of “Advanced” courses is limited, students who wish to take courses at this level may experience conflicts in their class schedule, which may prevent them from earning enough credits necessary for graduation. Be sure to plan which courses you are going to take, referring to the chart in the Bulletin that shows the required number of credits for graduation.

## COURSE REGISTRATION FOR CHINESE, FRENCH, and SPANISH

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- For basic and intermediate courses, students should take courses offered for SPSF students and should not take courses offered for students in other departments. Advanced courses are offered for students of all faculties.
- For French and Spanish, students have the option of taking 1 credit advanced courses (上級科目ADVANCED A to H or A to O) in addition to ADVANCED [INTEGRATED SKILLS] A to D. Please refer to the pages on the *Gogaku Kamoku*(語学科目) in “2025 Academic Handbook (2025年度履修要覧 (学部科目編) /2025 *Rishū Yōran*)” for more information.

 As for Chinese, only 1 credit advanced courses (上級科目 ADVANCED A to H) are offered.

## COURSE REGISTRATION FOR JAPANESE LANGUAGE COURSES

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Students who wish to register for Japanese language courses should take the “Japanese Placement Test” (JPT) offered by the CLER. Students will be assigned to the appropriate level and course according to the results of the test. Please note if students fail to take the test, they cannot take the Japanese course this semester.



Students who have taken the JPT or any Japanese Language Courses at Sophia University before cannot take the JPT again. In these cases, register for the designated course on Loyola.

Students who have never studied Japanese do not need to take the placement test. Instead of taking the JPT, submit the application for JPN111 (JAPANESE 1) to the CLER office by the deadline. Students will be assigned to one of the sections of JPN111. If students fail to register for it, they cannot take the Japanese course in the relevant semester.



\*Students who fall into one of the following cases and wish to take JPN111 this semester should also submit the application again to be assigned to one of the classes.

- students who submitted the application for JPN111 (JAPANESE 1) to the CLER office in or before the previous semester but did not register for the designated class
- students who registered for JPN111 but withdrew from the course
- students who failed JPN111

For details regarding the Japanese language program and course registration for Japanese, please refer to “Japanese Language Program” brochure issued by CLER. Also check My Sophia, From University “Language / LLC” for information.

## COURSE REGISTRATION FOR OTHER LANGUAGES

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Please refer to the pages on the *Gogaku Kamoku*(語学科目) in “2025 Academic Handbook (2025年度履修要覧〔学部科目編〕 /2025 *Rishū Yōran*)” for more information.

Most German, Italian and Korean language courses are lottery courses. If students wish to register for the lottery courses as Elective courses, they can register for the course from the lottery registration period (first-come-first-served basis). The registration period and block which students can register for will differ, according to the students' year and their category. For details, please refer to the pages on the *Gogaku Kamoku*(語学科目) in “2025 Academic Handbook (2025年度履修要覧〔学部科目編〕 /2025 *Rishū Yōran*)”.

## PLACEMENT AT HIGHER LANGUAGE LEVEL

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### Chinese, French, Spanish German, Italian, Korean

Students who have previously studied or used the language of the course they are registering for must take the Placement Test. If they have studied the language in a Short-term Language Program during spring/summer vacation and wish to take a language course at a higher level, they must also take the Placement Test.

As the number of “Advanced” courses is limited, students who wish to take courses at this level may experience conflicts in their class schedule, which may prevent them from earning enough credits necessary for graduation. Students should make sure to confirm the language credits necessary for graduation and plan accordingly.

#### Take the Placement Test

- The Placement Test will be conducted at the beginning of each semester. Students must take a course at the level they were placed in as a result of the test.
- The information for the Placement Test will be posted on My Sophia, From University “Language / LLC” before the course registration period of each semester.
- How the test will be conducted will differ depending on the language the students take.
- Once students are placed in a level after the test, they are not able to change the level. Also, students may not take the Placement Test with the purpose of being placed in a level lower than the current level.

### Russian, Portuguese, Latin, Asian and African Languages

Students who have studied or used the language prior to enrollment must refer to the information posted on My Sophia, From University “Language / LLC” before the course registration period of each semester. With permission from the instructor in charge of the course, students may enroll in an intermediate level course. Students who have obtained permission to take intermediate level course must visit the Center for Academic Affairs during the course registration period. The number of courses offered for some languages in the intermediate levels may not amount to the required number of credits for graduation, so students should make sure to check the corresponding language section for information on the number of credits offered. If students’ proficiency in the language exceeds the course goals and learning objectives, students will not be able to register for the course.

## OPTIONAL COURSES

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<Culture Courses (文化), Language and Culture courses (ことばと文化) , Seminar courses (演習) and Kentei Taisaku course(検定対策)>

- Optional Courses for Chinese, French, Spanish, German, Italian and Korean can be counted as GS Electives up to 8 credits. For departments which allow students to include language courses into their SE Electives, students can include optional courses into their SE Electives up to the number of credits stipulated by the departments. If students wish to register for the optional courses with language level restrictions, students are required to take a placement test at the beginning of the semester.
- For more information, please refer to the pages on the *Gogaku Kamoku*(語学科目) in “2025 Academic Handbook (2025年度履修要覧 (学部科目編))”.

# COURSE LIST

## LANGUAGE COURSES (Except Japanese) OFFERED BY THE CENTER FOR LANGUAGE EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

Registration CD	Course CD	Course Title	Cr.	Semester Offered	Instructor	Student Year	Numbering	Remarks
ACHN1011	CHN101	BASIC CHINESE 1	2	SPR	ZHANG Tong/CHAN Kin Shing*	1-2-3-4	CHN180-01m00	[26]
ACHN1012	CHN101	BASIC CHINESE 1	2	AUT	ZHANG Tong/CHAN Kin Shing*	1-2-3-4	CHN180-01m00	[26]
ACHN1021	CHN102	BASIC CHINESE 2	2	SPR	HUANG Wanting/LIAN Hong*	1-2-3-4	CHN190-01m00	[26]
ACHN1022	CHN102	BASIC CHINESE 2	2	AUT	HUANG Wanting/LIAN Hong*	1-2-3-4	CHN190-01m00	[26]
ACHN1031	CHN103	INTERMEDIATE CHINESE 1	2	SPR	CHAN Kin Shing*/ZHOU Feng*	1-2-3-4	CHN280-01m00	[26]
ACHN1032	CHN103	INTERMEDIATE CHINESE 1	2	AUT	CHAN Kin Shing*/ZHOU Feng*	1-2-3-4	CHN280-01m00	[26]
ACHN1041	CHN104	INTERMEDIATE CHINESE 2	2	SPR	ZHOU Feng*/CHAN Kin Shing*	1-2-3-4	CHN290-01m00	[26]
ACHN1042	CHN104	INTERMEDIATE CHINESE 2	2	AUT	ZHOU Feng*/CHAN Kin Shing*	1-2-3-4	CHN290-01m00	[26]
LCHN3030	850760	ADVANCED CHINESE A	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	CHN301-01m00	①
LCHN3040	850761	ADVANCED CHINESE B	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	CHN302-01m00	①
LCHN3050	850762	ADVANCED CHINESE C	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	CHN303-01m00	①
LCHN3060	850763	ADVANCED CHINESE D	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	CHN304-01m00	①
LCHN3070	850764	ADVANCED CHINESE E	1	SPR	HUANG Wanting	1-2-3-4	CHN305-01m00	①
LCHN3080	850765	ADVANCED CHINESE F	1	AUT	HUANG Wanting	1-2-3-4	CHN306-01m00	①
LCHN3090	850766	ADVANCED CHINESE G	1	SPR	ZHANG Tong	1-2-3-4	CHN307-01m00	①
LCHN3100	850767	ADVANCED CHINESE H	1	AUT	ZHANG Tong	1-2-3-4	CHN308-01m00	①
AFRN1012	FRN101	BASIC FRENCH 1	2	AUT	MAILLEUX Coline/ENARD Marc*	1-2-3-4	FRN180-01m00	[26]
AFRN101B	FRN101	BASIC FRENCH 1	2	SPR	DELMAIRE Gilles*	1-2-3-4	FRN180-01m00	[26]
AFRN1021	FRN102	BASIC FRENCH 2	2	SPR	DELMAIRE Gilles*	1-2-3-4	FRN190-01m00	[26]
AFRN102B	FRN102	BASIC FRENCH 2	2	AUT	MAILLEUX Coline/ENARD Marc*	1-2-3-4	FRN190-01m00	[26]
AFRN1032	FRN103	INTERMEDIATE FRENCH 1	2	AUT	MAILLEUX Gilles*	1-2-3-4	FRN280-01m00	[26]
AFRN103B	FRN103	INTERMEDIATE FRENCH 1	2	SPR	MAILLEUX Coline/ENARD Marc*	1-2-3-4	FRN280-01m00	[26]
AFRN1041	FRN104	INTERMEDIATE FRENCH 2	2	SPR	MAILLEUX Coline/ENARD Marc*	1-2-3-4	FRN290-01m00	[26]
AFRN104B	FRN104	INTERMEDIATE FRENCH 2	2	AUT	DELMAIRE Gilles*	1-2-3-4	FRN290-01m00	[26]
AFRN2210	FRN221	ADVANCED FRENCH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) A-1	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN317-01m00	①
AFRN2220	FRN222	ADVANCED FRENCH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) A-2	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN317-01m00	①
AFRN2230	FRN223	ADVANCED FRENCH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) B-1	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN318-01m00	①
AFRN2240	FRN224	ADVANCED FRENCH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) B-2	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN318-01m00	①
AFRN2250	FRN225	ADVANCED FRENCH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) C-1	1	SPR	SATO Laura*	1-2-3-4	FRN319-01m00	①
AFRN2260	FRN226	ADVANCED FRENCH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) C-2	1	SPR	LE ROUX Brendan*	1-2-3-4	FRN319-01m00	①
AFRN2270	FRN227	ADVANCED FRENCH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) D-1	1	AUT	SATO Laura*	1-2-3-4	FRN320-01m00	①
AFRN2280	FRN228	ADVANCED FRENCH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) D-2	1	AUT	LE ROUX Brendan*	1-2-3-4	FRN320-01m00	①
LFRN3810	850486	ADVANCED FRENCH A	1	AUT	KITAMURA Ayako	1-2-3-4	FRN301-01m00	[26]
LFRN3820	850487	ADVANCED FRENCH B	1	SPR	POUPI Damien*	1-2-3-4	FRN302-01m00	[26]
LFRN3830	850488	ADVANCED FRENCH C	1	AUT	POUPI Damien*	1-2-3-4	FRN303-01m00	[26]
LFRN3840	850489	ADVANCED FRENCH D	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN304-01m00	[26]
LFRN3850	850490	ADVANCED FRENCH E	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN305-01m00	[26]
LFRN3860	850491	ADVANCED FRENCH F	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN306-01m00	[26]

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LFRN3870	850492	ADVANCED FRENCH G	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN307-01m00	[26]
LFRN3880	850493	ADVANCED FRENCH H	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN308-01m00	[26]
LFRN3910	850494	ADVANCED FRENCH I	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN309-01m00	[26]
LFRN3920	850495	ADVANCED FRENCH J	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN310-01m00	[26]
LFRN3930	850496	ADVANCED FRENCH K	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN311-01m00	[26]
LFRN3940	850497	ADVANCED FRENCH L	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	FRN312-01m00	[26]
LFRN3950	850498	ADVANCED FRENCH M	1	SPR	MAILLEUX Coline	1-2-3-4	FRN313-01m00	[26]
LFRN3960	850499	ADVANCED FRENCH N	1	AUT	MAILLEUX Coline	1-2-3-4	FRN314-01m00	[26]
LFRN3970	850500	ADVANCED FRENCH O	1	SPR	KITAMURA Ayako	1-2-3-4	FRN315-01m00	[26]
ASPN1011	SPN101	BASIC SPANISH 1	2	SPR	HIROYASU Yoshimi/GARCÍA Carmen*	1-2-3-4	HSP180-01m00	[26]
ASPN101A	SPN101	BASIC SPANISH 1	2	SPR	QUIROS Ignacio/PÉREZ Federico*	1-2-3-4	HSP180-01m00	[26]
ASPN101B	SPN101	BASIC SPANISH 1	2	AUT	CERRA Pedro*/GARCÍA Carmen*	1-2-3-4	HSP180-01m00	[26]
ASPN1022	SPN102	BASIC SPANISH 2	2	AUT	HIROYASU Yoshimi/GARCÍA Carmen*	1-2-3-4	HSP190-01m00	[26]
ASPN102A	SPN102	BASIC SPANISH 2	2	SPR	PERAL GIGANTE Álvaro*/ALASTRUEY Txabi*	1-2-3-4	HSP190-01m00	[26]
ASPN102B	SPN102	BASIC SPANISH 2	2	AUT	QUIROS Ignacio/PÉREZ Federico*	1-2-3-4	HSP190-01m00	[26]
ASPN1031	SPN103	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH 1	2	SPR	QUIROS Ignacio/DONCEL Salomón*	1-2-3-4	HSP280-01m00	[26]
ASPN103A	SPN103	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH 1	2	AUT	ALASTRUEY Txabi*/PERAL GIGANTE Álvaro*	1-2-3-4	HSP280-01m00	[26]
ASPN1042	SPN104	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH 2	2	AUT	QUIROS Ignacio/GARZÓN Bravo Fran*	1-2-3-4	HSP290-01m00	[26]
ASPN104B	SPN104	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH 2	2	SPR	GARCÍA Carmen*/CERRA Pedro*	1-2-3-4	HSP290-01m00	[26]
ASPN2110	SPN211	ADVANCED SPANISH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) A	2	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	HSP317-01m00	①
ASPN2120	SPN212	ADVANCED SPANISH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) B	2	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	HSP318-01m00	①
ASPN2130	SPN213	ADVANCED SPANISH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) C	2	SPR	PERAL GIGANTE Álvaro*/KREJCOVA Jolana*	1-2-3-4	HSP319-01m00	①
ASPN2140	SPN214	ADVANCED SPANISH (INTEGRATED SKILLS) D	2	AUT	GARZÓN Bravo Fran*/PERAL GIGANTE Álvaro*	1-2-3-4	HSP320-01m00	①
LSPN3410	850569	ADVANCED SPANISH A	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	HSP301-01m00	①
LSPN3420	850570	ADVANCED SPANISH B	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	HSP302-01m00	①
LSPN3430	850571	ADVANCED SPANISH C	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	HSP303-01m00	①
LSPN3440	850572	ADVANCED SPANISH D	1	Not Offered		1-2-3-4	HSP304-01m00	①
LSPN3450	850573	ADVANCED SPANISH E	1	SPR	HIROYASU Yoshimi	1-2-3-4	HSP305-01m00	①
LSPN3460	850574	ADVANCED SPANISH F	1	AUT	HIROYASU Yoshimi	1-2-3-4	HSP306-01m00	①
LSPN3470	850575	ADVANCED SPANISH G	1	SPR	MARTÍNEZ Silvia*	1-2-3-4	HSP307-01m00	①
LSPN3480	850576	ADVANCED SPANISH H	1	AUT	DONCEL Salomón*	1-2-3-4	HSP308-01m00	①

[ ] = Lottery course. Number in brackets is the capacity.

Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor

① = Offered every other year

For descriptions of the courses listed above, please refer to course syllabi on Loyola.



### JAPANESE LANGUAGE PROGRAM (JLP)

The Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) offers multiple tracks and levels of Japanese language courses.

The type of course a student initially enrolls in will depend on his/her language background.

Placement into the JLP will be determined by the "Japanese placement test". Further information about the JLP can be found in the brochure "Japanese Language Program."

#### LANGUAGE COURSES (Japanese) OFFERED BY THE CENTER FOR LANGUAGE EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

Registration CD	Course CD	Course Title	Cr.	Semester Offered	Instructor	Student Year	Numbering	Remarks
※1	JPN111	JAPANESE 1	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN111-01e00	
※1	JPN111	JAPANESE 1	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN111-01e00	
※1	JPN150	JAPANESE M1	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN150-01e00	
※1	JPN150	JAPANESE M1	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN150-01e00	
※1	JPN112	JAPANESE 2	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN112-01e00	
※1	JPN112	JAPANESE 2	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN112-01e00	
※1	JPN200	JAPANESE M2	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN200-01j00	
※1	JPN200	JAPANESE M2	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN200-01j00	
※1	JPN211	JAPANESE 3	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN211-01j00	
※1	JPN211	JAPANESE 3	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN211-01j00	
※1	JPN250	JAPANESE M3	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN250-01j00	
※1	JPN250	JAPANESE M3	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN250-01j00	
※1	JPN212	JAPANESE 4	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN212-01j00	
※1	JPN212	JAPANESE 4	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN212-01j00	
※1	JPN321	ADVANCED JAPANESE 1	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN321-01j00	
※1	JPN321	ADVANCED JAPANESE 1	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN321-01j00	
※1	JPN322	ADVANCED JAPANESE 2	4	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN322-01j00	
※1	JPN322	ADVANCED JAPANESE 2	4	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN322-01j00	
※1	JPN311	BUSINESS JAPANESE 1	2	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN311-01j00	※2
※1	JPN311	BUSINESS JAPANESE 1	2	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN311-01j00	※2
※1	JPN312	BUSINESS JAPANESE 2	2	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN312-01j00	※2
※1	JPN312	BUSINESS JAPANESE 2	2	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN312-01j00	※2
※1	JPN315	BUSINESS JAPANESE (PREPARATION FOR INTERNSHIP)	1	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN315-01j00	※2
※1	JPN180	INTENSIVE JAPANESE 1	8	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN180-01e00	
※1	JPN180	INTENSIVE JAPANESE 1	8	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN180-01e00	
※1	JPN270	INTENSIVE JAPANESE 2	8	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN270-01j00	
※1	JPN270	INTENSIVE JAPANESE 2	8	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN270-01j00	
※1	JPN280	INTENSIVE JAPANESE 3	8	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN280-01j00	
※1	JPN280	INTENSIVE JAPANESE 3	8	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN280-01j00	
※1	JPN370	INTENSIVE JAPANESE 4	8	SPR	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN370-01j00	
※1	JPN370	INTENSIVE JAPANESE 4	8	AUT	STAFF	1-2-3*4	JPN370-01j00	

Registration CD	Course CD	Course Title	Cr.	Semester Offered	Instructor	Student Year	Numbering	Remarks
AJPN341A	JPN341	READING & WRITING 1	2	SPR	NAGASAWA Itsuki	1-2-3*4	JPN341-01j00	
AJPN341I	JPN341	READING & WRITING 1	2	AUT	NAGASAWA Itsuki	1-2-3*4	JPN341-01j00	
AJPN342A	JPN342	READING & WRITING 2	2	SPR	NAGASU Mika	1-2-3*4	JPN342-01j00	
AJPN342I	JPN342	READING & WRITING 2	2	AUT	NAGASU Mika	1-2-3*4	JPN342-01j00	
AJPN343A	JPN343	READING & WRITING 3	2	SPR	TSUKADA Yuko*	1-2-3*4	JPN343-01j00	
AJPN343I	JPN343	READING & WRITING 3	2	AUT	TSUKADA Yuko*	1-2-3*4	JPN343-01j00	
AJPN345A	JPN345	JAPANESE LITERACY	2	SPR	NOGUCHI Kiyoshi	1-2-3*4	JPN345-01j00	
AJPN345I	JPN345	JAPANESE LITERACY	2	AUT	NOGUCHI Kiyoshi	1-2-3*4	JPN345-01j00	
AJPN407I	JPN407	TRANS JPN TO ENG :THEORY&PRAC	4	SPR	SUMIMOTO Tokihisa*	1-2-3*4	JPN407-01j00	
AJPN407I	JPN407	TRANS JPN TO ENG :THEORY&PRAC	4	AUT	SUMIMOTO Tokihisa*	1-2-3*4	JPN407-01j00	
AJPN408I	JPN408	TRANS ENG TO JPN :THEORY&PRAC	4	AUT	KATORI Yoshikazu*	1-2-3*4	JPN408-01j00	
AJPN431A	JPN431	ACADEMIC JAPANESE 1-1	2	SPR	URAWA Chie*	1-2-3*4	JPN431-01j00	
AJPN431B	JPN431	ACADEMIC JAPANESE 1-1	2	SPR	URAWA Chie*	1-2-3*4	JPN431-01j00	
AJPN431C	JPN431	ACADEMIC JAPANESE 1-1	2	SPR	XU Yan*	1-2-3*4	JPN431-01j00	
AJPN432A	JPN432	ACADEMIC JAPANESE 1-2	2	AUT	XU Yan*	1-2-3*4	JPN432-01j00	
AJPN432B	JPN432	ACADEMIC JAPANESE 1-2	2	AUT	URAWA Chie*	1-2-3*4	JPN432-01j00	
AJPN441I	JPN441	ACADEMIC JAPANESE 2-1	2	SPR	SERA Tokiko	1-2-3*4	JPN441-01j00	
AJPN442I	JPN442	ACADEMIC JAPANESE 2-2	2	AUT	SERA Tokiko	1-2-3*4	JPN442-01j00	

Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor

※1: Please check the JPT result and timetable on Loyola.

※2: These courses can only be counted as SE Electives.

For descriptions of the courses listed above, please refer to course syllabi on Loyola.

## ATTENDANCE POLICY FOR LANGUAGE COURSES

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In language courses offered by the CLER, students are required to attend the following number of classes as listed below. Class attendance is essential for students' learning and is considered a minimum condition for gaining credits for the course. A final grade will be considered based on the evaluation criteria stated in the syllabus of each course, only if the number of required attendance has been met. Meeting the attendance requirement does not guarantee passing course units. The number of required attendance is a minimum condition and any absences and/or tardies will affect the students' grade.

Attendance will be counted from the first class meeting. When students attend a class in the first week but decide to withdraw from the course and register for a course with a different registration code, the attendance from the previous course(s) will not be transferred to the newly registered course. The CLER does not allow absences except for the "Special Consideration" cases described below. Therefore, job hunting, any events related to seminar or extracurricular activities, transportation delays and bereavement leaves are not included. Students should attend classes regularly in case of any sudden illness or any reasons other than the "Special Consideration" cases.



For Attendance Policy of Japanese Language Courses, please refer to the "Japanese Language Program" brochure posted on My Sophia, Language/LLC.

### Twice-a-week courses

Total number of class sessions: **28 per semester**

Number of attendance required: At least 23 per semester

### Once-a-week courses

Total number of class sessions: **14 per semester**

Number of attendance required: At least 11 per semester

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## Special Consideration

In any of the following conditions, neither your attendance nor absence will be counted. If applicable, please ask your instructor if you can receive this special treatment.

For up to three weeks, the special treatment will apply. As for the period of absence that goes beyond three weeks, regardless of the reasons you may have, the special treatment will not apply. In addition, if the absence is due to two or more circumstances stated below and exceeds three weeks, special consideration will not cover those additional days. Please ask your instructor about the required number of attendance when the special consideration is granted. If your instructor gives you an assignment to make up for your absence, submission of the assignment becomes the prerequisite for receiving the special consideration. The following apply to the special treatment.

1. A case of illness or injury where you submit a medical certificate indicating the necessary period of sick or injury leave (\*1)
2. When you join the annual Jo-Nan competition and submit an official certificate of participation
3. When you have been officially assigned to be a lay judge (裁判員/Saiban In/) and must assume the duty
4. When you submit a letter that confirms your attendance at teaching practice, volunteer experience study (介護等体験/Kaigotou Taiken/), or museum practice (館務実習/Kanmu Jisshu)

The letter should be written by you, indicating the exact dates of your practice period. Refer to the regulations set by the Center for Teaching and Curator Credentials (教職・学芸員課程センター).

(\*1) If it is impossible to specify periods of sickness or injury leave in your documentation for any reason, you should bring the relevant medical certificate and consult the CLER Office (Floor 5, Bldg. 6) as soon as possible. The deadlines for consultation at the CLER Office: Wednesday, July 23 (Spring Semester) / Wednesday, January 21 (Autumn Semester)

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## Late Arrival

Any students who fail to arrive within the first 30 minutes of a class will be regarded as being absent, even if he/she attends the rest of the class.

## Department of Journalism SPSF Curriculum

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### Education and Research Objectives

To study the social roles, functions and influences of all aspects of journalism and media communication, and investigate a broad range of problems in news reporting and media.

### Human Resource Development Objectives

To produce graduates well-versed in the types of communication required of a fully-fledged member of society, with advanced communicative skills and media literacy.

## Department of Journalism SPSF Curriculum ▶

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## Diploma policy

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The Department of Journalism sets standards for the skills and knowledge students should acquire before graduation as follows. Those who fulfill the graduation requirements shall be deemed to have acquired these qualities and will be awarded a diploma.

1. Accumulation of academic knowledge of the various disciplines of journalism, media communications, information, etc. and the practical skills to engage in research, analysis, critical thinking, structuring and presentation based on such knowledge.
2. The ability to learn from both dimensions of “theory and practice” and to be a leading player in journalism or other fields that deal with media communications and information
3. High-level communication skills and media literacy to live the informatizing modern world

In addition to the above, the SPSF course sets the following abilities which students should acquire before graduation as common requirements across its six departments (Department of Journalism, Department of Education, Department of Sociology, Department of Economics, Department of Management, Department of Global Studies).

4. The ability to learn the basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures,” to understand its importance, and to take action towards resolving challenges to the sustainable futures by drawing upon their academic discipline as well as from the other five disciplines in the SPSF course they learn.
5. The ability to understand and apply the interdisciplinary perspectives and methodologies, learned in their academic discipline and in the other five disciplines of the SPSF course, when addressing issues and presenting their ideas.

## Curriculum policy

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In accordance with the Diploma Policy, the Department of Journalism constructs its curriculum with courses aligned to the following purposes:

1. To have students study the fields of journalism, media communication and information taking a theoretical approach, media-specific approach, international approach, and realistic problem analysis approach.
2. To achieve a “broad education that is biased to neither theory nor practice” by balancing the abovementioned curriculum with a practical approach aimed at improving such expressive skills, verification skills and critical skills
3. To nurture critical perspectives, research and analytical skills, and ethics in small-group education, by enrolling all students in individual seminars taught by full-time faculty members.
4. To require students to compile a thesis under the individual guidance of a full-time faculty member as a culmination of the knowledge, analytical skills and other skills acquired during the four years of enrollment.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course constructs its curriculum in the following manner, for the purpose of achieving the common diploma policy across the six departments:

5. To enable the students during the first year to acquire a basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures” and the relating issues through the SPSF General Studies Courses, drawing on the perspectives of six disciplines. Based on the acquired knowledge, the students will be able to deepen their understanding in various challenges related to the sustainable futures through Elective Courses in the University-wide General Studies Courses, and they will be also able to learn about the approaches, contents, and methodologies of the different disciplines through Specialized Courses offered by each department.
6. To enable students to gradually gain knowledge of the different disciplines of each Department and also acquire a wide range of knowledge through the courses offered by other faculties and departments which have been designated to offer Elective Compulsory Courses or Elective Courses. Thus, the students will be able to acquire the various perspectives, contents, and methodologies, as well as comprehensive approaches from the courses.

## 1. Courses and Minimum Number of Credits Required for Graduation

### 【For students who entered from 2022】

<b>General Studies(Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	-
Compulsory	8 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others, Liberal Arts of the Body: 1 Credit, Critical Thinking & Discussion, Overview of Data Science, Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality: 2 Credits)
Compulsory electives	6 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: 2 Credits, Advanced General Education Courses: 4 Credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures" 2 credits)
Electives	12 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures" 4 credits)
<b>Language</b>	-
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Writing 1&2)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	-
Compulsory	14 credits
Electives	80 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills 2 credits)
<b>Total</b>	124 credits are required for graduation.

### 【For students who entered in 2021】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	-
Compulsory	2 credits (Health and Physical Education: 2 credits)
Compulsory electives	4 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism)
Electives	20 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures", "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)" 6 credits)
<b>Language</b>	-
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Writing 1&2)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	14 credits
Elective	80 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills 4 credits)
<b>Total</b>	124 credits are required for graduation.



## 2. Distribution of Required Credits

Department of Journalism  
 [For students who entered from 2025]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others	1	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2				
			Liberal Arts of the Body: Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality	1	Overview of Data Science	2				
Compulsory Electives	6 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism		Studies in Christian Humanism	2					
		Advanced General Education Courses				Advanced General Education Courses			2	
Electives	12cr	SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)				Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures		2		
		SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)		First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures	4					
- General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester - Language(s) up to 8 cr <sup>※1,2</sup> - Credits earned in excess of 6 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.										

○ Language (4 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2			

○ Specialized Education (34 cr)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	
Compulsory	Compulsory	14 cr	Communication 1	2	Seminar 1 (Media Research)	2	Seminar 2A	1	Seminar 2B	1
			Seminar 2A	1	Seminar 2B	1	Seminar 3A	1	Seminar 3B	1
Compulsory Electives	26 cr	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	2cr	Academic Presentations	2					
		Compulsory Electives		Language(One Language): Course(s) taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, Spanish) Own Department's Compulsory Elective Course(s) - Category A: Minimum 8 cr - Category B: Minimum 4 cr - Category C: Course(s) taught in Japanese: Own Department's Compulsory Elective Course(s): Up to 6 cr - Own Compulsory Elective and Elective course(s) <sup>※1</sup> Up to 12 cr - Other Faculty/Department Course(s) <sup>※1</sup>						8
Electives	SE Electives	32 cr	- Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)" <sup>※1</sup> - General Studies Course(s) taught in English except "Compulsory" and "SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)" Up to 8 cr - Language(s) Course(s) taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, Spanish) <sup>※2</sup>						18	
			※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total. ※2 For details regarding Language courses, see "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSF Language Courses chart.							

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 [For students who entered from 2022 to 2024]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others	1	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2			
			Liberal Arts of the Body: Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality	1	Overview of Data Science	2			
Compulsory Electives	6 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism		Studies in Christian Humanism	2				
		Advanced General Education Courses				Advanced General Education Courses			2
Electives	12cr	SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)				Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures		2	
		SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)		First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures	4				
- General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester - Language(s) up to 8 cr <sup>※1,2</sup> - Credits earned in excess of 6 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.									

○ Language (4 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2			

○ Specialized Education (34 cr)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	
Compulsory	Compulsory	14 cr	Communication 1	2	Seminar 1 (Media Research)	2	Seminar 2A	1	Seminar 2B	1
			Seminar 2A	1	Seminar 2B	1	Seminar 3A	1	Seminar 3B	1
Compulsory Electives	26 cr	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	2cr	Academic Presentations	2					
		Compulsory Electives		Language(One Language): Course(s) taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, Spanish) Own Department's Compulsory Elective Course(s) Course(s) taught in Japanese: Own Department's Compulsory Elective Course(s) only, up to 12 <sup>※1</sup> - Own Compulsory Elective and Elective course(s) <sup>※1</sup> Up to 12 cr - Other Faculty/Department Course(s) <sup>※1</sup>						8
Electives	SE Electives	32 cr	- Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)" <sup>※1</sup> - General Studies Course(s) taught in English except "Compulsory" and "SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)" Up to 8 cr - Language(s) Course(s) taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, Spanish) <sup>※2</sup>						18	
			※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total. ※2 For details regarding Language courses, see "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSF Language Courses chart.							

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**[For students who entered in 2021]**

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

		1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year			
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr	
Compulsory	Compulsory	2	cr	Health and Physical Education	2												
Compulsory Electives	Compulsory Electives	4	cr	Studies in Christian Humanism	4												
Electives	SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)	6	cr	First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures	4				Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)	2							
	Electives	14	cr	General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - Language(s): up to 8 cr※1,3													

○ Language (4 credits)

		1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year			
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr	
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4	cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2										

○ Specialized Education (94 cr)

		1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year									
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	cr							
Compulsory	Compulsory	14	cr	Communication 1	2	Seminar 1 (Media Research)	2	Seminar 2A	1	Seminar 2B	1	Seminar 3A	1	Seminar 3B	1	Seminar 4A	1	Seminar 4B	1	Bachelor's Thesis A	2	Bachelor's Thesis B	2
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4	cr	Academic Presentations	2	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2																
	Compulsory Electives	26	cr	Language(One Language): Course(s) taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, Spanish) Own Department's Compulsory Elective Course(s) Course(s) taught in Japanese: Own Department's Compulsory Elective Course(s) only, up to 12※1																			
Electives	SE Electives	50	cr	- Own Compulsory Elective and Elective course(s)※1,2 Up to 12 cr - Other Faculty/Department Course(s)※1 - Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)"※1 - General Studies Course(s) taught in English except "Compulsory(HPE)" and "SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)" Up to 8 cr - Language(s): Course(s) taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, Spanish)※3																			

※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

※2 No Constraints: "English for Journalism" (course CD: 854804, 854805) are not included in graduation requirements.

※3 For details regarding Language courses, see "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSF Language Courses chart.

### 3. Guidelines for Course Registration

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① For general information for SPSF students, refer to the "For all SPSF students" page.

② For General Studies information, refer to the "General Studies" page.

③ For Language courses information, refer to the "Language" page.

④ Students are required to write their bachelor's thesis in accordance with the guidance of their supervisor.

⑤ Information on Department of Journalism Specialized Education

1. Refer to the "Student Year" column in the Specialized Education Courses for the year in which you can take each course. If the student does not satisfy the "Student Year", the course cannot be taken in other departments or the Department of Journalism.

2. If a student earns more than 26 credits in Compulsory Elective courses, they will be regarded as SE Electives in the Department of Journalism and counted towards graduation requirements.

3. Some SE courses offer the same content in English and Japanese. Students can only take one or the other. For details, refer to the Specialized Education Courses in the remarks.

4. Up to 12 credits of Compulsory Elective courses in the Japanese Track can be applied towards graduation requirements as SE Compulsory Electives.

Note: Students can take a maximum of 24 credits for the courses in the Japanese Track for graduation credits.

5. Up to 12 credits of courses from other departments (excluding language courses) and Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification, with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1、2、3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1、2)" can be applied towards graduation requirements as SE Electives. Students should consult with the instructor in charge of the seminar before selecting courses

6. Up to 12 credits of General Studies, excluding "Compulsory" and "SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)", can be applied towards graduation requirements as SE Electives in the Department of Journalism.

7. As for 5) and 6) above, note that only a total of 12 credits can be applied towards graduation requirements.

8. To enroll in the "GLOBAL MEDIA PROGRAM", students are required to successfully complete "COMMUNICATION 1" first.

9. To enroll in the "GLOBAL MEDIA PROGRAM", students are required to pay the practicum fee.

⑥ Course Numbering

Numbering shown in the list of assigned courses refer to the following. For information about numbering.

Field (alphabets)	Field (English)
JRN	Journalism

## 4. Specialized Education Courses

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses page of the other SPSF departments for Instructors and Remarks.

### Specialized Education Courses of Department of Journalism [For students who entered from 2025 ]

#### Compulsory

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS1010	268801	JRN101-19e00	COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	1	Journalism	SPSF only
HJNS1020	268802	JRN102-19e00	SEMINAR 1 (MEDIA RESEARCH)	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	1	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS2011	268803	JRN203-19e00	SEMINAR 2A	1	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	2	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS2012	268803	JRN203-19e00	SEMINAR 2A	1	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	2	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS2021	268804	JRN204-19e00	SEMINAR 2B	1	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	2	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS2022	268804	JRN204-19e00	SEMINAR 2B	1	SPR	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	2	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS3011	268805	JRN303-19e00	SEMINAR 3A	1	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	3	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS3012	268805	JRN303-19e00	SEMINAR 3A	1	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	3	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS3021	268806	JRN304-19e00	SEMINAR 3B	1	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	3	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS3022	268806	JRN304-19e00	SEMINAR 3B	1	SPR	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	3	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4011	268807	JRN403-19e00	SEMINAR 4A	1	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4012	268807	JRN403-19e00	SEMINAR 4A	1	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4021	268808	JRN404-19e00	SEMINAR 4B	1	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4022	268808	JRN404-19e00	SEMINAR 4B	1	SPR	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4030	268809	GRP403-19e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS A	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4040	268810	GRP404-19e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS B	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only

#### Compulsory Electives

##### [Category A]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS5010	268811	JRN201-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT	*HWANG, Seongbin	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5020	268812	JRN202-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR	*HWANG, Seongbin	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5030	268813	JRN301-19e00	MASS MEDIA 1	2	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	3~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5040	268814	JRN302-19e00	MASS MEDIA 2	2	SPR	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	3~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5050	268815	JRN401-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5060	268816	JRN402-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇

##### [Category B]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS5070	268817	JRN340-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 1	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	[80]
HJNS5080	268818	JRN341-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 2	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	[80]
HJNS5090	268819	JRN342-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 3	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	[80]

##### [Category C]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HEDS1010	147000	EDU235-81e00	INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HSCS1010	289200	SOC101-83e00	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		1~4	Sociology	
HSCS1030	289202	SOC103-83e00	QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR		1~4	Sociology	
HSCS2010	289204	SOC366-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 1	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS2020	289205	SOC367-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 2	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS2030	289203	SOC203-83e00	QUALITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5010	289220	SOC204-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF HAPPINESS	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5020	288893	SOC222-83e00	WORK AND EMPLOYMENT IN JAPAN	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5040	288807	SOC216-83e00	SOCIAL CHANGE IN POSTWAR JAPAN	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HSCS5050	284930	SOC213-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBALIZATION	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5060	289222	SOC206-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF FAMILIES	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5130	289229	SOC350-83e00	ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY	2	Not Offered		3~4	Sociology	
HSCS5140	289227	SOC348-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 1:INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES	2	SPR		3~4	Sociology	
EECS1002	498008	ECN113-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS	2	SPR		1~4	Economics	
EECS1001	498007	ECN112-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		1~4	Economics	
EECS1003	498017	ECN105-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2	SPR		1~4	Economics	
EECS1005	498040	ECN282-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5001	468058	ACC105-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5032	468033	MAN101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5047	468039	MRK101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5037	468052	MAN227-42e00	STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT (INTENSIVE)		2~4	Management	
EMGS5038	468068	MAN345-42e00	CHALLENGING FRONTLINE ISSUES IN GLOBAL BUSINESS	4	Not Offered		3~4	Management	
BGSS1030	BGSS1030	ARS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO AREA STUDIES	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS1010	BGSS1010	GST110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL STUDIES	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS1020	BGSS1020	IRS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3004	BGSS2001	ASA233-21e00	BASICS OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES B	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
LAW60200	338010	POL307-30e00	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		3~4	Law	
APOL3540	POL354	POL354-65e00	GLOBAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	4	AUT		3~4	FLA	
APOL3210	POL321	POL321-65e00	JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	4	Not Offered		3~4	FLA	
APOL3070	POL307	POL307-65e00	POLITICAL ECOLOGY	2	SPR		3~4	FLA	
ARPH3060	RPH306	RPH306-65e00	INTRODUCTION TO ETHICS	4	Not Offered		3~4	FLA	

Instructor: Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor  
Remarks: ◇ = This course cannot be registered by students that have already registered in course with the same content in the Japanese Track.  
Remarks: [ ] = Lottery Courses. Number in brackets is the capacity.

### SE Electives

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS6010	268020	JRN205-19e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL MEDIA	2	AUT	To be determined	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only
HJNS6020	268821	JRN206-19e00	MEDIA ENGLISH	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only
HJNS6030	268822	JRN207-19e00	GLOBAL MEDIA PROGRAM	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only
HEDS1040	147004	EDU206-81e00	CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS1030	147003	EDU203-81e00	EDUCATION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS1020	147002	EDU202-81e00	INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HEDS5010	147021	EDU204-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 1: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION	2	Not Offered		2~4	Education	
HEDS5020	147022	EDU205-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 2: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HEDS5060	147026	EDU242-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 4: GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP, HUMANITY EMPOWERMENT AND CRITICAL MORAL CONSCIOUSNESS	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS5070	147027	EDU244-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 3: EDUCATIONAL POLICY ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY ASIA	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
EECS5020	498015	ECN268-41e00	ASIAN ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5008	402110	ECN210-41e00	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5025	402080	ECN207-41e00	ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCE ECONOMICS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5026	402100	ECN209-41e00	GAME THEORY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5007	467969	ECN252-41e00	GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT GOALS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5001	402060	ECN205-41e00	INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5024	498010	ECN263-41e00	INTERNATIONAL FINANCE	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5004	402120	ECN211-41e00	JAPANESE ECONOMY 1	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5011	498014	ECN270-41e00	POVERTY IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5033	498039	ECN279-41e00	ECONOMICS OF MARKET FAILURES	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5032	498038	ECN270-41e00	ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL SECURITY	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EECS5034	498041	ECN317-41e00	INTERMEDIATE ECONOMETRICS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5035	498042	ECN316-41e00	INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5044	468036	MRK214-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5045	468037	MRK215-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5004	468059	ACC211-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5005	468060	ACC212-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5041	468050	ACC209-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5042	468051	ACC210-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5050	468048	MRK217-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 1	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5051	468049	MRK218-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 2	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5039	468034	ACC213-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 1	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5040	468035	ACC214-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5048	468040	MRK212-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5049	468041	MRK213-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5035	468046	MAN235-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5036	468047	MAN236-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY AND ANALYSIS	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5052	468069	MAN237-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5053	468070	MAN238-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5043	408010	MRK307-42e00	GLOBAL BRANDING	2	AUT		3~4	Management	
EMGS5027	468062	ACC313-42e00	INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING	2	SPR		3~4	Management	
EMGS5033	468044	MAN331-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 1	2	AUT		3~4	Management	
EMGS5034	468045	MAN332-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 2	2	Not Offered		3~4	Management	
EMGS5046	468038	MRK310-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MARKETING	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
BGSS3013	BGS20006	ICP224-21e00	BASICS OF THEORIES OF CIVIL SOCIETY B	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3014	BGS20007	IRS332-21e00	CONFLICT RESOLUTION B	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3015	BGS59000	IRS327-21e00	PEACE RESEARCH	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3007	BGS57900	ASA318-21e00	SOCIETY AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3005	BGS58500	IRS323-21e00	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4004	BGS57508	ASA402-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (CULTURES AND SOCIETIES OF ASIA)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4006	BGS57517	ASA404-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (GLOBAL MIGRATION AND KOREANS IN JAPAN)	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4001	BGS57516	IRS406-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4002	BGS25000	IRS407-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (DEMOCRACY AND CONFLICT)	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3017	BGS20008	AME323-21e00	MODERN HISTORY OF THE MIDDLE EAST B	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3018	BGS20009	ASA325-21e00	GLOBAL HISTORY AND ASIA	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	

Instructor: Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor  
Remarks: [ ] = Lottery Courses. Number in brackets is the capacity.

Specialized Education Courses of Department of Journalism  
 [For students who entered from 2021 to 2024]

Compulsory

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS1010	268801	JRN101-19e00	COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	1	Journalism	SPSF only
HJNS1020	268802	JRN102-19e00	SEMINAR 1 (MEDIA RESEARCH)	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	1	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS2011	268803	JRN203-19e00	SEMINAR 2A	1	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	2	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS2012	268803	JRN203-19e00	SEMINAR 2A	1	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	2	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS2021	268804	JRN204-19e00	SEMINAR 2B	1	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	2	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS2022	268804	JRN204-19e00	SEMINAR 2B	1	SPR	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	2	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS3011	268805	JRN303-19e00	SEMINAR 3A	1	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	3	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS3012	268805	JRN303-19e00	SEMINAR 3A	1	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	3	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS3021	268806	JRN304-19e00	SEMINAR 3B	1	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	3	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS3022	268806	JRN304-19e00	SEMINAR 3B	1	SPR	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	3	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4011	268807	JRN403-19e00	SEMINAR 4A	1	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4012	268807	JRN403-19e00	SEMINAR 4A	1	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4021	268808	JRN404-19e00	SEMINAR 4B	1	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4022	268808	JRN404-19e00	SEMINAR 4B	1	SPR	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4030	268809	GRP403-19e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS A	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only
HJNS4040	268810	GRP404-19e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS B	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	4	Journalism	Journalism-SPSF only

Compulsory Electives

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS5010	268811	JRN201-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT	#HWANG, Seongbin	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5020	268812	JRN202-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR	#HWANG, Seongbin	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5030	268813	JRN301-19e00	MASS MEDIA 1	2	AUT	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	3~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5040	268814	JRN302-19e00	MASS MEDIA 2	2	SPR	KUNIEDA, Tomoki	3~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5050	268815	JRN401-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5060	268816	JRN402-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	SPSF only ◇
HJNS5070	268817	JRN340-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 1	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	[80]
HJNS5080	268818	JRN341-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 2	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	[80]
HJNS5090	268819	JRN342-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 3	2	SPR	D SOUZA, Arun	3~4	Journalism	[80]
HEDS1010	147000	EDU235-81e00	INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HSCS1010	289200	SOC101-83e00	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		1~4	Sociology	
HSCS1030	289202	SOC103-83e00	QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR		1~4	Sociology	
HSCS2010	289204	SOC366-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 1	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS2020	289205	SOC367-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 2	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS2030	289203	SOC203-83e00	QUALITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5010	289220	SOC204-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF HAPPINESS	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5020	288893	SOC222-83e00	WORK AND EMPLOYMENT IN JAPAN	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5040	288807	SOC216-83e00	SOCIAL CHANGE IN POSTWAR JAPAN	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5050	284930	SOC213-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBALIZATION	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5060	289222	SOC206-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF FAMILIES	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5130	289229	SOC350-83e00	ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY	2	Not Offered		3~4	Sociology	
HSCS5140	289227	SOC348-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 1:INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES	2	SPR		3~4	Sociology	
EECS1002	498008	ECN113-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS	2	SPR		1~4	Economics	
EECS1001	498007	ECN112-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		1~4	Economics	
EECS1003	498017	ECN105-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2	SPR		1~4	Economics	

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EECS1005	498040	ECN282-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5001	468058	ACC105-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5032	468033	MAN101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5047	468039	MRK101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5037	468052	MAN227-42e00	STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT (INTENSIVE)		2~4	Management	
EMGS5038	468068	MAN345-42e00	CHALLENGING FRONTLINE ISSUES IN GLOBAL BUSINESS	4	Not Offered		3~4	Management	
BGSS1030	BGSS1030	ARS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO AREA STUDIES	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS1010	BGSS1010	GST110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL STUDIES	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS1020	BGSS1020	IRS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3004	BGSS20001	ASA233-21e00	BASICS OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES B	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
LAW6200	338010	POL307-30e00	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		3~4	Law	
APOL3540	POL354	POL354-65e00	GLOBAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	4	AUT		3~4	FLA	
APOL3210	POL321	POL321-65e00	JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	4	Not Offered		3~4	FLA	
APOL3070	POL307	POL307-65e00	POLITICAL ECOLOGY	2	SPR		3~4	FLA	
ARPH3060	RPH306	RPH306-65e00	INTRODUCTION TO ETHICS	4	Not Offered		3~4	FLA	

Instructor: \* = adjunct instructor  
 Remarks: ◇ = This course cannot be registered by students that have already registered in course with the same content in the Japanese Track.  
 Remarks: [ ] = Lottery Courses. Number in brackets is the capacity.

### SE Electives

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS6010	268820	JRN205-19e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL MEDIA	2	AUT	To be determined	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only
HJNS6020	268821	JRN206-19e00	MEDIA ENGLISH	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only
HJNS6030	268822	JRN207-19e00	GLOBAL MEDIA PROGRAM	2	AUT	D SOUZA, Arun	2~4	Journalism	SPSF only
HEDS1040	147004	EDU206-81e00	CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS1030	147003	EDU203-81e00	EDUCATION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS1020	147002	EDU202-81e00	INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HEDS5010	147021	EDU204-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 1: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION	2	Not Offered		2~4	Education	
HEDS5020	147022	EDU205-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 2: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HEDS5060	147026	EDU242-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 4: GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP, HUMANITY EMPOWERMENT AND CRITICAL MORAL CONSCIOUSNESS	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS5070	147027	EDU244-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 3: EDUCATIONAL POLICY ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY ASIA	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
EECS5020	498015	ECN268-41e00	ASIAN ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5008	402110	ECN210-41e00	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5025	402080	ECN207-41e00	ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCE ECONOMICS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5026	402100	ECN209-41e00	GAME THEORY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5007	467969	ECN252-41e00	GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT GOALS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5001	402060	ECN205-41e00	INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5024	498010	ECN263-41e00	INTERNATIONAL FINANCE	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5004	402120	ECN211-41e00	JAPANESE ECONOMY 1	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5011	498014	ECN270-41e00	POVERTY IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5033	498039	ECN279-41e00	ECONOMICS OF MARKET FAILURES	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5032	498038	ECN278-41e00	ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL SECURITY	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5034	498041	ECN317-41e00	INTERMEDIATE ECONOMETRICS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5035	498042	ECN316-41e00	INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5044	468036	MRK214-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5045	468037	MRK215-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5004	468059	ACC211-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5005	468060	ACC212-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5041	468050	ACC209-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	



Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EMGS5042	468051	ACC210-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5050	468048	MRK217-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 1	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5051	468049	MRK218-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 2	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5039	468034	ACC213-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 1	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5040	468035	ACC214-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5048	468040	MRK212-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5049	468041	MRK213-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5035	468046	MAN235-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5036	468047	MAN236-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY AND ANALYSIS	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5052	468069	MAN237-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5053	468070	MAN238-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5043	408010	MRK307-42e00	GLOBAL BRANDING	2	AUT		3~4	Management	
EMGS5027	468062	ACC313-42e00	INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING	2	SPR		3~4	Management	
EMGS5033	468044	MAN331-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 1	2	AUT		3~4	Management	
EMGS5034	468045	MAN332-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 2	2	Not Offered		3~4	Management	
EMGS5046	468038	MRK310-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MARKETING	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
BGSS3013	BGS20006	ICP224-21e00	BASICS OF THEORIES OF CIVIL SOCIETY B	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3014	BGS20007	IRS332-21e00	CONFLICT RESOLUTION B	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3015	BGS59000	IRS327-21e00	PEACE RESEARCH	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3007	BGS57900	ASA318-21e00	SOCIETY AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3005	BGS58500	IRS323-21e00	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4004	BGS57508	ASA402-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (CULTURES AND SOCIETIES OF ASIA)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4006	BGS57517	ASA404-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (GLOBAL MIGRATION AND KOREANS IN JAPAN)	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4001	BGS57516	IRS406-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4002	BGS25000	IRS407-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (DEMOCRACY AND CONFLICT)	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3017	BGS20008	AME323-21e00	MODERN HISTORY OF THE MIDDLE EAST B	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3018	BGS20009	ASA325-21e00	GLOBAL HISTORY AND ASIA	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	

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## Department of Education SPSF Curriculum

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### Education and Research Objectives

The Department of Education aims to explore and understand various issues and problems relating to education and human development using comprehensive and multi-faceted approaches grounded in the discipline of education studies, and to enhance education that values human dignity.

### Human Resource Development Objectives

The goals of teaching at the Department of Education are to prepare future educators and researchers with outstanding expertise and human qualities founded on respect for human dignity, and to educate the next generation of global and autonomous citizens with a broad knowledge of educational studies.

## Department of Education SPSF Curriculum ▶

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## Diploma policy

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The Department of Education sets standards for the competencies students should acquire before graduation. Those who fulfill the graduation requirements described below shall be deemed to have acquired these qualities and will be awarded a diploma.

1. The ability to understand what it means to consider various issues relating to education and human development from the perspective of educational studies as an academic discipline, and to envision educational practices respectful of human dignity. This requires students to have acquired a broad knowledge of educational studies and other relevant studies.
2. The ability to analyze and understand educational practices, phenomena and issues in schools, households, companies and society at large, using the knowledge and methodologies of educational studies informed by philosophy, history, sociology and psychology, as well as to comprehensively and multifacetedly explore pathways to realize education respectful of human dignity, and present their ideas clearly.
3. The ability to actively and respectfully collaborate with people from diverse backgrounds to solve educational problems, and achieving –through constant self-reflection –an education founded on respect for human dignity and imbued with an international perspective.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course sets the following abilities which students should acquire before graduation as common requirements across its six departments (Department of Journalism, Department of Education, Department of Sociology, Department of Economics, Department of Management, Department of Global Studies).

4. The ability to learn the basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures,” to understand its importance, and to take action towards resolving challenges to the sustainable futures by drawing upon their academic discipline as well as from the other five disciplines in the SPSF course they learn.
5. The ability to understand and apply the interdisciplinary perspectives and methodologies, learned in their academic discipline and in the other five disciplines of the SPSF course, when addressing issues and presenting their ideas.

## Curriculum policy

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In accordance with the Diploma Policy, the Department of Education offers its curriculum as follows:

1. As with other departments of the Faculty of Human Sciences, the curriculum comprises university-wide general courses, language courses, and departmental major courses with an aim to achieve a harmonious combination of a broad knowledge base and discipline-specific expertise.
2. In order to enable students to examine educational issues from an international perspective while understanding the unique academic features of educational studies as an academic discipline, the Department of Education offers sub-discipline courses dealing with international dimensions of education, such as Comparative Education, International Education, and Education and International Development at the core, as well as courses in Philosophy of Education, Sociology of Education, and Curriculum and Instruction.
3. During the freshman and sophomore years, students are expected to enhance their critical thinking and communication skills, which will serve as the foundation of academic research skills. They are also expected to acquire basic knowledge, perspectives and methodologies relevant to educational studies. During the junior year, students select a seminar based on what they have learned during their freshman and sophomore years, in order to acquire basic research methods as well as further hone their critical thinking, judgment and presentation skills. Students also decide on and pursue their own research topic, develop skills to examine phenomena from the perspectives of educational studies, seek pathways to solve problems in educational settings, and cultivate an attitude respectful of human dignity. During the senior year, students engage in thesis research or a project in order to comprehensively and multifacetedly explore pathways to realize education respectful of human dignity, present their ideas clearly, and acquire the qualities and skills to persistently engage in problem-solving through constant self-reflection.
4. While students systematically and holistically learn the curriculum of educational studies, they will also explore sustainability issues from multiple perspectives by taking courses from other SPSF departments and hone their skills in social and human science research. Furthermore, students will be able to develop the qualities of a global citizen by taking courses offered by faculties and departments outside SPSF, participating in a study abroad program, internship, and social engagement programs such as a study tour overseas. In addition, students with a certain level of Japanese proficiency may take Japanese-medium courses as electives, provided they observe certain requirements, such as the maximum number of credits allowed.
5. In the Department of Education, creative teaching methods have been introduced to achieve more autonomous and dialogue-based learning. At lectures, students are often required to complete “reaction papers” to which the instructor will provide comments in the following class or offer a summary of students’ reactions to the lecture, based on which students will engage in further debate. Seminars will be centered on individual or group presentations and debates, and may involve working collaboratively with students and faculties of other universities in and/or outside Japan or conducting fieldwork in Japan and/or overseas. The final thesis defense and evaluation of graduation project outcomes will be open to other students and faculty, and is an opportunity to perform a creative and effective presentation to a large audience..
6. Learning progress and outcomes of individual students will be monitored and evaluated by using the combination of various evaluation criteria and methods, such as reaction papers and worksheets used in class, participation in and contribution to debates and group work, reports and examinations given at mid-term and end-of-term.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course constructs its curriculum in the following manner, for the purpose of achieving the common diploma policy across the six departments:


**7.** To enable the students during the first year to acquire a basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures” and the relating issues through the SPSF General Studies Courses, drawing on the perspectives of six disciplines. Based on the acquired knowledge, the students will be able to deepen their understanding in various challenges related to the sustainable futures through Elective Courses in the University-wide General Studies Courses, and they will be also able to learn about the approaches, contents, and methodologies of the different disciplines through Specialized Courses offered by each department.

**8.** To enable students to gradually gain knowledge of the different disciplines of each Department and also acquire a wide range of knowledge through the courses offered by other faculties and departments which have been designated to offer Elective Compulsory Courses or Elective Courses. Thus, the students will be able to acquire the various perspectives, contents, and methodologies, as well as comprehensive approaches from the courses.

# 1. Courses and Minimum Number of Credits Required for Graduation

## 【For students who entered from 2022】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	8 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others, Liberal Arts of the Body: 1 Credit, Critical Thinking & Discussion, Overview of Data Science, Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality: 2 Credits)
Compulsory electives	6 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: 2 Credits, Advanced General Education Courses: 4 Credits, (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures" 2 credits)
Electives	12 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures" 4 credits)
<b>Language</b>	
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Writing 1&2)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	23 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills 2 credits)
Electives	71 credits
<b>Total</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>

 Electives in the Specialized Education category includes both Major Electives and Electives, which are described on page 110, 111 of the Distribution of Required credits.

## 【For students who entered from 2020 to 2021】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	2 credits (Health and Physical Education: 2 credits)
Compulsory electives	4 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: 4 credits)
Electives	20 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures", "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)": 6 credits)
<b>Language</b>	
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Writing 1&2: 4 credits)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	23 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills: 4 credits)
Electives	71 credits
<b>Total</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>



Electives in the Specialized Education category includes both Major Electives and Electives, which are described on page 112 of the Distribution of Required credits.

## 2. Distribution of Required Credits

### 5. Distribution of Required Credits

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[For Students who entered form 2025]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (28 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism For Others, With Others 1	Critical Thinking & Discussion 2	Liberal Arts of the Body 1	Overview of Data Science 2				
Compulsory Electives	Studies in Christian Humanism	6 cr			Studies in Christian Humanism 2				Advanced General Education Courses 2	
	Advanced General Education Courses							Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures 2		
	SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)									
Electives	Electives	12or	First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures 4							
			- General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester - Language(s) up to 8 cr⑧1,3 - Credits earned in excess of 8 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.							

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1 2	Academic Writing 2 2						

○ Specialized Education (94 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr
Compulsory	Major Compulsory	21 cr	Introduction to Educational Studies 2							
			Introduction to Comparative Education 2							
			Comparative Education in Asia 2							
			International Education 2							
			Education and International Development 2							
			Curriculum and Instruction 2							
	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	2 cr	Academic Presentations 2							
Compulsory Electives	Major Electives	34 cr	Special Topics in Education 1 Special Topics in Education 2 Special Topics in Education 3 Special Topics in Education 4 Special Topics in Education 5 Minimum 8 cr							
							Undergraduate Seminar in Education 1 Undergraduate Seminar in Education 2 Undergraduate Seminar in Education 3 Undergraduate Seminar in Education 4 Minimum 4 cr			
Electives	Electives	37 cr	- SPSP Compulsory Elective(s) & Elective Course(s) - Own Department's Japanese Track Compulsory Course(s) & Compulsory Elective Course(s) & Elective Course(s) ⑧1, 2 - Other Faculty/Department course(s) ⑧1 - Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)" ⑧1 - General Studies taught in English except "Compulsory/PE": up to 12 cr - Language(s) up to 8cr⑧1,3							

⑧1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

⑧2 The language courses offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) or Center for Liberal Education and Learning (CLEL) within the Japanese-track elective courses of one's own department will not be counted toward the graduation requirements.

⑧3 For details regarding Language courses, see, "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSP Language Courses chart.

### 5. Distribution of Required Credits

Department of Education  
[For Students who entered form 2023-2024]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (28 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism For Others, With Others 1	Critical Thinking & Discussion 2	Liberal Arts of the Body 1	Overview of Data Science 2				
Compulsory Electives	Studies in Christian Humanism	6 cr			Studies in Christian Humanism 2				Advanced General Education Courses 2	
	Advanced General Education Courses							Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures 2		
	SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)									
Electives	Electives	12or	First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures 4							
			- General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester - Language(s) up to 8 cr⑧1,3 - Credits earned in excess of 8 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.							

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1 2	Academic Writing 2 2						

○ Specialized Education (94 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr	Autumn Semester course title cr	Spring Semester course title cr
Compulsory	Major Compulsory	21 cr	Introduction to Educational Studies 2							
			Introduction to Comparative Education 2							
			Comparative Education in Asia 2							
			International Education 2							
			Education and International Development 2							
			Curriculum and Instruction 2							
	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	2 cr	Academic Presentations 2							
Compulsory Electives	Major Electives	34 cr	Special Topics in Education 1 Special Topics in Education 2 Special Topics in Education 3 Special Topics in Education 4 Special Topics in Education 5 Minimum 8 cr							
							Undergraduate Seminar in Education 1 Undergraduate Seminar in Education 2 Undergraduate Seminar in Education 3 Undergraduate Seminar in Education 4 Minimum 4 cr			
Electives	Electives	37 cr	- SPSP Compulsory Elective(s) & Elective Course(s) - Own Department's Japanese Track Compulsory Course(s) & Compulsory Elective Course(s) & Elective Course(s) ⑧1, 2 - Other Faculty/Department course(s) ⑧1 - Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)" ⑧1 - General Studies taught in English except "Compulsory/PE": up to 12 cr - Language(s) up to 8cr⑧1,3							

⑧1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

⑧2 The language courses offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) or Center for Liberal Education and Learning (CLEL) within the Japanese-track elective courses of one's own department will not be counted toward the graduation requirements.

⑧3 For details regarding Language courses, see, "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSP Language Courses chart.



## 5. Distribution of Required Credits

Department of Education  
[For Students who entered form 2022]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (28 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
			Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others	1	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2				
Compulsory Electives	Studies in Christian Humanism	0 cr			Studies in Christian Humanism	2				
			Advanced General Education Courses							
Electives	Electives	12 cr	SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)	4			Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures	2		
			SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)							Advanced General Education Courses

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2				

○ Specialized Education (94 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	Major Compulsory	21 cr	Introduction to Educational Studies	2						
			Introduction to Comparative Education	2						
Compulsory Electives	Major Electives	34 cr	Special Topics in Education 1: Philosophy of Education	} Minimum 8 cr ※4	Special Topics in Education 2: Sociology of Education	} Minimum 4 cr	Undergraduate Seminar in Education 1	} Minimum 4 cr	Undergraduate Seminar in Education 2	} Minimum 4 cr
			Special Topics in Education 3: Current Issues in Education in Asia		Undergraduate Seminar in Education 3					
Special Topics in Education 4: Education for Critical Action in the Anthropocene	Undergraduate Seminar in Education 4									
Special Topics in Education 5: TBA										
Electives	Electives	37 cr	SPSF Research Methods: Minimum 6 cr							
			SPSF Fundamentals: Minimum 12 cr							

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※2 The language courses offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) or Center for Liberal Education and Learning (CLEL) within the Japanese-track elective courses of one's own department will not be counted toward the graduation requirements.

※3 For details regarding Language courses, see, "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPFS Language Courses chart.

※4 \*Special Topics in Education (1-5)\* can be repeated for graduation credits if the subtitle is changed.

## 5. Distribution of Required Credits

[For Students who entered form 2021]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	Compulsory	2 cr	Health and Physical Education	2						
			Compulsory Electives	4 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism	4				
Electives	Electives	14 cr	SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)	4			Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)	2		
			SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)							

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2				

○ Specialized Education (94 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	Major Compulsory	19 cr	Introduction to Comparative Education	2						
			Comparative Education in Asia	2						
Compulsory Electives	Major Electives	34 cr	International Education	2						
			Education and International Development	2						
Compulsory Electives	Major Electives	34 cr	Academic Presentations	2	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2				
			Special Topics in Education 1: Philosophy of Education	} Minimum 8 cr ※4	Special Topics in Education 2: Sociology of Education	} Minimum 4 cr	Undergraduate Seminar in Education 1	} Minimum 4 cr	Undergraduate Seminar in Education 2	} Minimum 4 cr
Special Topics in Education 3: Current Issues in Education in Asia	Undergraduate Seminar in Education 3									
Special Topics in Education 4: Education for Critical Action in the Anthropocene	Undergraduate Seminar in Education 4									
Special Topics in Education 5: TBA										
Electives	Electives	37 cr	SPSF Research Methods: Minimum 6 cr							
			SPSF Fundamentals: Minimum 12 cr							

※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

※2 The language courses offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) or Center for Liberal Education and Learning (CLEL) within the Japanese-track elective courses of one's own department will not be counted toward the graduation requirements.

※3 For details regarding Language courses, see, "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPFS Language Courses chart.

※4 \*Special Topics in Education (1-5)\* can be repeated for graduation credits if the subtitle is changed.

### 3. Guidelines for Course Registration

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General Information for all SPSF students

# SPSF General Guidelines

#### ① Information on Department of Education Specialized Education - Major Compulsory and Major Elective courses

1. Major Compulsory courses are required to be taken in the applicable year, as specified in the Distribution of Required Credits.
2. If a student earns more than the required credits for Major Elective courses, they will be regarded as Electives in the Department of Education Specialized Education category and counted as graduation credits.
3. During the third year, students are required to take two Undergraduate Seminars in Education (1~4). The seminars can be repeated for graduation credits.
4. During the fourth year, students are required to take Research in Education 1 in the Autumn semester and Research in Education 2 in the Spring semester.
5. Students are required to obtain at least 8 credits of Special Topics in Education (1~5).
6. Special Topics in Education (1~5) can be repeated for graduation credits if the subtitle is changed.
7. If students repeat the same course offered by the Department of Education more than once, then they will only receive graduation credits for one course and any other credits will not be counted.

#### ② Information on Department of Education Specialized Education – Elective courses

1. Teaching Practice (教育実習 Kyouiku-jisshuu) is not included among the Electives.
2. CLIL (Content and Language Integrated Learning) courses offered in English by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) will not be counted for graduation credits.

#### ③ Information on Department of Education Specialized Education - Bachelor's Thesis / Bachelor's Graduation Project

1. Students are required to register for the Bachelor's Thesis / Bachelor's Graduation Project (5 credits). As a general rule, this course should be taken in the Spring semester of the final academic year. In the case of students planning to graduate in March, these courses can be taken in the Autumn semester. However, in such a case, students are required to consult the Academic Advisor prior to the course registration period.
2. Credit recognition for the Bachelor's Thesis / Bachelor's Graduation Project will depend on the evaluation of a thesis paper or a project report, and an oral examination. Instructions for the format and submission of the thesis and the report, and the procedure for the oral examination will be specified separately.
3. A thesis of approximately 10,000 word length must be written in 11 or 12 point font, 1.5 line spacing and in the standard A4 format.
4. A thesis must be submitted as one PDF file on Moodle during June 14-21, 2025.
5. The Bachelor's Thesis / Bachelor's Graduation Project is a compulsory course, but it can be cancelled (W) provided that the prescribed procedure is taken.

#### ④ Information on foreign language courses

A total of up to 16 credits for language courses, consisting of:

- up to 8 credits for the General Studies category; and
- up to 8 credits for Electives in the Specialized Education category

will be regarded as graduation credits. Students do not need to choose the same language for these courses.

**⑤ Students can take a maximum of 24 credits taught in Japanese for graduation credits.**

### **⑥ Course Numbering**

Numbering shown in the list of assigned courses refer to the following. For information about numbering, refer Academic Services-4.Numbering.

<b>Field (alphabets)</b>	<b>Field (English)</b>
EDU	Education
GRP	Bachelor's Thesis/Bachelor's Graduation Project

## 4. Information on early graduation

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1. Early graduation refers to an enrollment period of at least 3 years and graduating at the end of the 3rd year or at the end of the Autumn semester in the 4th year, upon completion of prescribed procedures. The former is referred to as "graduation in September of the 3rd year" and the latter "graduation in March of the 4th year".
2. In order to graduate early, all of the following requirements must be fulfilled:
  - 2.1. The student must express intent to graduate early.
  - 2.2. At the time of graduation, the student must have obtained all the credits for prescribed courses necessary for graduation.
  - 2.3. The Grade Point Average (hereafter referred to as "the GPA") for the total number of credits obtained must be 3.5 or more.
3. When requesting early graduation, it is necessary to apply for "early graduation registration".
  - 3.1. In order to apply for early graduation registration, it is necessary to obtain 80 credits or more (of which at least 62 must be obtained at Sophia University) that count toward graduation by the end of the 2nd year. In addition, the GPA for the total number of credits obtained must be at least 3.5.
  - 3.2. Students who register for early graduation are required to take two Undergraduate Seminars in Education (1~4) and Research in Education 1~2 (total of 8 credits), and Bachelor's Thesis / Bachelor's Graduation Project (5 credits) by the time they graduate.

Students who wish to graduate in September of the 3rd year are required to take two Undergraduate Seminars (1~4) and Research in Education 1~2 simultaneously in the 3rd year. Also, students are required to register for the Bachelor's Thesis / Bachelor's Graduation Project in the Spring semester in the 3rd year.

Students graduating in March of the 4th year are required to take two Undergraduate Seminars (1~4) and Research in Education 1~2 by the Autumn semester of the 4th year. Also, as a general rule, students are required to register for the Bachelor's Thesis / Bachelor's Graduation Project in the Autumn semester of the 4th year.
  - 3.3. A student wishing to graduate early must submit an Application for Early Graduation Registration to the Office of Department of Education during the prescribed period in September at the end of the 2nd year. At that time, it is necessary to obtain the approval stamp of the Academic Advisor.
  - 3.4. A student who registers for early graduation must consult the Department Chair or the Academic Advisor in advance and receive appropriate guidance.
  - 3.5. A student who registers for early graduation may not, as a general rule, take a leave of absence from school.

4. The procedures to change the graduation period and withdraw early graduation registration are as follows:
  - 4.1. In the special case of a student wishing to graduate in September of the 3rd year, it is possible to change the time of early graduation to March of the 4th year. In this case, the approval stamp of the Academic Advisor must be affixed to the Notification of Change of Early Graduation Date, and this form must be submitted to the department office during the 1Q and 2Q course registration period in the Spring semester of the 3rd year.
  - 4.2. If a student who has registered for early graduation wishes to withdraw the registration, the approval stamp of the Academic Advisor must be affixed to Withdrawal of Application for Early Graduation Registration, and this form must be submitted to the department office. The respective periods of submission are:
    - for withdrawal of early graduation in September of the 3rd year: 1Q and 2Q course registration period, Spring semester of the 3rd year;
    - for withdrawal of early graduation in March of the 4th year: 3Q and 4Q course registration period, Autumn semester of the 4th year.
  - 4.3. When withdrawing early graduation registration, courses completed in the 3rd year which would normally be taken in the 4th year will be counted for graduation.

## 5. Specialized Education Courses

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses page of the other SPSF departments for Instructors and Remarks.

### 6. Specialized Education Courses of Department of Education

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses page of the other SPSF departments for Instructors and Remarks.

Major Compulsory									
Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HEDS1070	147007	EDU100-81e00	INTRODUCTION TO EDUCATIONAL STUDIES	2	AUT	MANZON Maria	1	Education	
HEDS1010	147000	EDU235-81e00	INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE EDUCATION	2	AUT	MANZON Maria	1~2	Education	
HEDS1050	147001	EDU238-81e00	COMPARATIVE EDUCATION IN ASIA	2	SPR	MANZON Maria	1~2	Education	
HEDS1040	147004	EDU206-81e00	CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION	2	SPR	SAWADA Minoru	1~2	Education	
HEDS1030	147003	EDU203-81e00	EDUCATION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR	KOMATSU Taro	1~2	Education	
HEDS1020	147002	EDU202-81e00	INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION	2	AUT	ASADA Sarah*	1~2	Education	
HEDS4030	147010	GRP402-81e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS / BACHELOR'S GRADUATION PROJECT	5	SPR	MANZON Maria	4	Education	Education-SPSF only
HEDS4040	147010	GRP402-81e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS / BACHELOR'S GRADUATION PROJECT	5	AUT	MANZON Maria	4	Education	Education-SPSF only (For March graduates)
HEDS4010	147005	EDU403-81e00	RESEARCH IN EDUCATION 1	2	AUT	MANZON Maria	4	Education	Education-SPSF only
HEDS4020	147006	EDU404-81e00	RESEARCH IN EDUCATION 2	2	SPR	MANZON Maria	4	Education	Education-SPSF only

Major Electives									
Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HEDS5010	147021	EDU204-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 1: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION	2	Not Offered		1~4	Education	Every other year
HEDS5020	147022	EDU205-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 2: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION	2	AUT	IWABUCHI Kazuaki*	1~4	Education	Every other year
HEDS5070	147027	EDU244-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 3: EDUCATIONAL POLICY ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY ASIA	2	AUT	YAMATO Yoko*	1~4	Education	
HEDS5060	147026	EDU242-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 4: GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP, HUMANITY EMPOWERMENT AND CRITICAL MORAL CONSCIOUSNESS	2	SPR	BOSIO Emiliano*	1~4	Education	
HEDS5050	147025	EDU209-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 5: INTRODUCTION TO EPISTEMIC INJUSTICE, TRANSFORMATION AND EDUCATION	2	AUT	SATO Kunimasa*	1~4	Education	

Major Electives (Seminar)									
Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HEDS5110	147011	EDU301-81e00	UNDERGRADUATE SEMINAR IN EDUCATION 1	2	AUT	MANZON Maria	3~4	Education	Education-SPSF only / can be repeated for graduation credits
HEDS5120	147012	EDU302-81e00	UNDERGRADUATE SEMINAR IN EDUCATION 2	2	SPR	MANZON Maria	3~4	Education	Education-SPSF only / can be repeated for graduation credits
HEDS5130	147013	EDU303-81e00	UNDERGRADUATE SEMINAR IN EDUCATION 3	2	AUT	KAMATA Takahito*	3~4	Education	Education-SPSF only / can be repeated for graduation credits
HEDS5140	147014	EDU304-81e00	UNDERGRADUATE SEMINAR IN EDUCATION 4	2	SPR	BOSIO Emiliano*	3~4	Education	Education-SPSF only / can be repeated for graduation credits

Major Electives ( SPSF Fundamentals)									
Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS1010	268801	JRN101-19e00	COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		1~4	Journalism	
HJNS5010	268811	JRN201-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS6010	268820	JRN205-19e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL MEDIA	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS6030	268822	JRN207-19e00	GLOBAL MEDIA PROGRAM	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HSCS1010	289200	SOC101-83e00	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		1~4	Sociology	
HSCS5080	289223	SOC224-83e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL PROBLEMS: IMMIGRATION IN JAPAN AND INTEGRATION OF IMMIGRANTS	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS2010	289204	SOC366-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 1	2	AUT		2	Sociology	
HSCS2020	289205	SOC367-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 2	2	SPR		2	Sociology	
HSCS5060	289222	SOC206-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF FAMILIES	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5050	284930	SOC213-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBALIZATION	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5010	289220	SOC204-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF HAPPINESS	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
EECS1002	498008	ECN113-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS	2	SPR		1~4	Economics	
EECS1001	498007	ECN112-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		1~4	Economics	
EECS5020	498015	ECN268-41e00	ASIAN ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5008	402110	ECN210-41e00	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5025	402090	ECN207-41e00	ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCE ECONOMICS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5007	467969	ECN252-41e00	GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT GOALS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5001	402060	ECN205-41e00	INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5011	498014	ECN270-41e00	POVERTY IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5018	498021	ECN106-41e00	MATHEMATICS FOR ECONOMICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5035	498042	ECN281-41e41	INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS1005	498040	ECN282-41e41	INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5019	498016	ECN269-41e00	AFRICAN ECONOMY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5001	468058	ACC105-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5032	468033	MAN101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5047	468039	MRK101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
BGSS1010	BGSS1010	GST110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL STUDIES	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS1020	BGSS1020	IRS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS1030	BGSS1030	ARS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO AREA STUDIES	2	AUT		1~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3001	BGSS9700	IRS216-21e00	INTERNATIONAL POLITICS: THEORY AND PRACTICE	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3002	BGSS9900	IRS217-21e00	INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION: THEORY AND PRACTICE	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3003	BGSS2000	ICP223-21e00	BASICS OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION B	2	Intensive (SPR)		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3004	BGSS2001	ASA233-21e00	BASICS OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES B	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGS53013	BGS20006	ICP224-21e00	BASICS OF THEORIES OF CIVIL SOCIETY B	2	AUT		1~2	Global Studies	

Major Electives (SPSF Research Methods)

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HSCS1030	289202	SOC103-83e00	QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR		1~4	Sociology	
HSCS2030	289203	SOC203-83e00	QUALITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS2040	289212	SOC207-83e00	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2	SPR		1~4	Sociology	
AANT3190	ANT319	ANT319-65e00	DIGITAL ORAL NARRATIVES 2	4	SPR		2~4	FLA	
AMTH1111	MTH111	MTH111-65e01	MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS FOR BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS	4	SPR		1~4	FLA	
FES70900	501390	LNG413-50e00	SEMINAR (DISCOURSE ANALYSIS) 1	2	Not Offered		TBC	FOREIGN STUDIES	
FES71000	501391	LNG414-50e00	SEMINAR (DISCOURSE ANALYSIS) 2	2	Not Offered		TBC	FOREIGN STUDIES	
FES72400	501320	ANA401-50e00	SEMINAR(QUALITATIVE METHODS IN PSYCHOLOGY)1	2	SPR		TBC	FOREIGN STUDIES	
FES72410	501321	ANA402-50e00	SEMINAR(QUALITATIVE METHODS IN PSYCHOLOGY)2	2	AUT		TBC	FOREIGN STUDIES	
SCT6690E	SCT6690E	MTH201-75e00	MATHEMATICS C1 (STATISTICAL DATA ANALYSIS)	2	SPR		TBC	FST	

Electives

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS5020	268812	JRN202-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS5030	268813	JRN301-19e00	MASS MEDIA 1	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5040	268814	JRN302-19e00	MASS MEDIA 2	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5070	268817	JRN340-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 1	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5080	268818	JRN341-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 2	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5090	268819	JRN342-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 3	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5050	268815	JRN401-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5060	268816	JRN402-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HSCS5040	288807	SOC216-83e00	SOCIAL CHANGE IN POSTWAR JAPAN	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5020	288893	SOC222-83e00	WORK AND EMPLOYMENT IN JAPAN	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5130	289229	SOC350-83e00	ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5140	289227	SOC348-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 1: INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5150	289230	SOC351-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 2: RESILIENCE AND FUTURE OF JAPANESE RURAL COMMUNITIES	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
EECS5026	402100	ECN209-41e00	GAME THEORY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5024	498010	ECN263-41e00	INTERNATIONAL FINANCE	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5004	402120	ECN211-41e00	JAPANESE ECONOMY 1	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5028	498026	ECN275-41e00	ACTIVE LEARNING SEMINAR 1	2	SPR		3~4	Economics	
EECS5029	498027	ECN307-41e00	ACTIVE LEARNING SEMINAR 2	2	AUT		3~4	Economics	
EECS5032	498038	ECN278-41e00	ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL SECURITY	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5033	498039	ECN279-41e00	ECONOMICS OF MARKET FAILURES	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5044	468036	MRK214-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5045	468037	MRK215-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5052	468069	MAN237-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5053	468070	MAN238-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5004	468059	ACC211-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5005	468060	ACC212-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5041	468050	ACC209-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5042	468051	ACC210-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5050	468048	MRK217-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 1	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5051	468049	MRK218-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 2	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5039	468034	ACC213-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 1	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5040	468035	ACC214-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5048	468040	MRK212-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5049	468041	MRK213-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5035	468046	MAN235-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5036	468047	MAN236-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY AND ANALYSIS	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5037	468052	MAN227-42e00	STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5038	468068	MAN345-42e00	CHALLENGING FRONTLINE ISSUES IN GLOBAL BUSINESS	4	Not Offered		3~4	Management	
EMGS5043	468010	MRK307-42e00	GLOBAL BRANDING	2	AUT		3~4	Management	
EMGS5027	468062	ACC313-42e00	INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING	2	SPR		3~4	Management	
EMGS5033	468044	MAN331-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 1	2	AUT		3~4	Management	
EMGS5034	468045	MAN332-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 2	2	Not Offered		3~4	Management	
EMGS5046	468038	MRK310-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MARKETING	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5055	468072	MAN333-42e00	ADVANCED STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5056	468073	MAN346-42e00	GENERAL MANAGEMENT IN ACTION	2	Intensive (AUT)		2~4	Management	
BGS53016	BGS59500	ASA324-21e00	ASIAN POLITICS	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGS53014	BGS20007	IRS332-21e00	CONFLICT RESOLUTION B	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	

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BGSS3008	BG58300	AME318-21e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIETIES OF THE MIDDLE EAST	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3006	BG52002	ICP321-21e00	EDUCATION FOR MINORITIES IN JAPAN	2	1Q		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3010	BG58100	AAF316-21e00	LIFE AND CULTURE IN AFRICA	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3015	BG59000	IRS327-21e00	PEACE RESEARCH	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3017	BG52008	AME323-21e00	MODERN HISTORY OF THE MIDDLE EAST B	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3007	BG57900	ASA318-21e00	SOCIETY AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3005	BG58500	IRS323-21e00	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4004	BG57508	ASA402-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (CULTURES AND SOCIETIES OF ASIA)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4002	BG52500	IRS407-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (DEMOCRACY AND CONFLICT)	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4006	BG57517	ASA404-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (GLOBAL MIGRATION AND KOREANS IN JAPAN)	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4001	BG57516	IRS406-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3018	BG52009	ASA325-21e00	GLOBAL HISTORY AND ASIA	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3023	BG56200	ASA329-21e00	PREMODERN HISTORY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4007	BG56201	ICP403-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	

Instructor: Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor

Remarks: [ ] = Lottery Courses. Number in brackets is the capacity.



## Department of Sociology SPSF Curriculum

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### Education and Research Objectives

To cultivate critical interest in human society, and the capacity to comprehend the mechanisms of social phenomena through the use of sociological approaches and empirical analysis.

### Human Resource Development Objectives

To produce graduates equipped with sociological insights and methodological knowledge who are capable of employing an international outlook and humanitarian approach in proposing problem-solving solutions in practical settings.

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## Diploma Policy

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With an aim to foster individuals with the following qualities to achieve a fair and equitable society that protects human dignity, the Department of Sociology sets the following standards for the skills and knowledge students should acquire before graduation. Those who fulfill the graduation requirements shall be deemed to have acquired these qualities and will be awarded a diploma.

1. An interest in various social issues and the ability to understand social phenomena through a sociological approach.
2. The ability to understand and analyze the mechanisms of social phenomena using basic theories and empirical methods.
3. The ability to understand the characteristics of the various dimensions of modern society as they relate to social structure and social change.
4. The ability to understand diverse others and to propose sociologically-informed solutions for creating an inclusive society.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course sets the following abilities which students should acquire before graduation as common requirements across its six departments (Department of Journalism, Department of Education, Department of Sociology, Department of Economics, Department of Management, Department of Global Studies).

5. The ability to acquire the basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures” necessary to understand its importance, and to take action towards resolving challenges to the sustainable futures by drawing upon knowledge from their own academic discipline as well as from the other five disciplines in the SPSF course.
6. The ability to understand and apply the interdisciplinary perspectives and methodologies, which they studied in their own academic discipline and in the other five disciplines of the SPSF course, when addressing issues and presenting their ideas.

## Curriculum Policy

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In accordance with the Diploma Policy, the Department of Sociology's curriculum consists of courses aligned with the following objectives.

1. Through small-group seminars, have students acquire basic sociological perspectives and knowledge of methodologies necessary for developing sociological research interests.
2. With regard to "theory and methods" as the basic tools of sociological analysis, have students acquire, through exposure to sociological theories, logical thinking skills and the ability to conceptualize a research interest and model its research design; and through quantitative or qualitative research skills acquired through courses in social survey methods, the ability to analyze social phenomena.
3. Teach students to apply the theoretical and methodological knowledge acquired to specific areas of modern society to deepen their understanding of the structure(s) and change(s) within such areas.
4. Foster the ability to develop research questions based on individual concerns, while maintaining a global outlook that respects human dignity, perform sophisticated analyses and engage in critical discussions.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course constructs its curriculum in the following manner, for the purpose of achieving the common diploma policy across the six departments:

5. Enable the students during the first year to acquire a basic knowledge on "Sustainable Futures" and the related issues through the SPSF General Studies Courses, drawing on the perspectives of six disciplines. Based on the acquired knowledge, the students will be able to deepen their understanding of various challenges related to the sustainable futures through Elective Courses in the University-wide General Studies Courses. They will also be able to learn about the approaches, contents, and methodologies of the different disciplines through Specialized Courses offered by each department.
6. Enable students to gradually gain knowledge in the different disciplines of each Department and also acquire broader knowledge through the courses offered by other faculties and departments which have been designated to offer Elective Compulsory Courses or Elective Courses. Thus, students will be able to acquire the various perspectives, contents, and methodologies, as well as comprehensive approaches offered in the different courses.

## 1. Courses and Minimum Number of Credits Required for Graduation

### 【For students who entered from 2022】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory:	8 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others, Liberal Arts of the Body: 1 Credit, Critical Thinking & Discussion, Overview of Data Science, Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality: 2 Credits)
Compulsory electives:	6 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: 2 Credits, Advanced General Education Courses: 4 Credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures" 2 credits)
Electives:	12 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures" 4 credits)
<b>Language</b>	
Compulsory:	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Writing 1 & 2)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory:	22 credits
Electives:	72 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills: 2 credits, Major Core Category 2: 28 credits)
<b>Total:</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>

### 【For students who entered from 2020 to 2021】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	2 credits (Health and Physical Education: 2 credits)
Compulsory electives	4 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism)
Electives	20 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures", "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)" 6 credits)
<b>Language</b>	
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Writing 1&2)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory:	22 credits
Electives	72 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills: 4 credits, Major Core Category 2: 26 credits)
<b>Total</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>

## 2. Distribution of Required Credits

### 5. Distribution of Required Credits

Department of Sociology

[For Students who entered from 2021-2020]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

			1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year			
			Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
Compulsory	Compulsory	2 cr	Health and Physical Education														2	
Compulsory Electives	Compulsory Electives	4 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism														4	
Electives	SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)	6 cr	First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures	4											Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)	2		
	Electives	14 cr	General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - Language(s): up to 8 cr※1,3															

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year			
			Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2												

○ Specialized Education (94 credits)

			1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year			
			Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
Compulsory	Major Core Category 1	22 cr	Principles of Sociology	2	First Year Seminar in Sociology	2	Sociological Theory 1	2	Sociological Theory 2	2	Advanced Seminar in Sociology	2	Advanced Seminar in Sociology	2	Advanced Seminar in Sociology	2	Advanced Seminar in Sociology	2
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Presentations	2	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2												
Electives	Major Core Category 2	26 cr	Major Core Category 2 Course(s) taught in Japanese: Own Department's Compulsory Elective Course(s) only, up to 10 cr※1															
	SE Electives	42 cr	- SE Electives - Major Core Category 2 (The excess credits of Major Core Category 2) - Other Faculty/Department Course(s)※1 - Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)"※1 - Own Department's Japanese Track the excess credits of Compulsory Elective and Elective course(s)※1,2 - Language(s) Course(s) taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, Spanish): up to 8 cr※3 - General Studies Course(s) taught in English except "Compulsory" and "Electives/Sports Practice course(s)": up to 12 cr															

※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

※2 The language courses offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) or Center for Liberal Education and Learning (CLEL) within the Japanese-track elective courses of one's own department will not be counted toward the graduation requirements.

※3 For details regarding Language courses, see p.90, "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSF Language Courses chart.

### 5. Distribution of Required Credits

Department of Sociology

[For Students who entered from 2022]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

			1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year			
			Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others	1	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2												
Compulsory Electives	Advanced General Education Courses	6 cr	Liberal Arts of the Body	1	Overview of Data Science	2	Studies in Christian Humanism	2										
	SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)	6 cr											Advanced General Education Courses	2				
Electives	SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)	12 cr	First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures	4											Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures	2		
	Electives	12 cr	General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester - Language(s): up to 8 cr※1,3 - Credits earned in excess of 6 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.															

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year			
			Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2												

○ Specialized Education (94 credits)

			1st Year				2nd Year				3rd Year				4th Year			
			Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester		Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
Compulsory	Major Core Category 1	22 cr	Principles of Sociology	2	First Year Seminar in Sociology	2	Sociological Theory 1	2	Sociological Theory 2	2	Advanced Seminar in Sociology	2	Advanced Seminar in Sociology	2	Advanced Seminar in Sociology	2	Advanced Seminar in Sociology	2
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	2 cr	Academic Presentations	2														
Electives	Major Core Category 2	26 cr	Major Core Category 2 Course(s) taught in Japanese: Own Department's Compulsory Elective Course(s) only, up to 10 cr※1															
	SE Electives	44 cr	- SE Electives - Major Core Category 2 (The excess credits of Major Core Category 2) - Other Faculty/Department Course(s)※1 - Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)"※1 - Own Department's Japanese Track the excess credits of Compulsory Elective and Elective course(s)※1,2 - Language(s) Course(s) taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, Spanish): up to 8 cr※3 - General Studies Course(s) taught in English except "Compulsory" and "Electives/Sports Practice course(s)": up to 12 cr															

※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

※2 The language courses offered by the Center for Language Education and Research (CLER) or Center for Liberal Education and Learning (CLEL) within the Japanese-track elective courses of one's own department will not be counted toward the graduation requirements.

※3 For details regarding Language courses, see p.90, "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSF Language Courses chart.

### 3. Guidelines for Course Registration

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#### ① Language Courses

1. Academic Writing 1 & 2 are Compulsory Courses for 1st year students.

#### ②SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills) Courses

1. Academic Presentation is counted as SPSF Common Core (Academic skills) course for students who entered from 2022. This is a Compulsory Elective Course for 1st year students. Critical Thinking & Discussion and Academic Presentation are counted as SPSF Common Core (Academic skills) course for students who entered from 2020 to 2021 and are Compulsory Elective Courses for 1st year students.

#### ③Major Courses in Sociology (listed as “Specialized Education” courses in the SPSF Bulletin)

##### Major Core Category 1: Compulsory Courses

1. Principles of Sociology, First Year Seminar in Sociology, and Quantitative Methods in Sociology are Compulsory Courses for 1st year students.
2. Sociological Theory 1 & 2, Qualitative Methods in Sociology, and Introduction to Statistics are Compulsory Courses for 2nd year students. From 2025, INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS offered by the Department of Sociology is categorized as compulsory class and counted as 2 credits toward graduation for students of SPSF Sociology. For students who took INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS offered by the Department of Economics prior to 2025, these 2 credits will be counted toward graduation. If students obtain credits of both courses, only 2 credits are counted toward graduation credits.

Notice:

When students do not obtain credits from the course offered by Department of Economics, Loyola's self-evaluation will show a shortage of credits for compulsory courses. However, this will be adjusted manually, once students obtain the credits for the course offered by Department of Sociology.

3. Advanced Seminar in Sociology is a Compulsory Course to be taken every semester by 3rd and 4th year students (total of 8 credits).
4. Students who wish to deepen their understanding of Sociological Theory and Methodology and who possess sufficient Japanese ability can take Sociological Theory I & II (社会学理論 I & II) and Social Research Methods I & II (社会調査方法論 I & II) as SE elective courses (held as part of the Sociology Department's Japanese track course curriculum) provided that they notify their Academic Advisor and receive permission. These credits will be included in the maximum number of 24 credits that a student can obtain through courses taught in Japanese.

##### Major Core Category 2: Compulsory Elective Courses

1. SPSF Students are advised to prioritize taking Sociology courses held as part of the English track course curriculum in the Department of Sociology. The SPSF curriculum is designed so that the Department of Sociology's Category 2 Compulsory Elective Course credit requirement can be fulfilled through the Category 2 Compulsory Elective Courses specified in the English track course curriculum. Because some Category 2 Compulsory Elective Courses are not held every year, students should take note of the course numbering and carefully plan their course enrollment accordingly. Moreover, students who have sufficient Japanese ability to take the Compulsory Elective Courses in the Japanese track course curriculum (refer to the Japanese track course curriculum Academic Handbook) may do so and appropriate up to 10 credits to their Category 2 Compulsory Elective Courses requirement. These credits will be included in the maximum number of 24 credits that a student can obtain through courses taught in Japanese. However, credits of other department's courses are not counted as credits of SPSF Compulsory Elective Courses, even

if they are Compulsory Elective Courses in the Japanese track course curriculum. Their credits are counted as credits of other faculty/department courses.

2. If the number of Category 2 Compulsory Elective Courses credits obtained exceeds 26 credits, the excess credits may be assigned as SE Electives for the purpose of graduation.
3. Special Topics in Sociology (1, 2) and Contemporary Social Problems can be repeated for graduation credits if the subtitle is changed.

## SE Electives

1. Credits from the SE elective courses specified in the English track course curriculum of the Department of Sociology may be appropriated for SE electives credits.
2. A maximum of 24 credits for compulsory elective and elective courses offered in the Japanese track course curriculum in the Department of Sociology can be appropriated for SE electives. However, when appropriating Compulsory Elective Courses in the Japanese track course curriculum as graduation credits for Category 2 Compulsory Elective Courses, those credits will be deducted from the maximum 24 credits that may be appropriated for SE electives.
3. If the research topic of a student coincides with that of Seminars (held as part of the Japanese track course curriculum in the Department of Sociology), and the Japanese ability of the student is sufficient to take the course, it is possible to appropriate up to 8 credits from the Japanese track course curriculum seminar for 19SE electives, provided that in January of the Autumn Semester of the student's 2nd or 3rd year, the student notifies, and upon an interview with their Academic Advisor, receives permission from the department. These credits will be included in the maximum number of 24 credits that a student can obtain through courses taught in Japanese.
4. Credits for SE electives can be appropriated as credits for (1) Courses for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62 (except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 [教育実習]" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 [博物館実習 1, 2]"); (2) Language courses taught in English (Japanese, Chinese, French, and Spanish; maximum 8 credits); and (3) General Studies courses taught in English (except "Compulsory [HPE]" and "Electives [Sports Practice courses]"; however, up to 12 credits may be appropriated as graduation credits).

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## ④ General Studies

1. Please refer to p.90 of the Bulletin of Information regarding foreign languages in General Studies.

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## ⑤ Bachelor's Thesis

1. Students who wish to enter graduate school are advised to prepare and submit a bachelor's thesis.
2. As a general rule, students are required to register for the "Bachelor's Thesis" course (6 credits) held during the Spring Semester of their 4th year. However, students who expect to graduate in March may take this course during the Autumn Semester. When registering for the Autumn Semester, it is necessary to go to the Center for Academic Affairs counter during the course registration period.
3. Concerning the title of the bachelor's thesis and the instructor a student would like to have as supervisor, it is necessary to submit a Bachelor's Thesis Pre-registration Form to the Academic Advisor of the Department of Sociology at the Office of Human Sciences by the end of October in the 4th year (or end of May in the 4th year, in case of graduation in March).
4. The bachelor's thesis must be written or typed from left to right on A4-sized paper, and must consist of at least 10,000 words. There are no rules on the number of lines per page or the length of each line.
5. Submission procedure
  - 5.1. Period/time To be posted on Moodle
  - 5.2. Place To be posted on Moodle

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## ⑥ Order for Taking Courses

As a general rule, as shown in the [Course 1] [Course 2] example below, Course 2 should be taken after completion of Course 1. In unavoidable circumstances, if students wish to take Course 2 before taking Course 1, it is necessary to obtain permission from their Academic Advisor. However, depending on the course or circumstance, this may not be possible.

[Course 1]	→	[Course 2]
Principles of Sociology	→	First Year Seminar in Sociology
Sociological Theory 1	→	Sociological Theory 2
Quantitative Methods in Sociology	→	Introduction to Statistics

## ⑦ Course Numbering

The numbering shown in the list of assigned courses refers to the following. For information about numbering, refer to Academic Services-4.Numbering.

Field (alphabet)	Field (English)	Field (Japanese)
SOC	Sociology	社会学
GRP	Graduation Project	卒業論文



## Early Graduation

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**① Early graduation refers to an enrollment period of at least 3 years and graduating at the end of the 3rd year or at the end of the Autumn Semester in the 4th year, upon the completion of prescribed requirements and procedures. The former is referred to as “graduation in September of the 3rd year” and the latter as “graduation in March of the 4th year.”**

**② In order to graduate early, all of the following requirements must be fulfilled.**

1. The student must wish to graduate early.
2. At the time of graduation, the student must have obtained all of the credits for the prescribed courses that are necessary for graduation.
3. The Grade Point Average (hereinafter referred to as “GPA”) for the total number of credits obtained must be 3.5 or higher.

**③ When wishing to graduate early, it is necessary to register for early graduation.**

1. In order to register for early graduation, it is necessary to obtain 80 credits or more (of which at least 62 must be obtained at Sophia University) that count toward graduation in prescribed courses by the end of the 2nd year. In addition, the GPA for the total number of credits obtained must be at least 3.2.
2. A student who registers for early graduation must have taken the Advanced Seminar in Sociology (total of 8 credits) sequence by the time of graduation. A student wishing to graduate in September of the 3rd year must take 2 courses (4 credits) within the Advanced Seminar in Sociology sequence in the student’s 3rd year. Additionally, the student may apply up to 4 credits from the Japanese track course curriculum Seminars (students who do not possess sufficient Japanese ability must consult with their Academic Advisor upon selecting a seminar) to the credits earned from the Advanced Seminar in Sociology to achieve a total of 8 credits, provided that in January of the Autumn Semester of the student’s 2nd year, the student notifies, and upon an interview with their Academic Advisor, receives permission from the department. A student wishing to graduate in March of the 4th year must, as a general rule, take the Advanced Seminar in Sociology an overall of three times during the Autumn and Spring Semester of the 3rd year, and in the Autumn Semester of the 4th year. Additionally, during these three semesters, the student may apply up to 2 credits from the Japanese track course curriculum Seminars (students who do not possess sufficient Japanese ability must consult their Academic Advisor upon selecting a seminar) to the credits earned from the Advanced Seminar in Sociology to achieve a total of 8 credits, provided that the student notifies, and upon an interview with their Academic Advisor, receives permission from the department before the registration period of each semester.
3. A student wishing to graduate early must submit an Application for Early Graduation Registration to the department office during the prescribed period in September at the end of the 2nd year. At that time, it is necessary to obtain the signature or approval stamp of the instructor in charge of the seminars the student will be attending in the 3rd year.
4. A student who registers for early graduation must consult their Academic Advisor in advance and receive appropriate guidance. Also, the student must report the progress of their studies to the instructor in charge of the seminar and receive guidance as required.
5. When a student registers for early graduation, as a general rule, they must not be on a leave of absence from school.

**④ Changes to one’s graduation date and withdrawal of early graduation registration will be carried out as follows:**

1. In the special case of a student wishing to graduate in September of the 3rd year, it is possible to change the time of early graduation to March of the 4th year. In this case, the approval stamp of the Department Chair must be affixed to

the Notification of Change of Early Graduation Date, and this form must be submitted to the department office during the 1Q and 2Q course registration period in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year.

2. If a student who has registered for early graduation wishes to withdraw their early graduation registration, the approval stamp of the Department Chair must be affixed to the Withdrawal of Application for Early Graduation Registration, and this form must be submitted to the department office. The period of submission for withdrawal of early graduation in September of the 3rd year is during the 1Q and 2Q course registration period in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year, and for withdrawal of early graduation in March of the 4th year, it is during the 3Q and 4Q course registration period in the Autumn Semester of the 4th year.
3. When withdrawing one's early graduation application, courses completed in the 3rd year which would normally be taken in the 4th year will be included in the credits necessary for graduation. In this case, credits obtained in excess of 8 credits will be included in the elective required courses of the department.
4. If a student withdraws their early graduation request for September of the 3rd year or March of the 4th year, it will be necessary to take the Advanced Seminar in Sociology courses in each of the semesters in the 4th year. In this case, seminars taken in the 4th year must be selected from seminars conducted by the instructor in charge during the 3rd year.<sup>121</sup>
5. When a student graduating in September of the 3rd year or March of the 4th year submits a bachelor's thesis, it is necessary to register for the Bachelor's Thesis course in the final semester of enrollment and submit the thesis by the deadline specified by the department. It is necessary to receive guidance from an instructor in charge of the seminar when writing a bachelor's thesis.

### 3+2 Program with The Graduate Institute of Geneva

CourseCD	Course Title	Cr.	Semester Offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department
289299	3+2 PROGRAM WITH THE GRADUATE PROGRAM WITH GENEVA	10	SPR	Chair	1-4	Sociology

 This course is exclusive to those who enroll in the 3+2 Program with The Graduate Institute of Geneva

## 5. Specialized Education Courses

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses page of the other SPSF departments for Instructors and Remarks.

### 6. Specialized Education Courses of Department of Sociology

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses page of the other SPSF departments for Instructors and Remarks.

#### Major Core Category 1

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HSCS1020	289201	SOC102-83e00	FIRST YEAR SEMINAR IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR	SARUYA Hiroe	1	Sociology	[15], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS1010	289200	SOC101-83e00	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT	HOMMERICH Carola	1	Sociology	[20], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS1030	289202	SOC103-83e00	QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR	HOMMERICH Carola	1	Sociology	[30], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS2030	289203	SOC203-83e00	QUALITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT	BABIRYE Rebecca*	2	Sociology	[30], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS2010	289204	SOC366-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 1	2	AUT	HOMMERICH Carola	2	Sociology	[30], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS2020	289205	SOC367-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 2	2	SPR	HOMMERICH Carola	2	Sociology	[30], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS3010	289211	SOC401-83e00	ADVANCED SEMINAR IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR	HOMMERICH Carola	3-4	Sociology	Sociology-SPSF only
HSCS3020	289211	SOC401-83e00	ADVANCED SEMINAR IN SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT	HOMMERICH Carola	3-4	Sociology	Sociology-SPSF only
HSCS2040	289212	SOC207-83e00	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2	SPR	MORI IZUMI*	2	Sociology	[20], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF

#### Major Core Category 2

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HSCS5080	289223	SOC224-83e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL PROBLEMS: IMMIGRATION IN JAPAN AND INTEGRATION OF IMMIGRANTS	2	SPR	NAGAYOSHI Kikuko*	2-4	Sociology	[70], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5040	288807	SOC216-83e00	SOCIAL CHANGE IN POSTWAR JAPAN	2	SPR	SARUYA Hiroe	2-4	Sociology	Every other year; [50], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5060	289222	SOC206-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF FAMILIES	2	SPR	TABUCHI Rukuro	2-4	Sociology	[70], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5050	284930	SOC213-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBALIZATION	2	Not Offered	HOSOKI Ralph	2-4	Sociology	[70], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5010	289220	SOC204-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF HAPPINESS	2	AUT	HOMMERICH Carola	2-4	Sociology	[70], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5020	288893	SOC222-83e00	WORK AND EMPLOYMENT IN JAPAN	2	AUT	IMAI Jun	2-4	Sociology	[70], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5130	289229	SOC350-83e00	ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY	2	Not Offered	NAKAZAWA Hideo	2-4	Sociology	[70], every other year Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5140	289227	SOC348-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 1: INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES	2	SPR	ISSEN Iris*	3-4	Sociology	[70], Equivalent to 'SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY1'. Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5150	289230	SOC351-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 2: RESILIENCE AND FUTURE OF JAPANESE RURAL COMMUNITIES	2	AUT	POLAK-ROTTMANN Sebastian*	3-4	Sociology	[70], Prioritized for Sociology-SPSF
HSCS5200	289210	GRP402-83e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS	6	SPR	Supervisor	4	Sociology	Sociology-SPSF only
HSCS5210	289210	GRP402-83e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS	6	AUT	Supervisor	4	Sociology	Sociology-SPSF only
HJNS1010	268801	JRN101-19e00	COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		1-4	Journalism	
HJNS5010	268811	JRN201-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		2-4	Journalism	
HJNS5030	268813	JRN301-19e00	MASS MEDIA 1	2	AUT		3-4	Journalism	
HJNS5050	268815	JRN401-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		3-4	Journalism	
HEDS1010	147000	EDU235-81e00	INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE EDUCATION	2	AUT		1-2	Education	
HEDS5020	147022	EDU205-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 2: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION	2	AUT		1-4	Education	
EECS1002	498008	ECN113-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS	2	SPR		1	Economics	
EECS1001	498007	ECN112-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		1	Economics	
EECS5027	498025	ECN315-41e00	INTERMEDIATE MACROECONOMICS	2	Not Offered		2-4	Economics	
EECS1005	498040	ECN282-41e41	INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS	2	AUT		2	Economics	
EMGS5001	468058	ACC105-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING	2	AUT		1-4	Management	
EMGS5032	468033	MAN101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		1-4	Management	
EMGS5047	468039	MRK101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	2	AUT		1-4	Management	
EMGS5044	468036	MRK214-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 1	2	SPR		2-4	Management	
EMGS5035	468046	MAN235-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR	2	SPR		2-4	Management	
EMGS5037	468052	MAN227-42e00	STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		2-4	Management	
EMGS5038	468068	MAN345-42e00	CHALLENGING FRONTLINE ISSUES IN GLOBAL BUSINESS	4	Not Offered		3-4	Management	
BGSS1030	BGSS1030	ARS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO AREA STUDIES	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	
BGSS1010	BGSS1010	GST110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL STUDIES	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	
BGSS1020	BGSS1020	JRS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	
BGSS3004	BGSS2001	ASA233-21e00	BASICS OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES B	2	SPR		1-2	Global Studies	
ASOC3090	SOC309	SOC309-65e00	FOOD AND SOCIETY	4	SPR		2-4	FLA	
ASOC3370	SOC337	SOC337-65e00	POPULATION AND SOCIETY	4	SPR		2-4	FLA	
APOL3070	POL307	POL307-65e00	POLITICAL ECOLOGY	2	SPR		2-4	FLA	

#### SE Electives

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS5020	268812	JRN202-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR		2-4	Journalism	
HJNS6010	268820	JRN205-19e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL MEDIA	2	AUT		2-4	Journalism	
HEDS5070	147027	EDU244-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 3: EDUCATIONAL POLICY ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY ASIA	2	AUT		1-4	Education	
HEDS5060	147026	EDU208-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 4: GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP, HUMANITY EMPOWERMENT AND CRITICAL MORAL CONSCIOUSNESS	2	SPR		1-4	Education	
HEDS5050	147025	EDU209-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 5: INTRODUCTION TO EPISTEMIC INJUSTICE, TRANSFORMATION, AND EDUCATION	2	AUT		2-4	Education	

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
	HJNS5040	268814	JRN302-19e00	MASS MEDIA 2	2	SPR	3-4	Journalism	
	HJNS5070	268817	JRN340-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 1	2	SPR	3-4	Journalism	
	HJNS5080	268818	JRN341-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 2	2	AUT	3-4	Journalism	
	HJNS5090	268819	JRN342-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 3	2	SPR	3-4	Journalism	
	HJNS5060	268816	JRN402-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR	3-4	Journalism	
	HEDS1050	147001	EDU238-81e00	COMPARATIVE EDUCATION IN ASIA	2	SPR	2-4	Education	
	HEDS1040	147004	EDU206-81e00	CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION	2	SPR	1-2	Education	
	HEDS1030	147003	EDU203-81e00	EDUCATION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR	1-2	Education	
	HEDS1020	147002	EDU202-81e00	INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION	2	AUT	1-2	Education	
	HEDS5010	147021	EDU204-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 1: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION	2	Not Offered	1-4	Education	
	EECS5020	498015	ECN268-41e00	ASIAN ECONOMY	2	SPR	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5008	402110	ECN210-41e00	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5025	402080	ECN207-41e00	ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCE ECONOMICS	2	SPR	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5026	402100	ECN209-41e00	GAME THEORY	2	Not Offered	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5007	467969	ECN252-41e00	GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT GOALS	2	AUT	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5001	402060	ECN205-41e00	INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS	2	SPR	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5024	498010	ECN263-41e00	INTERNATIONAL FINANCE	2	Not Offered	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5004	402120	ECN211-41e00	JAPANESE ECONOMY 1	2	AUT	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5011	498014	ECN270-41e00	POVERTY IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY	2	SPR	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5028	498026	ECN275-41e00	ACTIVE LEARNING SEMINAR 1	2	SPR	1-4	Economics	
	EECS5029	498027	ECN307-41e00	ACTIVE LEARNING SEMINAR 2	2	AUT	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5032	498038	ECN278-41e00	ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL SECURITY	2	AUT	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5033	498039	ECN279-41e00	ECONOMICS OF MARKET FAILURES	2	SPR	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5019	498016	ECN269-41e00	AFRICAN ECONOMY	2	Not Offered	2-4	Economics	
	EECS5035	498042	ECN316-41e41	INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT	2-4	Economics	
	EMGS5045	468037	MRK215-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 2	2	AUT	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5052	468069	MAN237-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 1	2	SPR	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5053	468070	MAN238-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2	2	Not Offered	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5004	468059	ACC211-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5005	468060	ACC212-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5041	468050	ACC215-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5042	468051	ACC216-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5050	468048	MRK217-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 1	2	1Q	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5051	468049	MRK218-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 2	2	1Q	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5039	468034	ACC213-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 1	2	AUT	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5040	468035	ACC214-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 2	2	Not Offered	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5048	468040	MRK212-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 1	2	SPR	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5049	468041	MRK213-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 2	2	AUT	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5036	468047	MAN236-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY AND ANALYSIS	2	AUT	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5043	468010	MRK307-42e00	GLOBAL BRANDING	2	AUT	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5027	468062	ACC313-42e00	INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING	2	SPR	3-4	Management	
	EMGS5033	468044	MAN331-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 1	2	AUT	3-4	Management	
	EMGS5034	468045	MAN332-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 2	2	Not Offered	3-4	Management	
	EMGS5046	468038	MRK310-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MARKETING	2	SPR	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5055	468072	MAN333-42e00	ADVANCED STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT	2-4	Management	
	EMGS5056	468073	MAN346-42e00	GENERAL MANAGEMENT IN ACTION	2	Intensive (AUT)	2-4	Management	
	BGSS3003	BGS20000	ICP223-21e00	BASICS OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION B	2	Intensive (SPR)	1-2	Global Studies	
	BGSS3001	BGS59700	IRS216-21e00	INTERNATIONAL POLITICS: THEORY AND PRACTICE	2	AUT	1-2	Global Studies	
	BGSS3002	BGS59800	IRS217-21e00	INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION: THEORY AND PRACTICE	2	SPR	1-2	Global Studies	
	BGSS3013	BGS20006	ICP224-21e00	BASICS OF THEORIES OF CIVIL SOCIETY B	2	AUT	1-2	Global Studies	
	BGSS3016	BGS59500	ASA324-21e00	ASIAN POLITICS	2	SPR	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS3014	BGS20007	IRS332-21e00	CONFLICT RESOLUTION B	2	AUT	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS3008	BGS58300	AME318-21e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIETIES OF THE MIDDLE EAST	2	Not Offered	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS3006	BGS20002	ICP321-21e00	EDUCATION FOR MINORITIES IN JAPAN	2	1Q	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS3010	BGS58100	AAF316-21e00	LIFE AND CULTURE IN AFRICA	2	Not Offered	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS3015	BGS59000	IRS327-21e00	PEACE RESEARCH	2	SPR	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS3017	BGS20008	AME323-21e00	MODERN HISTORY OF THE MIDDLE EAST B	2	AUT	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS3007	BGS57900	ASA318-21e00	SOCIETY AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA	2	AUT	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS3005	BGS58500	IRS323-21e00	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	2	AUT	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS4004	BGS57508	ASA402-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (CULTURES AND SOCIETIES OF ASIA)	2	SPR	3-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS4002	BGS25000	IRS407-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (DEMOCRACY AND CONFLICT)	2	Not Offered	2-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS4006	BGS57517	ASA404-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (GLOBAL MIGRATION AND KOREANS IN JAPAN)	2	Not Offered	3-4	Global Studies	
	BGSS4001	BGS57516	IRS406-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS)	2	SPR	3-4	Global Studies	

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BGSS3018	BGS20009	ASA325-21e00	GLOBAL HISTORY AND ASIA	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3018	BGS62001	ICP403-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION)	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3023	BGS62000	ASA329-21e00	PREMODERN HISTORY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	

\*s name with \* = adjunct instructor

urses. Number in brackets is the capacity.

## Department of Economics SPSF Curriculum

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### Education and Research Objectives

To pursue in-depth study of fundamental micro- and macroeconomic theory, through seminars, lectures and other types of small-class teaching, and to theoretically and empirically examine issues related to economics in contemporary society.

### Human Resource Development Objectives

To produce graduates capable of applying economic concepts and tools to analyse contemporary social problems and phenomena; and of developing innovative ideas, utilising economic concepts, and analytical skills to critically examine global society.

## Department of Economics SPSF Curriculum ▶

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## Diploma Policy

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The Department of Economics sets standards for the skills and knowledge that students are required to achieve prior to graduation. Those who fulfill the graduation requirements will be awarded a diploma, being deemed to have acquired the following:

1. In-depth understanding of the approaches and concepts used in microeconomics and macroeconomics, which constitute the core of economic theory; and the ability to explain the concepts in their own words.
2. The ability to develop models or conceptual frameworks based on knowledge of economics, in order to explain economic and social problems in modern society and suggest viable approaches to solving the problems.
3. The ability to utilize economic knowledge and skills to perform statistical data analysis.
4. High-level communication and leadership skills that enable an appropriate contribution to the global community.
5. High-level expertise that enables each student to become a leader in modern society in accordance with his or her own individual qualities and interests.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course sets the following abilities which students should acquire before graduation as common requirements across its six departments (Department of Journalism, Department of Education, Department of Sociology, Department of Economics, Department of Management, Department of Global Studies).

6. The ability to learn the basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures,” to understand its importance, and to take action towards resolving challenges to the sustainable futures by drawing upon their academic discipline as well as from the other five disciplines in the SPSF course they learn.
7. The ability to understand and apply the interdisciplinary perspectives and methodologies, learned in their academic discipline and in the other five disciplines of SPSF , when addressing issues and presenting their ideas.

## Curriculum Policy

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For the purpose of achieving the requirements of the Diploma Policy, the Department of Economics has structured its curriculum as follows:

1. Students acquire fundamental knowledge of economic theory through Compulsory Courses (Introduction to Macroeconomics and Introduction to Microeconomics).
2. Students gain logical thinking skills and develop models to describe and analyse socioeconomic phenomena through applied Microeconomics and/or Macroeconomics (which are Elective Compulsory Courses).
3. Students acquire statistical analysis skills through data analysis courses (Introduction to Statistics and Introduction to Econometrics).
4. Students are provided with the opportunity for group discussions and group learning through Active Learning Seminars and Research Seminars so that they acquire the communication skills necessary to enable problem solving in cooperation with others.
5. From a global perspective, a diverse range of Specialized Courses is offered (International Economics and Business, Environmental and Natural Resource Economics, Contemporary Issues in International Development, International Finance, etc.) as Elective Compulsory Courses to deepen students' understanding of applying economic theory to modern society.
6. Based on the fundamental knowledge required in the common goals described in the Diploma Policy and in order to support students to acquire expertise while exploring their own individual qualities and interests, students are able to select various Specialized Courses, including courses offered by other departments and 128 faculties, in addition to advanced economics courses.

In addition to the above, SPSF constructs its curriculum in the following manner, for the purpose of achieving the common diploma policy across the six departments:

7. To enable the students during the first year to acquire a basic knowledge on "Sustainable Futures" and the relating issues through the SPSF General Studies Courses, drawing on the perspectives of six disciplines. Based on the acquired knowledge, the students will be able to deepen their understanding in various challenges related to the sustainable futures through Elective Courses in the University-wide General Studies Courses, and they will be also able to learn about the approaches, contents, and methodologies of the different disciplines through Specialized Courses offered by each department.
8. To enable students to gradually gain knowledge of the different disciplines of each Department and also acquire a wide range of knowledge through the courses offered by other faculties and departments which have been designated to offer Elective Compulsory Courses or Elective Courses. Thus, the



students will be able to acquire various perspectives, contents, and methodologies, as well as comprehensive approaches from the courses.

## 1. Courses and Minimum Number of Credits Required for Graduation

### 【For students who entered from 2022】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	-
Compulsory	8 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others, Liberal Arts of the Body: 1 Credit, Critical Thinking & Discussion, Overview of Data Science, Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality: 2 Credits)
Compulsory electives	6 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: 2 Credits, Advanced General Education Courses: 4 Credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures" 2 credits)
Electives	12 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures" 4 credits)
<b>Language</b>	-
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills "Academic Writing 1 & 2")
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	-
Compulsory	8 credits
Electives	86 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills "Academic Presentations" 2 credits)
<b>Total</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>

### 【For students who entered in 2020 or 2021】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	-
Compulsory	2 credits (Health and Physical Education: 2 credits)
Compulsory electives	4 credits Studies in Christian Humanism)
Electives	20 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based “First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures” and “Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)” 6 credits)
<b>Language</b>	-
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills “Academic Writing 1 & 2”)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	-
Compulsory	8 credits
Electives	86 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills “Academic Presentations”; and “Critical Thinking & Discussion” 4 credits)
<b>Total</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>

## 2. Distribution of Required Credits

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[For students who entered the program in 2025 or later]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism For Others, With Others	1	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2				
			Liberal Arts of the Body	1	Overview of Data Science	2				
Compulsory Electives	Advanced General Education Courses (SPSF Common Core/Theme Based)	6 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism		Studies in Christian Humanism	2				
			Advanced General Education Courses							
Electives	SPSF Common Core/Theme Based	12 cr	First Year Lecture n/about Sustainable Futures	4						
			Electives							

- General Studies Elective Courses taught in English  
 - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester  
 - Language(s) up to 8 cr/3, 3, 4  
 - Credits earned in excess of 6 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2				

○ Specialized Education (94 cr)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	
Compulsory	Major Core (Compulsory)	8 cr	Introduction to Microeconomics	2	Introduction to Statistics	2	Introduction to Econometrics	2			
			Introduction to Macroeconomics	2							
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	2 cr	Academic Presentations	2							
			Major Core (Compulsory Electives)	34 cr							
Electives	SE Electives	50 cr	- Courses from Econ Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives)]: Maximum 8 cr. ※1, 2. - Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese [Compulsory Electives (選択必修)]: Maximum 8 cr. ※1, 2. - Research Seminar 2, 3, and 4 from Management Dept. - SE Electives: Maximum 50 cr - The excess credits of Major Core (Compulsory Electives): Maximum 50 cr - Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese (Compulsory Electives (選択必修) or Electives (選択)) : Maximum 24 cr. ※1, 2, 3, 4 - Courses from Other Dept taught in Category C - Foreign languages: Maximum 4 cr ※1, 3, 4 Maximum 16 cr in total - Courses from Other Dept or Faculty taught in English or Japanese. ※1 - Courses for Teacher & Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)". ※1 - Courses from SAIMS Program								

※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

※2 "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (BASIC/経済英語Ⅰ(BASIC))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (BASIC/経済英語Ⅱ(BASIC))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (INTERMEDIATE/経済英語Ⅰ(INTERMEDIATE))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (INTERMEDIATE/経済英語Ⅱ(INTERMEDIATE))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (SPECIALIZED/経済英語Ⅰ(SPECIALIZED))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (SPECIALIZED/経済英語Ⅱ(SPECIALIZED))" offered in the Japanese-track program cannot be included in the graduation requirements.

※3 Language Courses offered by CLER in the Japanese-track program cannot be included in the graduation requirements.

※4 For details regarding Language courses, LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH) and SPSF Language Courses chart in 2025 SOPHIA PROGRAM FOR SUSTAINABLE FUTURES of Bulletin of Information

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[For students who entered the program in 2023 and 2024]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism For Others, With Others	1	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2				
			Liberal Arts of the Body	1	Overview of Data Science	2				
Compulsory Electives	Studies in Christian Humanism	6 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism		Studies in Christian Humanism	2				
			Advanced General Education Courses (SPSF Common Core/Theme Based)							
Electives	SPSF Common Core/Theme Based	12 cr	First Year Lecture n/about Sustainable Futures	4						
			Electives							

- General Studies Elective Courses taught in English  
 - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester  
 - Language(s) up to 8 cr/3, 3, 4  
 - Credits earned in excess of 6 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2				

○ Specialized Education (94 cr)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	
Compulsory	Major Core (Compulsory)	8 cr	Introduction to Microeconomics	2	Introduction to Statistics	2	Introduction to Econometrics	2			
			Introduction to Macroeconomics	2							
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	2 cr	Academic Presentations	2							
			Major Core (Compulsory Electives)	34 cr							
Electives	SE Electives	50 cr	- Courses from Econ Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives)]: Maximum 30 cr - Courses from Other Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives), Discipline/Research]: Minimum 4 cr, Maximum 30 cr - Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese (Compulsory Electives (選択必修) or Electives (選択)) : Maximum 8 cr. ※1, 2. - SE Electives: Maximum 50 cr - The excess credits of Major Core (Compulsory Electives): Maximum 50 cr - Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese (Compulsory Electives (選択必修) or Electives (選択)) : Maximum 24 cr. ※1, 2, 3, 4 - Foreign languages: Maximum 4 cr ※1, 3, 4 Maximum 16 cr in total - Courses from Other Dept or Faculty taught in English or Japanese. ※1 - Courses for Teacher & Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)". ※1 - Courses from SAIMS Program								

※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

※2 "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (BASIC/経済英語Ⅰ(BASIC))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (BASIC/経済英語Ⅱ(BASIC))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (INTERMEDIATE/経済英語Ⅰ(INTERMEDIATE))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (INTERMEDIATE/経済英語Ⅱ(INTERMEDIATE))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (SPECIALIZED/経済英語Ⅰ(SPECIALIZED))", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (SPECIALIZED/経済英語Ⅱ(SPECIALIZED))" offered in the Japanese-track program cannot be included in the graduation requirements.

※3 Language Courses offered by CLER in the Japanese-track program cannot be included in the graduation requirements.

※4 For details regarding Language courses, LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH) and SPSF Language Courses chart in 2025 SOPHIA PROGRAM FOR SUSTAINABLE FUTURES of Bulletin of Information

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[For students who entered in 2022]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others Liberal Arts of the Body Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality	1 Critical Thinking & Discussion 2 Overview of Data Science	2					
Compulsory Electives	Studies in Christian Humanism	6 cr			Studies in Christian Humanism	2			Advanced General Education Courses	2
Electives	SPSF Common Core (Theme Based) Electives	12 cr	First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures - General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester - Language(s): up to 8 cr ※1, 3, 4 - Credits earned in excess of 6 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.	4						

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2				

○ Specialized Education (94 cr)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
			Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	
Compulsory	Major Core (Compulsory)	8 cr	Introduction to Microeconomics	2	Introduction to Statistics Introduction to Macroeconomics	2	Introduction to Data Analysis	2			
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills) Major Core (Compulsory Electives)	24 cr	Academic Presentations	2	-Courses from Econ Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives)]: Maximum 30 cr -Courses from Other Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives), Discipline/ Research]: Minimum 4 cr, Maximum 30 cr -Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese [Compulsory Electives (選択必修)]: Maximum 8 cr ※1, 2 -SE Electives: Maximum 50 cr -The excess credits of Major Core (Compulsory Electives): Maximum 50 cr -Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese [Compulsory Electives (選択必修) or Electives (選択)]: Maximum 24 cr ※1, 2, 3, 4 -Foreign languages: Maximum 4 cr ※1, 3, 4						
Electives	SE Electives	50 cr	Maximum 16 cr in total -Courses from Other Dept or Faculty taught in English or Japanese ※1 -Courses for Teacher & Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)". ※1 -Courses from SAIMS Program								

- ※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.  
 ※2 "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (BASIC)/経済英語1 (BASIC)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (BASIC)/経済英語2 (BASIC)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (INTERMEDIATE)/経済英語1 (INTERMEDIATE)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (INTERMEDIATE)/経済英語2 (INTERMEDIATE)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (SPECIALIZED)/経済英語1 (SPECIALIZED)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (SPECIALIZED)/経済英語2 (SPECIALIZED)" offered in the Japanese-track program cannot be included in the graduation requirements.  
 ※3 Language Courses offered by CLER in the Japanese-track program cannot be included in the graduation requirements.  
 ※4 For details regarding Language courses, LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH) and SPSF Language Courses chart in 2025 SOPHIA PROGRAM FOR SUSTAINABLE FUTURES of Bulletin of Information

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[For students who entered in 2021]

○ General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
			Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	
Compulsory	Compulsory	2 cr	Health and Physical Education								
Compulsory Electives	Compulsory Electives	4 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism								
Electives	SPSF Common Core (Theme Based) Electives	6 cr	First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures	4				Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)	2		
		14 cr	- General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - Japanese or any other Language(s): up to 8 cr ※1, 3, 4								

○ Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2				

○ Specialized Education (94 cr)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
			Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	
Compulsory	Major Core (Compulsory)	8 cr	Introduction to Microeconomics	2	Introduction to Statistics	2	Introduction to Data Analysis (~2023) Introduction to Econometrics (2024~)	2			
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills) Major Core (Compulsory Electives)	34 cr	Academic Presentations	2	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2	-Courses from Econ Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives)]: Maximum 30 cr -Courses from Other Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives), Discipline/ Research]: Minimum 4 cr, Maximum 30 cr -Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese [Compulsory Electives (選択必修)]: Maximum 8 cr ※1, 2 -SE Electives: Maximum 48 cr -The excess credits of Major Core (Compulsory Electives): Maximum 48 cr -Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese [Compulsory Electives (選択必修) or Electives (選択)]: Maximum 24 cr ※1, 2, 3, 4 -FLA course(s) with course numbers starting with "BE": Maximum 48 cr -Foreign languages: Maximum 4 cr ※1, 3, 4				
Electives	SE Electives	48 cr	Maximum 16 cr in total -Courses from Other Dept or Faculty taught in English or Japanese ※1 -Courses for Teacher & Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)". ※1 -Courses from SAIMS Program								

- ※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.  
 ※2 "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (BASIC)/経済英語1 (BASIC)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (BASIC)/経済英語2 (BASIC)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (INTERMEDIATE)/経済英語1 (INTERMEDIATE)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (INTERMEDIATE)/経済英語2 (INTERMEDIATE)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (SPECIALIZED)/経済英語1 (SPECIALIZED)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (SPECIALIZED)/経済英語2 (SPECIALIZED)" offered in the Japanese Track are not included in graduation requirements.  
 ※3 Language Courses offered by CLER in own Department's Japanese Track are not included in graduation requirements.  
 ※4 For details regarding Language courses, LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH) and SPSF Language Courses chart in 2025 SOPHIA PROGRAM FOR SUSTAINABLE FUTURES of Bulletin of Information

Department of Economics  
 [For students who entered in 2020]

O General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	Compulsory	2 cr							
Compulsory Electives	Compulsory Electives	4 cr	Health and Physical Education	2					
			Studies in Christian Humanism	4					
Electives	SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)	6 cr	First Year Lecture (or) about Sustainable Futures	4			Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)	2	
	Electives	14 cr	* General Studies Elective Courses taught in English Japanese or any other Language(s): up to 8 cr ※1, 3, 4						

O Language (4 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2			

O Specialized Education (94 cr)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	Major Core (Compulsory)	8 cr	Introduction to Microeconomics	2	Introduction to Statistics	2			
			Introduction to Macroeconomics	2	Introduction to Data Analysis	2			
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Presentations	2	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2			
Electives	Major Core (Compulsory Electives)	34 cr	*Courses from Econ Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives)]: Maximum 30 cr *Courses from Other Dept taught in English [Major Core (Compulsory Electives), Discipline/ Research]: Minimum 4 cr, Maximum 30 cr *Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese [Compulsory Electives (選択必修)]: Maximum 8 cr ※1, 2						
	SE Electives	48 cr	*SE Electives: Maximum 48 cr *The excess credits of Major Core (Compulsory Electives): Maximum 48 cr *Courses from Econ Dept taught in Japanese (Compulsory Electives (選択必修) or Electives (選択)): Maximum 24 cr ※1, 2, 3, 4 *FLA course(s) with course numbers starting with "IBE": Maximum 48 cr *Foreign languages: Maximum 4 cr ※1, 3, 4 Maximum 16 cr in total *Courses from Other Dept or Faculty taught in English or Japanese ※1 *Courses for Teacher & Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)". ※1 *Courses from SAMS Program						

※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

※2 "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (BASIC)/経済英語Ⅰ (BASIC)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (BASIC)/経済英語Ⅱ (BASIC)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (INTERMEDIATE)/経済英語Ⅰ (INTERMEDIATE)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (INTERMEDIATE)/経済英語Ⅱ (INTERMEDIATE)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 1 (SPECIALIZED)/経済英語Ⅰ (SPECIALIZED)", "ENGLISH FOR ECONOMICS 2 (SPECIALIZED)/経済英語Ⅱ (SPECIALIZED)" offered in the Japanese Track are not included in graduation requirements.

※3 Language Courses offered by CLER in own Department's Japanese Track are not included in graduation requirements.

※4 For details regarding Language courses, LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH) and SPSF Language Courses chart in 2025 SOPHA PROGRAM FOR SUSTAINABLE FUTURES of Bulletin of Information

### 3. Guidelines for Course Registration

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Please read this handbook carefully to find out about courses required for graduation and the minimum requirements for the number of credits (Compulsory, Compulsory Electives, Electives).

#### ① Precautions regarding the number of credits required for Specialized Education (SE) courses

1. Students are advised to take as many Specialized Education (SE) courses specified in Major Core (Compulsory Electives) courses as possible.
2. When students have obtained the specified number of credits for graduation in Major Core (Compulsory Electives) courses, the excess amount will be regarded as SE Electives.
3. If students take the same course twice, they will only be able to count the credits they obtained for taking the course once toward graduation. The same course refers to;
  - ① a course with the same title
  - ② a course that is described in the Handbook as being considered to be the same course even if the title of the course is different

#### ② Precautions regarding the year of study

1. Students can register for any General Studies courses regardless of which year they are in except for Advanced General Education Courses.
2. Language courses: Students are advised to take Language courses, i.e., SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills), in the first year.
3. The year of study shown in the list of assigned courses and the numbering is the standard for the year of study for Specialized Education Compulsory Electives and Elective courses.
4. Seminars and Bachelor Thesis: SPSF students have the opportunity to take Japanese-style seminars and write a Bachelor thesis. There are specific requirements and registration procedures, which are explained in detail in points ④ and ⑤ below.

#### ③ Precautions regarding Specialized Education (SE) courses

1. Obtaining credits for courses other than courses described in the list of assigned courses:
  - a) When students have obtained credits for Compulsory Elective courses in the Economics Department Japanese-track program, a maximum of 8 credits can be counted as credits for SPSF Compulsory Elective courses.
  - b) If the number of credits for Compulsory Elective courses in the Economics Department Japanese-track program exceeds 8, up to 24 excess credits can be added to credits of SPSF Elective course.
  - c) Other Faculty/Department Courses, Courses for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except “Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育演習 1,2,3)” and “Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習 1,2)” and General Studies Course(s) – SAIMS Program course(s) can be included as credits for SPSF Elective courses up to a maximum of 16 credits.
  - d) However, General Studies courses apart from the SAIMS Program cannot be included as credits for SPSF Elective courses.
2. Restrictions on Enrollment Timing for Compulsory Elective Courses offered in the Department of Economics
  - a) The first year SPSF students in the Department of Economics may take only the following three compulsory courses  
Introduction to Microeconomics  
Introduction to Macroeconomics  
Introduction to Statistics
  - b) and the following compulsory elective courses from courses offered in the Department of Economics.  
Mathematics for Economics

Applied Microeconomics  
Applied Macroeconomics

3. Regarding prerequisite courses

a) Department of Economics students who take compulsory elective and specialized elective courses from the department should note that prior to enrollment it is highly recommended that they successfully complete “INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS”, “INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS”, and “INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS”.

b) Also, to enroll in Japanese Track courses shown in the table below, successful completion of 3 courses out of 4 following compulsory courses are required: “INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS”, “INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS”, “INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS” and “INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS (formerly named as INTRODUCTION TO DATA ANALYSIS)”. These courses are called “prerequisite.”

c) Successful completion of “INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS” is a prerequisite for enrolment in “INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS (formerly named as INTRODUCTION TO DATA ANALYSIS)”.

d) Consultation with your academic advisor or the course instructor is advised.

4. Precautions related to Category A, B and C: Course Categories (Compulsory, Compulsory Electives, Electives) need to follow the handbook of the year in which the credits were obtained.

Japanese Track Courses having Prerequisite Courses	
選択必修科目 (B群) 計量経済学I 計量経済学II 国際貿易論I 国際貿易論II 金融論 金融論II 財政学I 財政学II 経済発展論 労働経済学I 労働経済学II	選択科目 (C-1群) 中級ミクロ経済学 中級マクロ経済学

#### ④SPSF Track Research Seminars and Japanese Track “演習” (Enshuu)

1. Research Seminars and 演習 are series of smaller specialized classes across four semesters that allow students to discuss and research more deeply into specific areas of economics. While they are not compulsory, they provide capstone learning opportunities for students in their area of interest.
2. Prerequisite for registering Research Seminar 3 & 4 or Japanese-track Seminars 3 & 4
  - 2-1. SPSF students must complete all the three courses listed below before registering for Research Seminar 3 & 4 or Japanese-track Seminars 3 & 4.
    - INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS
    - INTERMEDIATE MACROECONOMICS
    - INTERMEDIATE ECONOMETRICS
  - 2-2. This rule applies to students who take Research Seminars or Japanese-track Seminars offered in the Department of Management.
  - 2-3. Exceptions may be granted in special cases through consultation between the instructor of Research Seminar 3 & 4 or Japanese-track Seminars 3 & 4 and the primary SPSF coordinator in the Department of Economics.
3. SPSF students can apply to enroll in a Research Seminar or Japanese Track “演習” (Enshuu) in either the Department of Management or the Department of Economics. Both Research Seminars and 演習 commence in the Spring semester (SPSF second year) and run across four semesters (i.e. Seminar/演習 1, 2, 3, 4) finishing in Autumn semester of the fourth year.
4. To enroll in a Research Seminar or 演習, students are required to first register through the Faculty of Economics office and to pass their advisor’s examination in the Autumn semester of their second year. Students should follow guidance from the Faculty of Economics and consult with their academic advisor as necessary. In principle, students cannot



change seminars/演習 once they have successfully registered and been accepted, and except for special circumstances (such as study abroad) are expected to complete Seminars 1 through 4.

5. Japanese track “Seminar (演習) 1,2, 3, 4” (regardless of language used in the seminar) are considered as “courses taught in Japanese”. You may want to be careful about this fact if you are counting the total number of credits earned from courses taught in Japanese.
6. Students who wish to enroll in a seminar/演習 outside the Faculty of Economics need to consult with the office of that faculty regarding enrolment procedures and the instructor of that seminar. Acquired credit will count towards Elective (other faculty/department course) credit only, which have a strict limit of 12 credits for graduation.

### ⑤List of Courses as same content

The courses on this list should be considered as same courses if the professor is different. Generally, students can enroll one time.

Before change	Before change	Before change	Before change	After change	After change	After change	After change
Course CD	Course Title	Cr.	Year	Course CD	Course title	Cr.	Year2
	INTRODUCTION TO DATA ANALYSIS	2	~2023		INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS	2	2024~
	ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL POLICY	2	~2023		INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS	2	2024~
	QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS OF SOCIAL ISSUES	2	~2023		INTERMEDIATE ECONOMETRICS	2	2024~
	SPSF SEMINAR: MICROECONOMICS 1	2	~2023		RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	2024~
	SPSF SEMINAR: MICROECONOMICS 2	2	~2023		RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	2024~
	SPSF SEMINAR: MICROECONOMICS 3	2	~2023		RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	2024~
	SPSF SEMINAR: MICROECONOMICS 4	2	~2023		RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	2024~
	SPSF SEMINAR: MACROECONOMICS 1	2	~2023		RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	2024~
	SPSF SEMINAR: MACROECONOMICS 2	2	~2023		RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	2024~
	SPSF SEMINAR: MACROECONOMICS 3	2	~2023		RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	2024~

	SPSF SEMINAR: MACROECONOMICS 4	2	~2023		RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	2024~
	PUBLIC ECONOMICS 1	2	~2022		ECONOMICS OF MARKET FAILURES	2	2023~
	TOPICS IN MODERN MACROECONOMICS	2	~2021		INTERMEDIATE MACROECONOMICS	2	2022~

## ◎Bachelor Thesis

1. The Bachelor Thesis is a peak capstone learning experience in the final semester that requires the student to plan, execute, and write a research project under the supervision of an instructor.
2. Due to the need to work with a supervisor, the Bachelor Thesis is only open to students who have enrolled in a Research Seminar in the Faculty of Economics. In principle, students who join a Seminar or 演習 of other faculties will not be able to enroll in Bachelor Thesis for credit in the Department of Economics.
3. Students who join a Research Seminar from the Department of Management may be eligible to enroll in and write a Bachelor Thesis with their supervisor provided that they meet Department of Management requirements and receive formal permission from their Department of Management seminar supervisor.
4. An agreement of supervision must be obtained from the professor of the Seminar/演習 that the student belongs to, and is at the discretion of the professor. Second year students considering joining a Japanese Track 演習 should carefully check which instructors are offering supervision for Bachelor Thesis and whether any conditions exist before registering for their choice of 演習.
5. Students should carefully confirm other conditions of enrolment in the Bachelor Thesis, including required academic standing (GPA) and course enrolment record, and adhere to guidance given prior to the seminar registration and Bachelor Thesis enrolment periods.

## ⑦Course Numbering

Numbering shown in the list of assigned courses refer to the following. For information about numbering, refer to 4. Numbering in Academic Services.

Field (alphabets)	Field (English)	Field (Japanese)
ECN	Economics	経済学
MAN	Management	経営学
LAW	Law in general	法律一般
TCP	Teacher-training Course Program	教職科目

## 4. Early graduation

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### ① Department of Economics Early Graduation System

Early graduation refers to an enrollment period of at least 3 years (excluding periods of absence), and graduating at the end of the 3rd year or at the end of the Autumn Semester in the 4th year, upon completion of the prescribed procedures (hereinafter referred to as “graduation in September of the 3rd year” or “graduation in March of the 4th year”, respectively).

### ② Requirements for Early Graduation

In order to graduate early, all of the following requirements must be fulfilled.

1. The student must wish to graduate early.
2. At the time of early graduation, the student must have obtained all the credits for prescribed courses necessary for graduation.
3. The Grade Point Average (hereafter referred to as “the GPA”) for the total number of credits obtained must be 3.5 or more at the time of early graduation. GPA is calculated based on Sophia University Article 55. The student must wish to graduate early.

### ③ Application

When requesting early graduation, it is necessary to apply for early graduation registration.

1. In order to apply for early graduation registration, it is necessary to satisfy the following requirements:
  - 1.1. Upon completion of the 2nd year, students are required to obtain at least 62 credits from Sophia University that count toward graduation.
  - 1.2. The GPA for the abovementioned number of credits obtained is 3.0 or above.
2. The procedures for registering a request for early graduation are as follows:
  - 2.1. Students need to obtain an Application for Early Graduation Registration in the predetermined format at the Department of Economics Office.
  - 2.2. After receiving an approval seal/signature from your seminar supervisor (hereinafter referred to as the “supervisor”; if you are not taking a seminar, receive a stamp from the Chairperson), submit the form to the Chairperson by the submission deadline.
3. After registering a request for early graduation, it is necessary to receive course guidance from your supervisor, report your academic progress to the supervisor regularly and receive appropriate guidance.

### ④ Changes of period and withdrawal

Changes to the graduation period and withdrawal of early graduation registration will be carried out as follows:

1. To alter the period of a request for early graduation, it is necessary to receive an approval seal/signature from your supervisor on the prescribed Notice of Changes to Period of Request for Early Graduation, and submit it to the Chairperson by the submission deadline.
2. To withdraw early graduation registration, it is necessary to receive an approval seal/signature from your supervisor on the prescribed Notice of Withdrawal of Registration of Request for Early Graduation, and submit it to the Chairperson by the deadline.

### ⑤ Re-application

If a student wishing to graduate in September of the 3rd year subsequently withdraws the early graduation registration, he or she may register for early graduation in March of the 4th year in September of the 4th year provided that the Chairperson considers that special circumstances exist. If a student wishes to reregister, it is necessary to receive authorization from the Chairperson in advance and submit a re-application for Early Graduation Registration to the Chairperson.

# For details, inquire at the Department of Economics Office (Room 2-1115a, 11th Floor, Building No. 2)

Documents to be Submitted	Submission Period
Application for Early Graduation Registration	September of the 3rd year
Notice of Changes to Period of Request for Early Graduation	By the last day of the course registration period in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year
Notice of Withdrawal of Registration of Request for Early Graduation	(1) In the case of cancellation of graduation in September of the 3rd year : Suspension period of 2nd quarter courses in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year (2) In the case of cancellation of graduation in March of the 4th year : Suspension period of 4th quarter courses in the Autumn Semester of the 4th year
Re-Application for Early Graduation Registration	September of the 4th year

## 5. Specialized Education Courses

### Specialized Education Courses of Department of Economics

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses page of the other SPSF departments for Instructors and Remarks.

#### Category A : Major Core (Compulsory)

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EECS1002	498008	ECN113-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS	2	SPR	LEYTON, Samuel	1	Economics	[150]
EECS1001	498007	ECN112-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	1	Economics	[150]
EECS1003	498017	ECN105-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2	SPR	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	1	Economics	[150]
EECS1005	498040	ECN282-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS	2	AUT	TBA	2	Economics	[86]

#### Category B : Major Core (Compulsory Electives)

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EECS5018	498021	ECN106-41e00	MATHEMATICS FOR ECONOMICS	2	AUT	KAWANISHI, Satoshi	1	Economics	[60]
EECS5019	498016	ECN269-41e00	AFRICAN ECONOMY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5020	498015	ECN268-41e00	ASIAN ECONOMY	2	SPR	WATANABE, Yuta	2~4	Economics	
EECS5008	402110	ECN210-41e00	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR	HIGUCHI, Yuki	2~4	Economics	
EECS5025	402080	ECN207-41e00	ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCE ECONOMICS	2	SPR	HORIE, Tetsuya	2~4	Economics	
EECS5026	402100	ECN209-41e00	GAME THEORY	2	Not Offered	KAMAGA, Kohei	2~4	Economics	
EECS5007	467969	ECN252-41e00	GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT GOALS	2	AUT	PUTHENKALAM, John Joseph	2~4	Economics	
EECS5034	498041	ECN317-41e00	INTERMEDIATE ECONOMETRICS	2	SPR	TAKAHASHI, Masaki	2~4	Economics	
EECS5027	498025	ECN315-41e00	INTERMEDIATE MACROECONOMICS	2	Not Offered	SCHLEGL, Matthias	2~4	Economics	[70]
EECS5035	498042	ECN316-41e00	INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	2~4	Economics	
EECS5001	402060	ECN205-41e00	INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS	2	SPR	YOMOGIDA, Morihiro	2~4	Economics	[50]
EECS5024	498010	ECN263-41e00	INTERNATIONAL FINANCE	2	Not Offered	SCHLEGL, Matthias	2~4	Economics	[50]
EECS5004	402120	ECN211-41e00	JAPANESE ECONOMY 1	2	AUT	MINAMHASHI, Naoki	2~4	Economics	[50]
EECS5011	498014	ECN270-41e00	POVERTY IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY	2	SPR	TAKAMATSU, Shinya	2~4	Economics	
EECS5033	498039	ECN279-41e00	ECONOMICS OF MARKET FAILURES	2	SPR	OGAWA, Hikaru*	2~4	Economics	
EECS5032	498038	ECN278-41e00	ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL SECURITY	2	AUT	KONDO, Hiroki	2~4	Economics	
EECS5036	498047	ECN283-41e00	TIME SERIES ANALYSIS	2	SPR	MAJONI, Blessings*	2~4	Economics	[156]
EECS5037	498048	ECN284-41e00	INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION	2	AUT	JINUSHI, Ryoji*	2~4	Economics	[200]
EECS5038	498049	ECN285-41e00	ECONOMICS OF FINANCIAL MARKETS	2	SPR	WATKINS, Clinton*	2~4	Economics	[200]
EECS5039	498050	ECN286-41e00	APPLIED ECONOMETRICS	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	[120]
EECS5817	498051	ECN114-41e00	APPLIED MACROECONOMICS	2	SPR	LEYTON, Samuel	2~4	Economics	[150]
EECS5818	498052	ECN115-41e00	APPLIED MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT	LEYTON, Samuel	2~4	Economics	[200]
EECS5819	498053	ECN287-41e00	LONG-RUN ECONOMIC GROWTH	2	AUT	LEYTON, Samuel	2~4	Economics	[150]
EECS5820	498054	ECN288-41e00	POLITICAL ECONOMY	2	SPR	LEYTON, Samuel	2~4	Economics	[150]
EECS5821	498055	ECN289-41e00	LABOR ECONOMICS	2	AUT	LEYTON, Samuel	2~4	Economics	[150]
EECS5028	498026	ECN275-41e00	ACTIVE LEARNING SEMINAR 1	2	SPR	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	2~4	Economics	[20]
EECS5029	498027	ECN307-41e00	ACTIVE LEARNING SEMINAR 2	2	AUT	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	2~4	Economics	[20]
EECS5809	498043	ECN312-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	Not Offered	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	2	Economics	
EECS5810	498044	ECN313-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	Not Offered	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	3	Economics	
EECS5811	498045	ECN406-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	Not Offered	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	3	Economics	
EECS5812	498046	ECN407-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	Not Offered	NAKAMURA, Sayaka	4	Economics	
EECS5813	498043	ECN312-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	SPR	SCHLEGL, Matthias	2	Economics	
EECS5814	498044	ECN313-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	AUT	SCHLEGL, Matthias	3	Economics	
EECS5815	498045	ECN406-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	SPR	SCHLEGL, Matthias	3	Economics	
EECS5816	498046	ECN407-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	AUT	SCHLEGL, Matthias	4	Economics	
EECS5900	499000	GRP401-41e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS	4	SPR	Staff	4	Economics	Economics-SPSF and Management-SPSF Only.
EMGS5057	468080	MMI311-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	SPR		3	Management	
EMGS5058	468081	MMI312-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	AUT		3	Management	
EMGS5059	468082	MMI405-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	SPR		4	Management	
EMGS5060	468083	MMI406-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	AUT		4	Management	
EMGS5061	468080	MMI311-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	SPR		3	Management	
EMGS5062	468081	MMI312-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	AUT		3	Management	
EMGS5063	468082	MMI405-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	SPR		4	Management	
EMGS5064	468083	MMI406-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	AUT		4	Management	

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EMGS5065	468080	MMI311-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	Not Offered		3	Management	
EMGS5066	468081	MMI312-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	Not Offered		3	Management	
EMGS5067	468082	MMI405-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	Not Offered		4	Management	
EMGS5068	468083	MMI406-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	Not Offered		4	Management	
EMGS5900	469000	GRP401-42e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS	4	Not Offered		4	Management	

Category C - SE Electives

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS1010	268801	JRN101-19e00	COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		1~4	Journalism	※1
HJNS5010	268811	JRN201-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS5020	268812	JRN202-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS6010	268820	JRN205-19e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL MEDIA	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS6020	268821	JRN206-19e00	MEDIA ENGLISH	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS6030	268822	JRN207-19e00	GLOBAL MEDIA PROGRAM	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5030	268813	JRN301-19e00	MASS MEDIA 1	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5040	268814	JRN302-19e00	MASS MEDIA 2	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HEDS1030	147003	EDU203-81e00	EDUCATION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Education	※1
HEDS1010	147000	EDU235-81e00	INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	※1
HEDS1050	147001	EDU238-81e00	COMPARATIVE EDUCATION IN ASIA	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS1040	147004	EDU206-81e00	CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION	2	SPR		1~2	Education	
HEDS1020	147002	EDU202-81e00	INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION	2	AUT		1~2	Education	
HEDS5010	147021	EDU204-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 1: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION	2	Not Offered		1~4	Education	
HEDS5020	147022	EDU205-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 2: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION	2	AUT		1~4	Education	
HEDS5070	147027	EDU244-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 3: EDUCATIONAL POLICY ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY ASIA	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HEDS5060	147026	EDU242-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 4: GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP, HUMANITY EMPOWERMENT AND CRITICAL MORAL CONSCIOUSNESS	2	SPR		1~4	Education	
HEDS5050	147025	EDU209-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 5: INTRODUCTION TO EPISTEMIC INJUSTICE, TRANSFORMATION, AND EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HSCS1010	289200	SOC101-83e00	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		1	Sociology	※1
HSCS1030	289202	SOC103-83e00	QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR		1	Sociology	※1
HSCS2030	289203	SOC203-83e00	QUALITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		2	Sociology	※1
HSCS5080	289223	SOC224-83e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL PROBLEMS: IMMIGRATION IN JAPAN AND INTEGRATION OF IMMIGRANTS	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5040	288807	SOC216-83e00	SOCIAL CHANGE IN POSTWAR JAPAN	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5060	289222	SOC206-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF FAMILIES	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5050	284930	SOC213-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBALIZATION	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5010	289220	SOC204-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF HAPPINESS	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5020	288893	SOC222-83e00	WORK AND EMPLOYMENT IN JAPAN	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5130	289229	SOC350-83e00	ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS2010	289204	SOC366-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 1	2	AUT		2	Sociology	
HSCS2020	289205	SOC367-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 2	2	SPR		2	Sociology	
HSCS5140	289227	SOC348-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 1: INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES	2	SPR		3~4	Sociology	
EMGS5038	468068	MAN345-42e00	CHALLENGING FRONTLINE ISSUES IN GLOBAL BUSINESS	4	Not Offered		3~4	Management	※1
EMGS5032	468033	MAN101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		1~4	Management	※1
EMGS5047	468039	MRK101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	2	AUT		1~4	Management	※1
EMGS5001	468058	ACC105-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5048	468040	MRK212-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	※1
EMGS5037	468052	MAN227-42e00	STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		2~4	Management	※1
EMGS5044	468036	MRK214-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5045	468037	MRK215-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5004	468059	ACC211-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5005	468060	ACC212-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5041	468050	ACC209-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5042	468051	ACC210-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5050	468048	MRK217-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 1	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5051	468049	MRK218-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 2	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5039	468034	ACC213-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 1	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5040	468035	ACC214-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	

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EMGS5049	468041	MRK213-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5035	468046	MAN235-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5036	468047	MAN236-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY AND ANALYSIS	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5043	468010	MRK307-42e00	GLOBAL BRANDING	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5027	468062	ACC313-42e00	INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING	2	SPR		3~4	Management	
EMGS5033	468044	MAN331-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 1	2	AUT		3~4	Management	
EMGS5034	468045	MAN332-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 2	2	Not Offered		3~4	Management	
EMGS5046	468038	MRK310-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MARKETING	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5052	468069	MAN237-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5053	468070	MAN238-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
EMGS5055	468072	MAN333-42e00	ADVANCED STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5056	468073	MAN346-42e00	GENERAL MANAGEMENT IN ACTION	2	AUT intensive		2~4	Management	
BGSS1030	BGSS1030	ARS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO AREA STUDIES	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	※1
BGSS1010	BGSS1010	GST110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL STUDIES	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	※1
BGSS1020	BGSS1020	IRS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	※1
BGSS3003	BGS20000	ICP223-21e00	BASICS OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION B	2	SPR intensive		1~2	Global Studies	
BGSS3013	BGS20006	ICP224-21e00	BASICS OF THEORIES OF CIVIL SOCIETY B	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3004	BGS20001	ASA233-21e00	BASICS OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES B	2	SPR		1~2	Global Studies	
BGSS3016	BGS59500	ASA324-21e00	ASIAN POLITICS	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3014	BGS20007	IRS332-21e00	CONFLICT RESOLUTION B	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3008	BGS58300	AME318-21e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIETIES OF THE MIDDLE EAST	2	Not Offered		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3006	BGS20002	ICP321-21e00	EDUCATION FOR MINORITIES IN JAPAN	2	1Q		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3010	BGS58100	AAF316-21e00	LIFE AND CULTURE IN AFRICA	2	Not Offered		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3015	BGS59000	IRS327-21e00	PEACE RESEARCH	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3007	BGS57900	ASA318-21e00	SOCIETY AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3005	BGS58500	IRS323-21e00	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3017	BGS20008	AME323-21e00	MODERN HISTORY OF THE MIDDLE EAST B	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3018	BGS20009	ASA325-21e00	GLOBAL HISTORY AND ASIA	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4004	BGS57508	ASA402-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (CULTURES AND SOCIETIES OF ASIA)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4002	BGS25000	IRS407-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (DEMOCRACY AND CONFLICT)	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4006	BGS57517	ASA404-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (GLOBAL MIGRATION AND KOREANS IN JAPAN)	2	Not Offered		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4001	BGS57516	IRS406-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
LAW69000	333306	POL305-30e00	COMPARATIVE POLITICS	2	AUT		3~4	Law	
LAW68000	390400	POL306-30e00	HUMAN SECURITY AND DEVELOPMENT	2	AUT		3~4	Law	
LAW69300	333307	POL308-30e00	INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTIONS AND WORLD ORDER	2	AUT		3~4	Law	
LAW68200	338010	POL307-30e00	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		3~4	Law	
LAW52301	337503	POL304-30e00	JAPANESE POLITICS IN GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES	2	SPR		3~4	Law	
AIBE3400	IBE340	IBE340-65e00	ECONOMIC STATISTICS	4	AUT		2~4	FLA	
AIBE3200	IBE320	IBE320-65e00	HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT	4	AUT		2~4	FLA	
AIBE3030	IBE303	IBE303-65e00	MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS	4	AUT		2~4	FLA	
AIBE3260	IBE326	IBE326-65e00	MONEY AND BANKING	4	SPR		2~4	FLA	
AIBE3070	IBE307	IBE307-65e00	ECONOMIC ANALYSIS OF THE LABOR MARKET	4	AUT		2~4	FLA	

Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor

Remarks: [ ] = Lottery Courses. Number in brackets is the capacity.

※1 = Newly added to the list of Category C from 2025. For those who take courses before 2024, the courses were counted as [Category B (Research) or (Discipline)].

For those who take courses from 2025 onwards, the courses will be counted as [Category C : SE Electives].

## Department of Management SPSF Curriculum

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### Education and Research Objectives

To impart high-level expertise and broad general knowledge and cultivate a capacity to understand and practice management using a diversity of approaches in actual social engagement.

### Human Resource Development Objectives

To produce individuals who understand management in its local and global social contexts, and who can contribute not only to corporate management but also to the local and international communities through rational decision-making grounded in specialist knowledge.

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## Diploma Policy

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The Department of Management sets standards for the skills and knowledge students should acquire before graduation as follows. Those who fulfill the graduation requirements shall be deemed to have acquired these qualities and will be awarded a diploma.

1. The knowledge and skills required to appropriately analyze management environments that are undergoing globalization and increasing complexity.
2. The ability to understand and explain the approaches and concepts of Management Studies as well as specialized knowledge.
3. The ability to efficiently collect and process complex and diverse information and take the lead in solving issues challenging society.
4. The ability to respect differences and diversity, engage in open and fair discussion and communicate information, in order to make appropriate decisions under strict constraints
5. The ability to acquire high-level communication skills and contribute to problem-solving by taking the initiative in international forums.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course sets the following abilities which students should acquire before graduation as common requirements across its six departments (Department of Journalism, Department of Education, Department of Sociology, Department of Economics, Department of Management, Department of Global Studies).

6. The ability to learn the basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures,” to understand its importance, and to take action towards resolving challenges to the sustainable futures by drawing upon their academic discipline as well as from the other five disciplines in the SPSF course they learn.
7. The ability to understand and apply the interdisciplinary perspectives and methodologies, learned in their academic discipline and in the other five disciplines of the SPSF course, when addressing issues and presenting their ideas.

## Curriculum Policy

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With an aim to achieve the Diploma Policy, the Department of Management constitutes its curriculum as follows:

1. Have freshmen acquire the learning skills, fundamental understanding of specialized knowledge, communication skills, logical thinking, and social ethics required in promoting specialized learning in the Main Core Courses, “Introduction to Management 1” and “Introduction to Management 2.”
2. Have students deepen their expertise in Specialized Courses and Seminars, and have them acquire the ability to solve the issues challenging society today.
3. Aim to foster a self-motivated attitude towards learning and improve communication skills through small-group courses offered throughout the four years of enrollment.
4. Offer courses taught by experienced business managers and practitioners that foster a realistic and practical sense of management and/or teach business in practice.
5. To have students intensively improve their proficiency in English, the language commonly spoken internationally, through English Courses, and at the same time offer Foreign Language Courses in order to have them acquire other foreign language skills.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course constructs its curriculum in the following manner, for the purpose of achieving the common diploma policy across the six departments:

6. To enable the students during the first year to acquire a basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures” and the 142 relating issues through the SPSF General Studies Courses, drawing on the perspectives of six disciplines. Based on the acquired knowledge, the students will be able to deepen their understanding in various challenges related to the sustainable futures through Elective Courses in the University-wide General Studies Courses, and they will be also able to learn about the approaches, contents, and methodologies of the different disciplines through Specialized Courses offered by each department.
7. To enable students to gradually gain knowledge of the different disciplines of each Department and also acquire a wide range of knowledge through the courses offered by other faculties and departments which have been designated to offer Elective Compulsory Courses or Elective Courses. Thus, the students will be able to acquire the various perspectives, contents, and methodologies, as well as comprehensive approaches from the courses.

# 1. Courses and Minimum Number of Credits Required for Graduation

**【For students who entered from 2022】**

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	8 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others, Liberal Arts of the Body: 1 Credit, Critical Thinking & Discussion, Overview of Data Science, Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality: 2 Credits)
Compulsory electives	6 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: 2 Credits, Advanced General Education Courses: 4 Credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures" 2 credits)
Electives	12 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures" 4 credits)
<b>Language</b>	
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills "Academic Writing 1 & 2")
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	4 credits
Electives	90 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills "Academic Presentations", 2 credits)
<b>Total</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>

## 2. Distribution of Required Credits

### 5. Distribution of Required Credits

[For students who entered from 2022] Department of Management

O General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (28 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 cr	Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others Liberal Arts of the Body Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality	1 2	Critical Thinking & Discussion Overview of Data Science	2 2				
Compulsory Electives	Studies in Christian Humanism Advanced General Education Courses	6 cr			Studies in Christian Humanism	2	Advanced General Education Courses			
Electives	SPSF Common Core(Theme Based)	12cr	First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures	4			Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures	2		
	Electives		- General Studies Elective Courses taught in English - First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester - Language(s) up to 8 cr ※1.3 - Credits earned in excess of 8 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.							

O Language (4 credits)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 cr	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2				

O Specialized Education (94 cr)

			1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year		
			Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	
			course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title	cr	course title
Compulsory	Major Core (Compulsory)	4 cr	Introduction to Management 1	2	Introduction to Management 2	2					
	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	2 cr	Academic Presentations	2							
Compulsory Electives	Major Core (Compulsory Electives)	46 cr	- Major Core (Compulsory Electives) Methodology/General, Category B. Minimum requirement credits is 4 cr, up to 42 cr - Major Core (Compulsory Electives) Specialized, Category B up to 42 cr - Management Department Japanese Track's Compulsory Electives Course(s) (選択必修) only, up to 12cr ※1,2,3,4								
Electives	SE Electives	42 cr	- SE Electives, Category C, up to 42 cr - The excess credits of Major Core (Compulsory Elective), Category B, up to 42 cr - Management Department Japanese Track the excess credits of Compulsory Electives (選択必修) and Electives (選択) Course(s) up to 24 cr ※1,2,3,4 - Language(s) up to 4 cr ※1.5								
			Up to 12 credits in total: - Other Faculty/Department Course(s) ※1 - Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習1, 2)" ※1 - SAMS Program course(s) - DATA-DRIVEN AND STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT (データ活用と経営戦略): course number GSD20260, BUSINESS DATA ANALYSIS THEORY (ビジネスデータ分析理論): course number GSD30040, MOVE AI FROM THEORY TO (BUSINESS) PRODUCTION (AI/セオリーから(ビジネス)プロダクションへ): course number GSD 40020 ※1								

※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.

※2 "BUSINESS IN ENGLISH (BUSINESS COMMUNICATION STRATEGY)"(経営英語(Business Communication Strategy))", "BUSINESS IN ENGLISH I (経営英語 I)", "BUSINESS IN ENGLISH II (経営英語 II)", "BUSINESS IN ENGLISH INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS(経営英語International Business)" offered in Management department's Japanese Track(IE) are not included in graduation requirements.

※3 Language Courses offered by GLER in our Department's Japanese Track are not included in graduation requirements.

※4 For details regarding Language courses, see, "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSF Language Courses chart

### 3. Guidelines for Course Registration

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Please read this Handbook carefully to find out about courses required for graduation and the minimum standards for the number of credits (Compulsory, Compulsory Electives, Electives), etc.

#### ① Precautions regarding the number of credits required for Specialized Education (SE) courses

1. Students are advised to take as many Specialized Education (SE) courses specified in Major Core (Compulsory Electives) courses as possible.
2. When students have obtained the specified number of credits for graduation in Major Core (Compulsory Electives) courses, the excess amount will be regarded as SE Electives.
3. If students take the same course twice, they will only be able to count the credits they obtained for taking the course once toward graduation. The same course refers to; ① a course with the same title, and ② a course that is described in the Handbook as being considered to be the same course even if the title of the course is different.

#### ② Precautions regarding the year of study

1. Students can register for any General Studies courses regardless of which year they are in except for Advanced General Education Courses.
2. Foreign Language courses and Language courses Students are advised to take Language courses (SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)) in the first year.
3. The year of study shown in the list of assigned courses and the numbering is the standard for the year of study for Specialized Education Compulsory Electives and Elective courses.

#### ③ Precautions regarding Specialized Education (SE) courses

1. Obtaining credits for courses other than courses described in the list of assigned courses:
  - 1.1. When students have obtained credits for Compulsory Elective courses in the Department of Management Japanese Track course, a maximum of 12 credits can be counted as credits for SPSF Compulsory Elective courses.
  - 1.2. If the number of credits for Compulsory Elective courses in the Department of Management Japanese Track course exceeds 12, up to an additional 12 credits can be added to SPSF Elective course credits for graduation. However, the maximum number of credits for courses taught in Japanese is 24 (see Distribution of Required Credits).
  - 1.3. Other Faculty/Department Courses, Courses for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1,2,3 (教育実習 1,2,3) and "Museum Curator Field Work 1,2 (博物館実習 1,2) and General Studies Course(s) - SAIMS Program course(s) and Data Science Program Courses are included as credits for SPSF Elective courses up to a maximum of 12 credits.
  - 1.4. However, General Studies courses apart from the SAIMS Program cannot be included as credits for SPSF Elective courses.
2. Regarding prerequisite courses:
  - 2.1. In principle, Department of Management SPSF courses do not specify prerequisite courses, however many courses may require or recommend prerequisite knowledge. Students are strongly advised to complete PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING, PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT, and PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING before pursuing further study in these fields. Further, students are strongly advised to carefully check the syllabus of specialized courses prior to enrolment to ensure they have acquired prerequisite knowledge.
  - 2.2. Department of Management students who take compulsory elective and specialized elective courses from the Department of Economics should note that prior to enrolment it is highly recommended that they first successfully complete Economics compulsory courses "INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS" and "INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS". In addition, successful completion of course "INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS" is also recommended.

- 2.3. Likewise, for Japanese Track compulsory electives offered by the Department of Economics, completion of the above SPSF English language courses OR the Japanese Track courses 経済学総論I and 経済学総論II, which are available to Department of Management students, is highly recommended.
  - 2.4. Consultation with your academic advisor or the course instructor is advised.
3. Precautions related to Category A, B and C: Course Categories (Compulsory, Compulsory Electives, Electives) need to follow Handbook of the year in which the credits were obtained.

#### ④SPSF Track Research Seminars and Japanese Track “演習” (Enshuu)

1. Research Seminars and “演習” (Enshuu) are series of smaller specialised classes across four semesters that allow you to discuss and research more deeply into specific issues of management, marketing, and accounting. While they are not compulsory, they provide capstone learning opportunities in your area of interest.
2. SPSF students can apply to enroll in an SPSF seminar or Japanese Track “演習” (Enshuu) in either Department of Management or Department of Economics. Both Research Seminars and “演習” (Enshuu) commence in the Spring semester (SPSF second year) and run across four semesters (ie Seminar/“演習” (Enshuu) 1, 2, 3, 4) finishing in Autumn semester of fourth year.
3. To enroll in a Research Seminar or “演習” (Enshuu), students are required to first register through the Faculty of Economics office and to pass their advisor’s examination in the Autumn semester of their second year. Students should follow guidance from the Faculty of Economics and consult with their academic advisor as necessary.
4. In principle, students cannot change seminars/“演習” (Enshuu) once they have successfully registered and been accepted, and except for special circumstances (such as study abroad) are expected to complete Seminars 1 through 4.
5. Japanese track “演習” (Enshuu) (regardless of language used in the seminar) count towards Japanese track course credits. Students should carefully check the limit for Compulsory Elective and Elective credit transfers (see Distribution of Required Credits).
6. Students who wish to enrol in a seminar/“演習” (Enshuu) outside the Faculty of Economics need to consult with the office of that faculty regarding enrolment procedures and the instructor of that seminar. Acquired credit will count towards Elective (other faculty/department course) credit only, which have a strict limit of 12 credits for graduation (see Distribution of Required Credits).

#### ⑤Bachelor Thesis

1. The Bachelor Thesis is a peak capstone learning experience in the final year that requires the student to plan, execute, and write a research project under the supervision of an instructor.
2. Due to the need to work with a supervisor, Bachelor Thesis is only open to students who have enrolled in a Research Seminar in the Faculty of Economics. In principle, students who join a Seminar or “演習” (Enshuu) of other faculties will not be able to enroll in Bachelor Thesis for credit in the Department of Management.
3. Students who join an SPSF Track seminar from the Department of Economics may be eligible to enroll in and write a Bachelor Thesis with their supervisor provided that they meet Department of Economics requirements and receive formal permission from their Department of Economics seminar supervisor.
4. An agreement of supervision must be obtained from the professor of the Seminar/“演習” (Enshuu) that you belong to, and is at the discretion of the professor. Second year students considering joining a Japanese Track “演習” (Enshuu) should carefully check which instructors are offering supervision for SPSF Bachelor Thesis and whether any conditions exist before registering their choice of “演習” (Enshuu).
5. Be sure to carefully confirm other conditions of enrolment in the Bachelor Thesis, including required academic standing (GPA) and course enrolment record, and adhere to guidance given prior to the seminar registration and Bachelor Thesis enrolment periods.

#### ⑥Course Numbering

Numbering shown in the list of assigned courses refer to the following. For information about numbering, refer to 4.Numbering in Academic Services.

<b>Field (alphabets)</b>	<b>Field (English)</b>	<b>Field (Japanese)</b>
ECN	Economics	経済学
MAN	Management	経営学
ACC	Accounting	会計学
MRK	Marketing	マーケティング
MMI	Miscellaneous	経営学専攻共通

## Early graduation

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### ① Department of Management Early Graduation System

Early graduation refers to an enrollment period of at least 3 years (excluding periods of absence) and graduating at the end of the 3rd year or at the end of the Autumn Semester in the 4th year, upon completion of prescribed procedures (hereinafter referred to as “graduation in September of the 3rd year” or “graduation in March of the 4th year”, respectively).

### ② Requirements for Early Graduation

In order to graduate early, all of the following requirements must be fulfilled.

1. The student must wish to graduate early.
2. At the time of early graduation, the student must have obtained all the credits for prescribed courses necessary for graduation.
3. The Grade Point Average (hereafter referred to as “the GPA”) for the total number of credits obtained must be 3.5 or more at the time of early graduation. GPA is calculated based on Sophia University Article 55.

### ③ Application

When requesting early graduation, it is necessary to apply for early graduation registration.

1. In order to apply for early graduation registration, it is necessary to satisfy the following requirements:
  - 1.1. Upon completion of the 2nd year, students are required to obtain at least 62 credits from Sophia University that count toward graduation.
  - 1.2. The GPA for the abovementioned number of credits obtained is 3.0 or above.
2. The procedures for registering a request for early graduation are as follows:
  - 2.1. Students are required to receive an Application for Early Graduation Registration in the predetermined format at the Department of Management Office.
  - 2.2. After receiving an approval seal/signature from your seminar supervisor (hereinafter referred to as the “supervisor”. If you are not taking a seminar, receive a seal/signature from the Chairperson), submit the form to the Chairperson by the submission deadline.
3. After registering a request for early graduation, it is necessary to receive course guidance from your supervisor, report your academic progress to the supervisor regularly and receive appropriate guidance.

### ④ Changes of period and withdrawal

Changes to the graduation period and withdrawal of early graduation registration will be carried out as follows:

1. To alter the period of a request for early graduation, it is necessary to receive an approval seal/signature from your supervisor on the prescribed Notice of Changes to Period of Request for Early Graduation, and submit it to the Chairperson by the submission deadline.
2. To withdraw early graduation registration, it is necessary to receive an approval seal/signature from your supervisor on the prescribed Notice of Withdrawal of Registration of Request for Early Graduation, and submit it to the Chairperson by the deadline.

### ⑤ Re-application

If a student wishing to graduate in September of the 3rd year as prescribed subsequently withdraws early graduation registration, he or she may register for early graduation in March of the 4th year in



September of the 4th year provided that the Chairperson considers that special circumstances exist. If a student wishes to reregister, it is necessary to receive authorization from the Chairperson in advance and submit a re-application for Early Graduation Registration to the Chairperson.

# For details, inquire at the Department of Management Office (Room 2-1115a, 11th Floor, Building No. 2)

Documents to be Submitted	Submission Period
Application for Early Graduation Registration	September of the 3rd year
Notice of Changes to Period of Request for Early Graduation	By the last day of the course registration period in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year
Notice of Withdrawal of Registration of Request for Early Graduation	(1) In the case of cancellation of graduation in September of the 3rd year : Suspension period of 2nd quarter courses in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year (2) In the case of cancellation of graduation in March of the 4th year : Suspension period of 4th quarter courses in the Autumn Semester of the 4th year
Re-Application for Early Graduation Registration	September of the 4th year

## Specialized Education Courses of Management

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses page of the other SPSF departments for Instructors and Remarks.

### Category A : Major Core (Compulsory)

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EMGS1001	468056	MMI103-42e00	INTRODUCTION TO MANAGEMENT 1	2	AUT	TOGAWA, Taku	1	Management	Management-SPSF only
EMGS1002	468057	MMI104-42e00	INTRODUCTION TO MANAGEMENT 2	2	SPR	TAJEDDINI, Omid*	1	Management	Management-SPSF only

### Category B : Major Core (Compulsory Electives)

### Category B : Major Core (Compulsory Electives)

#### [Methodology]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EMGS5038	468068	MAN345-42e00	CHALLENGING FRONTLINE ISSUES IN GLOBAL BUSINESS	4	Not Offered	Staff	3~4	Management	
HSCS1030	289202	SOC103-83e00	QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR		1	Sociology	
HSCS2030	289203	SOC203-83e00	QUALITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		2	Sociology	
EECS1003	498017	ECN105-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2	SPR		1	Economics	
EECS1005	498040	ECN282-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS	2	AUT		1	Economics	

#### [General]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EMGS5001	468058	ACC105-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING	2	AUT	TAKINISHI, Atsuko	1~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5032	468033	MAN101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT	2	AUT	TAJEDDINI, Omid*	1~4	Management	[80]
EMGS5047	468039	MRK101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING	2	AUT	JOHNS, Adam	1~4	Management	
EMGS5004	468059	ACC211-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered	Staff	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5048	468040	MRK212-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 1	2	SPR	TOGAWA, Taku	2~4	Management	[200]
EMGS5037	468052	MAN227-42e00	STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT	TAJEDDINI, Omid*	2~4	Management	[80]
HJNS1010	268801	JRN101-19e00	COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		1~4	Journalism	
HJNS5010	268811	JRN201-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS5020	268812	JRN202-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS5030	268813	JRN301-19e00	MASS MEDIA 1	2	Not Offered		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5040	268814	JRN302-19e00	MASS MEDIA 2	2	Not Offered		3~4	Journalism	
HEDS1030	147003	EDU203-81e00	EDUCATION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS1010	147000	EDU235-81e00	INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE EDUCATION	2	AUT		2~4	Education	
HSCS1010	289200	SOC101-83e00	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		1	Sociology	
HSCS2010	289204	SOC366-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 1	2	AUT		2	Sociology	
HSCS2020	289205	SOC367-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 2	2	SPR		2	Sociology	
HSCS5010	289220	SOC204-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF HAPPINESS	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5020	288893	SOC222-83e00	WORK AND EMPLOYMENT IN JAPAN	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
EECS1002	498008	ECN113-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS	2	SPR		1	Economics	
EECS1001	498007	ECN112-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		1	Economics	
BGSS1030	BGSS1030	ARS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO AREA STUDIES	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	
BGSS1010	BGSS1010	GST110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL STUDIES	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	
BGSS1020	BGSS1020	IRS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	2	AUT		1	Global Studies	

#### [Specialized]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
EMGS5044	468036	MRK214-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 1	2	SPR	SUGITANI, Yoko	2~4	Management	[200]
EMGS5045	468037	MRK215-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 2	2	AUT	SUGITANI, Yoko	2~4	Management	[200]
EMGS5005	468060	ACC212-42e00	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 2	2	Not Offered	Staff	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5041	468050	ACC215-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 1	2	Not Offered	JINUSHI, Junko	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5042	468051	ACC216-42e00	FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING 2	2	AUT	JINUSHI, Junko	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5050	468048	MRK217-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 1	2	Q1	JOHNS, Adam	2~4	Management	
EMGS5051	468049	MRK218-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 2	2	Q1	JOHNS, Adam	2~4	Management	

EMGS5039	468034	ACC213-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 1	2	AUT	MATSUOKA, Kосуке*	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5040	468035	ACC214-42e00	MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 2	2	Not Offered	Staff	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5049	468041	MRK213-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 2	2	AUT	TOGAWA, Taku	2~4	Management	[200]
EMGS5035	468046	MAN235-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR	2	SPR	NAKAGAWA, Mariko	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5036	468047	MAN236-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY AND ANALYSIS	2	AUT	TAJEDDINI, Omid*	2~4	Management	[80]
EMGS5043	408010	MRK307-42e00	GLOBAL BRANDING	2	AUT	JOHNS, Adam	2~4	Management	[45]. Restricted to students year 2-4, ※2
EMGS5027	468062	ACC313-42e00	INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING	2	SPR	TAKINISHI, Atsuko	3~4	Management	[100]. Restricted to students year 2-4, ※3
EMGS5046	468038	MRK310-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MARKETING	2	SPR	UKON, Francesco*	2~4	Management	[45]
EMGS5052	468069	MAN237-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 1	2	SPR	TAJEDDINI, Omid*	2~4	Management	[80]
EMGS5053	468070	MAN238-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2	2	Not Offered	KAPTURKIEWICZ, Agata	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5054	468071	MAN239-42e00	INNOVATION MANAGEMENT	2	Not Offered	Staff	2~4	Management	
EMGS5055	468072	MAN333-42e00	ADVANCED STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT	NAKAGAWA, Mariko	2~4	Management	[100]
EMGS5033	468044	MAN331-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 1	2	AUT	SCUDDER, Dylan*	3~4	Management	[86]
EMGS5034	468045	MAN332-42e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN MANAGEMENT 2	2	Not Offered	Staff	3~4	Management	[86]
EMGS5056	468073	MAN346-42e00	GENERAL MANAGEMENT IN ACTION	2	AUT intensive course	CHEN, Philip*	2~4	Management	[20]
EMGS5057	468080	MMI311-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	SPR	TOGAWA, Taku	3	Management	
EMGS5058	468081	MMI312-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	AUT	TOGAWA, Taku	3	Management	
EMGS5059	468082	MMI405-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	SPR	TOGAWA, Taku	4	Management	
EMGS5060	468083	MMI406-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	AUT	TOGAWA, Taku	4	Management	
EMGS5061	468080	MMI311-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	SPR	TAKINISHI, Atsuko	3	Management	
EMGS5062	468081	MMI312-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	AUT	TAKINISHI, Atsuko	3	Management	
EMGS5063	468082	MMI405-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	SPR	TAKINISHI, Atsuko	4	Management	
EMGS5064	468083	MMI406-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	AUT	TAKINISHI, Atsuko	4	Management	
EMGS5065	468080	MMI311-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	Not Offered	KAPTURKIEWICZ, Agata	3	Management	
EMGS5066	468081	MMI312-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	Not Offered	KAPTURKIEWICZ, Agata	3	Management	
EMGS5067	468082	MMI405-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	Not Offered	KAPTURKIEWICZ, Agata	4	Management	
EMGS5068	468083	MMI406-42e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	Not Offered	KAPTURKIEWICZ, Agata	4	Management	
EMGS5900	469000	GRP401-42e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS	4	Not Offered		4	Management	Management-SPSF and Economics-SPSF only
EECS5018	498021	ECN106-41e00	MATHEMATICS FOR ECONOMICS	2	AUT		1~4	Economics	
EECS5001	402060	ECN205-41e00	INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5004	402120	ECN211-41e00	JAPANESE ECONOMY 1	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5027	498025	ECN315-41e00	INTERMEDIATE MACROECONOMICS	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5025	402080	ECN207-41e00	ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCE ECONOMICS ※1	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5026	402100	ECN209-41e00	GAME THEORY ※1	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5024	498010	ECN263-41e00	INTERNATIONAL FINANCE ※1	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5033	4098039	ECN279-41e00	ECONOMICS OF MARKET FAILURES	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5809	498043	ECN312-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	Not Offered		3	Economics	
EECS5810	498044	ECN313-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	Not Offered		3	Economics	
EECS5811	498045	ECN406-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	Not Offered		4	Economics	
EECS5812	498046	ECN407-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	Not Offered		4	Economics	
EECS5813	498043	ECN312-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 1	2	SPR		3	Economics	
EECS5814	498044	ECN313-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 2	2	AUT		3	Economics	
EECS5815	498045	ECN406-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 3	2	SPR		4	Economics	
EECS5816	498046	ECN407-41e00	RESEARCH SEMINAR 4	2	AUT		4	Economics	
EECS5900	499000	GRP401-41e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS	4	SPR		4	Economics	

※1 Newly added to the list of Category B from 2023. For those who take courses from 2023 onwards, the courses will be counted as

※2 First year students who have already completed "PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING" are able to register for this course

※3 First year students who have already completed "PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING" are able to register for this course.

Category C : SE Electives

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
HJNS5070	268817	JRN340-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 1	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5080	268818	JRN341-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 2	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5090	268819	JRN342-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 3	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS6010	268820	JRN205-19e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL MEDIA	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS6030	268822	JRN207-19e00	GLOBAL MEDIA PROGRAM	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HEDS1050	147001	EDU238-81e00	COMPARATIVE EDUCATION IN ASIA	2	SPR		2~4	Education	
HEDS1040	147004	EDU206-81e00	CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION	2	SPR		1~2	Education	
HEDS1020	147002	EDU202-81e00	INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION	2	AUT		1~2	Education	
HEDS5010	147021	EDU204-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 1: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION	2	Not Offered		1~4	Education	
HEDS5020	147022	EDU205-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 2: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION	2	AUT		1~4	Education	
HEDS5070	147027	EDU244-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 3: EDUCATIONAL POLICY ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY ASIA	2	AUT		1~4	Education	
HEDS5060	147026	EDU242-81e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 4: GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP, HUMANITY EMPOWERMENT AND CRITICAL MORAL CONSCIOUSNESS	2	SPR		1~4	Education	
HSCS5130	289229	SOC350-83e00	ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5050	284930	SOC213-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBALIZATION	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5060	289222	SOC206-83e00	SOCIOLOGY OF FAMILIES	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5080	289223	SOC205-83e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL PROBLEMS: IMMIGRATION IN JAPAN AND INTEGRATION OF IMMIGRANTS	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5140	289227	SOC305-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 1: INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES	2	SPR		3~4	Sociology	
EECS5008	402110	ECN210-41e00	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5007	467969	ECN252-41e00	GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT GOALS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5011	498014	ECN270-41e00	POVERTY IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5020	498015	ECN268-41e00	ASIAN ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5019	498016	ECN269-41e00	AFRICAN ECONOMY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
EECS5034	498041	ECN317-41e00	INTERMEDIATE ECONOMETRICS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5035	498042	ECN316-41e00	INTERMEDIATE MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5032	498038	ECN278-41e00	ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL SECURITY	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
BGSS3003	BGS20000	ICP223-21e00	BASICS OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION B	2	SPR intensive course		1~2	Global Studies	
BGSS3004	BGS20001	ASA233-21e00	BASICS OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES B	2	SPR		1~2	Global Studies	
BGSS3001	BGS59700	IRS216-21e00	INTERNATIONAL POLITICS: THEORY AND PRACTICE	2	AUT		1~2	Global Studies	
BGSS3002	BGS59800	IRS217-21e00	INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION: THEORY AND PRACTICE	2	SPR		1~2	Global Studies	
BGSS3014	BGS20007	IRS332-21e00	CONFLICT RESOLUTION B	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3015	BGS59000	IRS327-21e00	PEACE RESEARCH	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3007	BGS57900	ASA318-21e00	SOCIETY AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3005	BGS58500	IRS323-21e00	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	2	AUT		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3008	BGS58300	AME318-21e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIETIES OF THE MIDDLE EAST	2	Not Offered		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3018	BGS20009	ASA325-21e00	GLOBAL HISTORY AND ASIA	2	SPR		2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4004	BGS57508	ASA402-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (CULTURES AND SOCIETIES OF ASIA)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4006	BGS57517	ASA404-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (GLOBAL MIGRATION AND KOREANS IN JAPAN)	2	AUT		3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4001	BGS57516	IRS406-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS)	2	SPR		3~4	Global Studies	
AIBE3200	IBE320	IBE320-65e00	HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT	4	AUT		2~4	FLA	
AIBE3030	IBE303	IBE303-65e00	MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS	4	AUT		2~4	FLA	
AIBE3260	IBE326	IBE326-65e00	MONEY AND BANKING	4	SPR		2~4	FLA	
AIBE3070	IBE307	IBE307-65e00	ECONOMIC ANALYSIS OF LABOR MARKET	4	AUT		2~4	FLA	

Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor

Remarks: [ ] = Lottery Courses. Number in brackets is the capacity.

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## Field of Studies: International Relations

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### Education and Research Objectives


To equip students, through systematic study of courses offered in the International Relations and Area Studies degree programs, with (1) understandings of globality, (2) understandings of locality, (3) proficiency in multiple languages (English and regional languages), and (4) negotiating skills grounded in ethical awareness.

### Human Resource Development Objectives

To produce graduates (international public intellectuals) capable of addressing both positive and negative facets of globalization, and contributing to the development of a collaborative society in which all people of the world move forward in partnership.

### Field of Studies: International Relations ▶

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## Diploma policy: International Relations

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The Faculty of Global Studies sets standards for the skills and knowledge for students who aim to become international public intellectuals seeking to achieve a fair society that protects human dignity in the globalizing world today. Those who fulfill the graduation requirements shall be deemed to have acquired these qualities and will be awarded a diploma.

1. An interest in social security, conflicts, poverty, development, immigrants, refugees, global environment, etc. and the ability to explain why such issues need to be solved globally.
2. The ability to understand the approaches and overall theory of International Relations Studies and Area Studies and consider issues from both perspectives combined.
3. The ability to shape problem-solving methodology, analyze the positive and negative aspects of globalization in line with concrete case studies, using basic theories and demonstrative methods.
4. The ability to set up and explore subjects combined with Area Studies, while specializing in International Relations, dealing with International Politics, International Sociology, Economics, International Cooperation, International Education, etc.
5. The ability to engage in dialogue with various others who live in different parts of the world and to cooperate in solving problems for the creation of an inclusive society.

In addition to the above, the SPSF course sets the following abilities which students should acquire before graduation as common requirements across its six departments (Department of Journalism, Department of Education, Department of Sociology, Department of Economics, Department of Management, Department of Global Studies).

6. The ability to learn the basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures,” to understand its importance, and to take action towards resolving challenges to the sustainable futures by drawing upon their academic discipline as well as from the other five disciplines in the SPSF course they learn.
7. The ability to understand and apply the interdisciplinary perspectives and methodologies, learned in their academic discipline and in the other five disciplines of the SPSF course, when addressing issues and presenting their ideas.

## Curriculum policy: International Relations

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In accordance with the Diploma Policy, the Department of Global Studies constructs its curriculum with courses aligned with the following purposes:

1. To have students study Global Studies and the basics of International Relations and Area Studies that support it in lectures, and thus acquire core theories and methodologies as well as fundamental research skills and approaches. 【Course numbers 100-199】
2. To have students understand the dynamics of international politics and economy, and learn in lectures about the mechanism of international cooperation and civil society, and thus prepare for selecting their specialties. 【Course numbers 200-299】
3. To have students learn about Asia, the Middle East and Africa, etc. from the perspectives of history, culture, politics, economics, etc. in lectures and thus prepare for selecting their specialties. 【Course numbers 200-299】
4. To have students select two areas from International Relations Studies and Area Studies as their disciplinary specialties and have them conceptualize and implement solutions to global issues through lectures, etc. 【Lecture Course numbers 300-499】
5. To have students actively set up individual research questions regarding globalization issues and present relevant research results in academic papers and other clear forms. 【Self-motivated research: 200-299; Seminars: 400- 499; Thesis and research: 400-499】
6. To have students acquire a supportive attitude toward the theme-based research of other individuals through small-group seminars where they can deepen mutual understanding through debate. 【Basic Seminar numbers 100-199; Seminars 400-499】
7. To have students enhance their proficiency of English, the language commonly spoken internationally, and to have them acquire multilingual skills by encouraging them to learn foreign languages other than English. 【Lecture Course number 200-】

In addition to the above, the SPSF course constructs its curriculum in the following manner, for the purpose of achieving the common diploma policy across the six departments:

8. To enable the students during the first year to acquire a basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures” and the relating issues through the SPSF General Studies Courses, drawing on the perspectives of six disciplines. Based on the acquired knowledge, the students will be able to deepen their understanding in various challenges related to the sustainable futures through Elective Courses in the University-wide General Studies Courses, and they will be also able to learn about the approaches, contents, and methodologies of the different disciplines through Specialized Courses offered by each department.
9. To enable students to gradually gain knowledge of the different disciplines of each Department and also acquire a wide range of knowledge through the courses offered by other faculties and departments which have been designated to offer Elective Compulsory Courses or Elective Courses. Thus, the



students will be able to acquire the various perspectives, contents, and methodologies, as well as comprehensive approaches from the courses.

## Field of Studies: Area Studies

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### Education and Research Objectives

To equip students, through systematic study of courses offered in the Area Studies and International Relations degree programs, with (1) understandings of globality, (2) understandings of locality, (3) proficiency in multiple languages (English and regional languages), and (4) negotiating skills grounded in ethical awareness.

### Human Resource Development Objectives

To produce graduates (international public intellectuals) capable of addressing both positive and negative facets of globalization, and contributing to the development of a collaborative society in which all people of the world move forward in partnership.

### Field of Studies: Area Studies ▶

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## Diploma policy: Area Studies

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1. An interest in social security, conflicts, poverty, development, immigrants, refugees, global environment, etc. and the ability to explain why such issues need to be solved globally.
2. The ability to understand the approaches and overall theory of Area Studies and International Relations studies and consider issues from both perspectives combined.
3. The ability to shape problem-solving methodology, analyze the positive and negative aspects of globalization in line with concrete case studies, using basic theories and demonstrative methods.
4. The ability to set up and explore a subject combined with International Relations, while specializing in Area Studies, studying a specific region (Asia and the Middle East/Africa) within an international society where globalization is accelerating.
5. The ability to engage in dialogue with various others who live in different parts of the world and to cooperate in solving problems for the creation of an inclusive society

In addition to the above, the SPSF course sets the following abilities which students should acquire before graduation as common requirements across its six departments (Department of Journalism, Department of Education, Department of Sociology, Department of Economics, Department of Management, Department of Global Studies).

6. The ability to learn the basic knowledge on “Sustainable Futures,” to understand its importance, and to take action towards resolving challenges to the sustainable futures by drawing upon their academic discipline as well as from the other five disciplines in the SPSF course they learn.
7. The ability to understand and apply the interdisciplinary perspectives and methodologies, learned in their academic discipline and in the other five disciplines of the SPSF course, when addressing issues and presenting their ideas.

## Curriculum policy: Area Studies

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1. To have students study Global Studies and the basics of Area Studies and International Relations that support it in lectures, and thus acquire core theories and methodologies as well as fundamental research skills and approaches. 【Course numbers 100-199】
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3. To have students understand the dynamics of international politics and economy, and learn in lectures about the mechanism of international cooperation and civil society, and thus prepare for selecting their specialties. 【Course numbers 200-299】
4. To have students select two areas from Area Studies and International Relations Studies as their disciplinary specialties and have them conceptualize and implement solutions to global issues through lectures, etc. 【Lecture Course numbers 300-499】
5. To have students actively set up individual research questions regarding globalization issues and present relevant research results in academic papers and other clear forms. 【Self-motivated research: 200-299; Seminars: 400-499; Thesis and research: 400-499】
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9. To enable students to gradually gain knowledge of the different disciplines of each Department and also acquire a wide range of knowledge through the courses offered by other faculties and departments which have been designated to offer Elective Compulsory Courses or Elective Courses. Thus, the students will be able to acquire the various perspectives, contents, and methodologies, as well as comprehensive approaches from the courses.

## 1. Courses and Minimum Number of Credits Required for Graduation

### 【For students who entered from 2022】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	8 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: For Others, With Others, Liberal Arts of the Body: 1 Credit, Critical Thinking & Discussion, Overview of Data Science, Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality: 2 Credits)
Compulsory electives	6 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism: 2 Credits, Advanced General Education Courses: 4 Credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures" 2 credits)
Electives	12 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures" 4 credits)
<b>Language</b>	
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Writing 1&2)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	12 credits
Electives	82 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills 2 credits, Core Category 2 52 credits)
<b>Total</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>

### 【For students who entered from 2020 to 2021】

<b>General Studies (Zengaku Kyotsu Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	2 credits (Health and Physical Education: 2 credits)
Compulsory electives	4 credits (Studies in Christian Humanism)
Electives	20 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Theme Based "First Year Lecture in/about Sustainable Futures", "Third Year Seminar for Sustainable Futures (Advanced General Education course)" 6 credits)
<b>Language</b>	
Compulsory	4 credits (SPSF Common Core: Academic Writing 1&2)
<b>Specialized Education (Gakka Kamoku)</b>	
Compulsory	12 credits
Electives	82 credits (including SPSF Common Core: Academic Skills 4 credits, Core Category 2 52 credits)
<b>Total</b>	<b>124 credits are required for graduation.</b>



The above Course Classification Elective includes both Compulsory Electives and Electives, which are described on "2. Distribution of Required Credits".

# 2. Distribution of Required Credits

## Department of Global Studies 【For students who entered from 2022】

### O General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	Compulsory	8 or	Studies in Christian Humanism For Others, IWD-Others	Critical Thinking & Discussion	2	2	2	2	2
			Liberal Arts of the Body (Thinking about Issues, Perspectives and Positionality)	Overview of Data Science					
Compulsory Electives	Studies in Christian Humanism Advanced General Education Course SPSF Common Core (Theme Based)	6 or	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Electives	SPSF Common Core (Theme Based) Electives	12 or	First Year Lecture in about Sustainable Futures	4					
			General Studies Elective Courses taught in English First-year students may take General Studies Elective Courses up to 4 credits each semester Language(s) up to 8 or 1,2 Credits earned in excess of 6 credits in Compulsory Electives will be counted into Electives.						

### O Language (4 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 or	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2			

### O Specialized Education (94 cr)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	Core Category 1 (Compulsory)	12 or	Introduction to Global Studies	2	Academic Skills for Global Studies	2			Bachelor's Thesis 1
			Introduction to International Relations	2					Bachelor's Thesis 2
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills) Core Category 2 (Compulsory Electives)	2 or 52 or	Academic Presentations	2					
Electives	SE Electives	28 or	200-level GE 1,3 8 cr 200-level IRE 1,3 4 cr 200-level AS 1,3 4 cr Major 300-400 level OR or AS 1,3 22 cr Minor 300-400 level OR or AS 1,3 12 cr Courses taught in Japanese: Own Department's Compulsory Elective (選修必修) Course(s) 1,3 12 cr ※4 (Seminar 1) 2 (Seminar 2) 2						
			Up to 28 cr Major Core Category 2 (The excess credits of Core Category 2) FGS Electives Compulsory Elective (選修必修) Course(s) and Elective (選修) Course(s) offered in own Department's Japanese Track 1,3 FLA course(s) FFS course(s) Courses taught in English only Language(s) 1,2 Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習 1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習 1, 2)" Up to 8 cr Other Faculty/Department Course(s) except FLA and FFS Courses taught in English 1,2						

- ※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.  
 ※2 For details regarding Language courses, see "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSF Language Courses chart.  
 ※3 If you want to take a course taught in Japanese in the category of Specialized Education, choose courses from the following subject groups:  
 200-level: 学部基礎科目 (選修必修科目) 200シリーズ-GS-グローバル・ILM 研究共通科目群, 300-国際関係学共通科目群, AS-地域研究共通科目群  
 300-level: 学部専門科目 (選修必修科目) 300シリーズ-400-level: 学部総合科目 (選修必修科目) 400シリーズ-700-国際関係学共通科目群, 21-22 市民社会・国際協力共通科目群, AS-アジア研究科目群, および中東・アフリカ研究科目群  
 ※4 If more than 4 seminar credits are obtained, the extra credits up to 4 credits can be included in the 22 credits that should be obtained in the area of the student's Major. If you earn exceeding 8 seminar credits, the credits will be included as SE Electives.

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### O General Studies: University-Wide General Studies (26 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	Compulsory	2 or	Health and Physical Education	2					
			Compulsory Electives	4 or	Studies in Christian Humanism	4			
Electives	SPSF Common Core (Theme Based) Electives	6 or 14 or	First Year Lecture in about Sustainable Futures	4					
			General Studies Elective Courses taught in English Language(s) up to 8 or 1,2						

### O Language (4 credits)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)	4 or	Academic Writing 1	2	Academic Writing 2	2			

### O Specialized Education (94 cr)

		1st Year		2nd Year		3rd Year		4th Year	
		Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title	Autumn Semester course title	Spring Semester course title
Compulsory	Core Category 1 (Compulsory)	12 or	Introduction to Global Studies	2	Academic Skills for Global Studies	2			Bachelor's Thesis 1
			Introduction to International Relations	2					Bachelor's Thesis 2
Compulsory Electives	SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills) Core Category 2 (Compulsory Electives)	4 or 52 or	Academic Presentations	2					
			Critical Thinking & Discussion	2					
Electives	SE Electives	28 or	200-level GE 1,3 8 cr 200-level IRE 1,3 4 cr 200-level AS 1,3 4 cr Major 300-400 level OR or AS 1,3 22 cr Minor 300-400 level OR or AS 1,3 12 cr Courses taught in Japanese: Own Department's Compulsory Elective (選修必修) Course(s) 1,3 12 cr ※4 (Seminar 1) 2 (Seminar 2) 2						
			Up to 28 cr Major Core Category 2 (The excess credits of Core Category 2) FGS Electives Compulsory Elective (選修必修) Course(s) and Elective (選修) Course(s) offered in own Department's Japanese Track 1,3 FLA course(s) FFS course(s) Courses taught in English only Language(s) 1,2 Course(s) for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except "Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習 1, 2, 3)" and "Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習 1, 2)" Up to 8 cr Other Faculty/Department Course(s) except FLA and FFS Courses taught in English 1,2						

- ※1 No more than 24 credits of courses taught in Japanese in total.  
 ※2 For details regarding Language courses, see "LANGUAGES (OTHER THAN ENGLISH)" and SPSF Language Courses chart.  
 ※3 If you want to take a course taught in Japanese in the category of Specialized Education, choose courses from the following subject groups:  
 200-level: 学部基礎科目 (選修必修科目) 200シリーズ-GS-グローバル・ILM 研究共通科目群, 300-国際関係学共通科目群, AS-地域研究共通科目群  
 300-level: 学部専門科目 (選修必修科目) 300シリーズ-400-level: 学部総合科目 (選修必修科目) 400シリーズ-700-国際関係学共通科目群, 21-22 市民社会・国際協力共通科目群, AS-アジア研究科目群, および中東・アフリカ研究科目群  
 ※4 If more than 4 seminar credits are obtained, the extra credits up to 4 credits can be included in the 22 credits that should be obtained in the area of the student's Major. If you earn exceeding 8 seminar credits, the credits will be included as SE Electives.

### **3. Major and Minor**

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There are 2 fields of study: International Relations and Area Studies. Students are required to choose one field as their Major and the other as their Minor.



## **4. Description of Major Field of Study on Degree Certificates, etc.**

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1. The degree of “Bachelor of Arts in International Relations” or “Bachelor of Arts in Area Studies” will be awarded according to the major field of study selected.
2. The name of the major field of study will appear on the degree certificate, diploma, and transcript.
3. The major and minor fields selected will be listed on the transcript.

## 5. Guidelines for Course Registration

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### ① Language courses

#### (1) English

For information about the English Language course (SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills)), refer to "Language"-LANGUAGE (SPSF Common Core (Academic Skills))".

#### (2) Languages other than English

Regardless of your Major or Minor, students are strongly advised to take courses in a language other than their native language (students whose native language is not Japanese are recommended to take Japanese Language Courses).

### ② Specialized Education courses

#### (1) Selecting your Major and Minor

A minimum of 22 credits must be earned from a group of courses in the area chosen as the major and a minimum of 12 credits must be earned from a group of courses in the area chosen as the minor.

#### [Application and Registration]

Apply for the major and minor areas of your choice on My Sophia in May of the Second Year.

**[a]** The major area of study is determined by the placement of the seminar course. The procedure from application to decision of the placement is explained in (5).

**[b]** Once your Major and Minor are confirmed, the Center for Academic Affairs will fix the registration prior to the course registration period in the Autumn Semester of the 3rd year. By doing so, the graduation requirements of each student will be confirmed.

#### [Change of Major]

Change Procedure

**[a]** Students who wish to change their Major can do so once in the course registration period in the Autumn Semester of the final year of enrollment only if they have an exceptional reason and provided they receive a decision from a faculty meeting. Students who request a change must receive approval from their seminar supervisor and submit the prescribed application to the Department Office approximately one month prior to the course registration period in the Autumn Semester of the final year (Deadline: August 21) A change of Major will necessitate a change of Minor.

**[b]** Credits for a seminar obtained prior to a change of Major may be included in credits necessary for graduation (allocated as Specialized Education Electives) but they may not be counted as the 4 seminar credits of Specialized Education Compulsory Electives. Consequently, it is necessary to obtain 4 credits from the Major after the change.

#### (2) Regarding course years

Students must comply with course years described in the Distribution of Required Credits list and the student year list of assigned courses. First year students cannot take courses in the 300 series and first

year students and second year students cannot take courses in the 400 series.

### (3) Course precautions

- SPSF students cannot take the 7 Compulsory (必修) Course(s) offered in own Department's Japanese Track (グローバル・スタディーズ入門、地域研究入門、国際関係論入門、グローバル・スタディーズ基礎演習、自主研究、演習 and 卒業論文.)
- In the case of Courses taught in Japanese, a total of 24 credits may be counted toward graduation. Specifically, credits earned may be applied to (1) language courses among Elective courses in General Studies, (2) Core Category 2 (Compulsory Electives) courses, and (3) FGS Electives in Specialized Education.
- If you want to take a courses taught in Japanese in the category of Specialized Education, choose courses from the following subject groups.
  - 200-level: 学部基礎科目 (選択必修科目) 200シリーズ; GS = グローバル研究共通科目群, IR = 国際関係論共通科目群, AS = 地域研究共通科目群
  - 300-level: 学部専門科目 (選択必修科目) 300シリーズ
  - 400-level: 学部応用科目 (選択必修科目) 400シリーズ; IR = 国際政治論科目群、および市民社会・国際協力論科目群; AS = アジア研究科目群、および中東・アフリカ研究科目群
- If SPSF students take courses offered in FGS Japanese Track, which is incorporated from other departments, they will be included in the graduation requirement according to the course classification of the Japanese track.

### (4) Independent Studies

At any stage from the 2nd year to the 4th year, 2 credits per semester (one credit per Quarter in the case of Quarter courses) can be obtained, making a maximum of 12 credits in six semesters.

#### [Registration]

- 【a】 Students who wish to take this course are required to have an interview with a supervisor in the semester prior to commencing research and obtain permission for their research plan.
- 【b】 Students are required to receive the seal of the supervisor on the prescribed application form and submit it to the department office during the course registration period in the semester in which they begin the course.
- 【c】 Students are required to register for courses on Loyola during the course registration period in each semester.
- 【d】 As a general rule, Independent Studies Quarter courses are targeted at students who are going to study abroad or who have studied abroad. Such students are required to register for courses in the Quarter immediately before they depart or immediately after they return.
- 【e】 Independent Studies Quarter courses cannot be taken for 2 Quarters continuously.

### (5) Seminars

- 【a】 As a general rule, students are required to obtain 4 credits in the 3rd year. Students who cannot obtain all these credits in the 3rd year due to study abroad or absence from school are required to take courses in the 3rd and 4th years.
- 【b】 Students are required to select either Seminar (International Relations) or Seminar (Area Studies), which are held in English, according to their Major.
- 【c】 The major area of study is determined by the placement of the seminar course. Not all students can be placed in the seminar course of their first choice because of the limited number of students in the seminar courses. For this reason, your major and minor areas to be determined may not be areas to be as you requested.

**[d]** If more than 4 seminar credits are obtained, the extra credits up to 4 credits can be included in the 22 credits that should be obtained in the area of the student's Major. If you earn exceeding 8 seminar credits, the credits will be included as Electives.

**[e]** Seminar credits cannot be obtained by transferring credits obtained during study abroad.

**[f]** SPSF students cannot take seminars offered in Japanese, as a general rule (also not possible to take them as Electives).

**[g]** When withdrawing a seminar course (W), students are required to obtain the approval of the Chairperson.

## **[Application and Registration on Loyola]**

**[a]** Application period: May 5th (Mon), 2025~May 8th (Thu) 23:59 (JST), for 2nd year students

**[b]** Students are required to apply for their Major (seminar), Minor, research topics (20 words) and their research issue (250 words) on Loyola May in the 2nd year.

**[c]** Students are required to register their confirmed Major seminar without fail in the Autumn course registration period in the 3rd year.

## **(6) Bachelor's Thesis**

As a general rule, students are required to register for Bachelor's Thesis 1 (2 credits) in the Autumn Semester of the 4th year and Bachelor's Thesis 2 (2 credits) in the Spring Semester of the 4th year on Loyola in the same way as other courses, and create a Thesis or a Project.

**[a]** A Thesis of approximately 6,000 words is required to be written in English.

**[b]** A Project is required to be a project other than a thesis that requires the same degree of intellectual activity as a) above.

**[c]** The submission of a Thesis will be accepted provided that 4 seminar credits are obtained or are expected to be obtained by the submission semester.

**[d]** P (Pass) and X (Fail) are used to evaluate Bachelor's Thesis 1.

**[e]** In the semester a student takes Bachelor's Thesis 1, he or she is required to submit a "Title Registration Form" (60~120 words) and a "Research Plan" (600 words or more) to the instructor in charge of the seminar.

### **【July 2025 Submission】**



(for students who are expected to graduate in September)

Deadlines: Theme Submission: November 29th (Fri), 2024 <closed>

Research Plan: January 31st (Fri), 2025 <closed>

### **【December 2025 Submission】**



(for students who are expected to graduate in March)

Deadlines: Theme Submission: May 30th (Fri), 2025

Research Plan: July 18th (Fri), 2025

### **【July 2026 Submission】**



(for students who are expected to graduate in September)

Deadlines: Theme Submission: November 28th (Fri), 2025

Research Plan: January 30th (Fri), 2026

**[f]** If a student cannot obtain credits for Bachelor's Thesis 1, he or she cannot take Bachelor's Thesis 2. However, if there is a special reason such as study abroad, a student may be allowed to take Bachelor's Thesis 1 and Bachelor's Thesis 2 simultaneously in one semester (prior approval by the Chairperson is required).

As a general rule, in such a case, students who expect to graduate within 4 years can only do so if they participate in "Overseas Study (excluding absence from school)" in the Autumn Semester of the 4th year and take these courses simultaneously in the Spring Semester of the 4th year.

Students who take Bachelor's Thesis 1 and Bachelor's Thesis 2 simultaneously in one semester are required to consult each of their supervisors concerning the submission deadlines for the "Theme Submission" and the "Research Plan."

**[g]** SPSF students cannot study for the Bachelor's Thesis (卒業論文・卒業研究) taught in Japanese.

**[h]** Students who receive a grade "X" (failing grade) in Bachelor's Thesis 1 are required to retake Bachelor's Thesis 1 in the following semester.

**[i]** For early graduation, Bachelor's Thesis 1 and Bachelor's Thesis 2 are required to be taken in the Autumn and Spring Semesters of the 3rd year, or the Spring Semester of the Third Year and the Autumn Semester of the Fourth Year.

**[j]** If the students meet the requirements for participation in 5-year Concurrent BA-MA Programme offered by The Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies and Sophia University and expect to apply, Bachelor's Thesis 1 is required to be taken in the Autumn Semesters of 3rd year, and Bachelor's Thesis 2 is required to be taken in the Spring Semester of 3rd year.


Not participating in the program, the students take "Bachelor's Thesis 1" in the Autumn Semester of 3rd year and "Bachelor's Thesis 2" in the Spring Semester of 4th year.

**[k]** Submission Requirements of thesis, etc. (semester of " Bachelor's Thesis 2"):


- The thesis must be submitted in the Eighth Semester or later (Sixth or Seventh Semester for early graduates), except for the semester of leave of absence.
- The students must have earned or be expected to earn 4 credits of "Seminar" by the semester of thesis submission.

**[l]** The deadline for submitting the July 2025 thesis, the subject, etc., is as follows.

- **[Eligibility]:** September 2025 graduates (including early graduates) who meet the requirements in **[k]** .
- **[Period]:** July 2nd (Wed.) – July 9th (Wed.), 2025 (Final deadline: July 9th (Wed.), 13:00 (JST))
- **[How to submit]:** Login to Moodle and submit to the topic in the name of the instructor of the course "FGS Thesis Submission" (course creating teacher and department chairperson: Akihiko Yamaguchi).
- **[Format]:**
  - Around 6,000 words in English
  - 12 pt, Times New Roman
  - Double-spaced
  - Citation: APA, MLA, Chicago, etc. \*Students may choose any citation method, but must use a consistent citation method within a thesis.
  - PDF file.

 Late submissions are not accepted for any reason. Deadlines must be strictly observed.

After submission, thesis title must be registered by the deadline as follows:

 **[All submitting students]** register the title of your thesis from the questionnaire of Loyola.  
Deadline for entry: July 9th (Wed), 2025

**[m]** The deadline for submitting the December 2025 thesis, the subject, etc., is as follows.

- **[Eligibility]:**

- Continuing students who meet the requirements in 【k】 . (regardless of when they graduated)
- March 2026 early graduates who meet the requirements in 【k】 .
- **[Period]:** December 11th (Thu)-December 18th (Thu), 2025  
(Final deadline: December 18th (Thu), 13:00 (JST))
- **[How to submit]:** Login to Moodle and submit to the topic in the name of the instructor in the course " FGS Thesis Submission " (course creating teacher and department chairperson: Akihiko Yamaguchi).
- **[Format]:**
  - Around 6,000 words in English
  - 12 pt, Times New Roman
  - Double-spaced
  - Citation: APA, MLA, Chicago, etc. \*Students may choose any citation method, but must use a consistent citation method within a thesis.
  - PDF file.

❗ Late submissions are not accepted for any reason. Deadlines must be strictly observed.

i After submission, thesis title must be registered by the deadline as follows:  
 【All submitting students】 register the title of your thesis from the questionnaire of Loyola.  
 Deadline for entry: December 18th (Thu), 2025

### **(7) Courses in other faculties**

A maximum of 26 credits (for students who entered from 2020 to 2021) or 28 credits (for students who entered from 2022) for FGS courses, Faculty of Foreign Studies courses, Faculty of Liberal Arts courses, Courses for Teacher & Curator Certification with course numbers starting with 62, except “Teaching Practice 1, 2, 3 (教育実習 1,2,3) and “Museum Curator Field Work 1, 2 (博物館実習) and Courses offered by CLER can be included in FGS Electives required for graduation. In the case of courses offered by other faculties and departments, a maximum of 8 credits may be counted toward graduation.

### **(8) Recognition and conversion of credits for courses obtained at other Universities**

Refer to "Academic Services"-10-01. Credit Transfer and Approval for Undergraduate Students", regarding Transfer of Credits Earned before Entering as a First year student and the Procedure for Transfer of Credits for students studying abroad.

### **(9) Courses that students from other faculties may not take**

1. Students other than SPSF students cannot take the 100 series lecture courses.
2. Students from other faculties and departments cannot take the 400 series seminar courses.

### **(10) My Sophia Bulletin Board**

A variety of application forms are posted on My Sophia Announcement Bulletin Board: Faculty and Department Office. Download and use them as needed.

## 6. Early Graduation System

1. Early graduation refers to an enrollment period of at least 3 years, and graduating at the end of the 3rd year or at the end of the Autumn Semester in the 4th year, upon completion of prescribed procedures. The former is referred to as graduation in September of the 3rd year and the latter graduation in March of the 4th year.
2. In order to graduate early, all of the following requirements must be fulfilled.
  - 2.1. The student must wish to graduate early.
  - 2.2. At the time of graduation, the student must have obtained all the credits for prescribed courses necessary for graduation.
  - 2.3. The Grade Point Average (hereafter referred to as “the GPA”) for the total number of credits obtained must be 3.7 or more.
3. When requesting early graduation, it is necessary to apply for early graduation registration.
  - 3.1. In order to apply for early graduation registration, it is necessary to obtain 80 credits or more (of which at least 62 must be obtained at Sophia University) that count toward graduation in prescribed courses by the end of the 2nd year. In addition, the GPA for the total number of credits obtained must be at least 3.7.
  - 3.2. A student who registers for early graduation must have taken 4 seminar credits by the time of graduation.
  - 3.3. A student wishing to graduate early must submit an Application for Early Graduation Registration to FGS office during the course registration period in the Autumn Semester of the 3rd year. On the Application, it is necessary to obtain the approval stamp of the instructor in charge of the seminar you will be attending.
  - 3.4. A student who registers for early graduation must consult the Chairperson or the instructor in charge of the seminar in advance and receive appropriate guidance. Also, the student must report the progress of his/her studies to the supervisor and receive guidance as required.
  - 3.5. A student who registers for early graduation may not as a general rule take a leave of absence.
4. For changes to the graduation period and withdrawal of early graduation registration, the following procedures must be followed:
  - 4.1. In the special case of a student wishing to graduate in the end of the 3rd year, it is possible to change the time of early graduation. In this case, the approval stamp of the instructor in charge of the seminar must be affixed to the Notice of Changes to Period of Request for Early Graduation, and this form must be submitted to FGS office during the course registration period in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year.
  - 4.2. If a student who has registered for early graduation wishes to withdraw early graduation registration, the approval stamp of the instructor in charge of the seminar must be affixed to the Notice of Withdrawal of Registration of Request for Early Graduation, and this form must be submitted to FGS office by the date determined separately.
  - 4.3. When withdrawing early graduation application, courses completed in the 3rd year which would normally be taken in the 4th year will be included in the credits necessary for graduation.

Documents to be Submitted	Submission Period
Application for Early Graduation Registration	Course registration period in the Autumn Semester of the 3rd year
Notice of Changes to Period of Request for Early Graduation	Course registration period in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year
Notice of Withdrawal of Registration of Request for Early Graduation:the end of the 3rd Year	Course registration period in the Spring Semester of the 3rd year
Notice of Withdrawal of Registration of Request for Early Graduation: March of the 4th Year	Course registration period in the Autumn Semester of the 4th year

## 7. Specialized Education Courses

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses page of the other SPSF departments for Instructors and Remarks.

### Specialized Education Courses of Department of Global Studies

Please refer to the Specialized Education Courses pages of the other departments for Instructors and Remarks.

#### Core Category 1 (Compulsory)

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGSS1010	BGSS1010	GST110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL STUDIES	2	AUT	WEISS, Tobias/ Others	1	Global Studies	SPSF only, Team-taught course
BGSS1020	BGSS1020	IRS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	2	AUT	WATANABE, Shino/ Others	1	Global Studies	SPSF only, Team-taught course
BGSS1030	BGSS1030	ARS110-21e00	INTRODUCTION TO AREA STUDIES	2	AUT	SAWAE, Fumiko/ Others	1	Global Studies	SPSF only, Team-taught course
BGSS1040	BGSS1040	GST235-21e00	ACADEMIC SKILLS FOR GLOBAL STUDIES	2	AUT	KOBAYASHI, Ayako	2	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS9100	BGSS9100	GRP416-21e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS (INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS) 1	2	AUT	FGS Faculties※1	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS9101	BGSS9100	GRP416-21e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS (INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS) 1	2	SPR	FGS Faculties※1	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS9110	BGSS9110	GRP417-21e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS (AREA STUDIES) 1	2	AUT	FGS Faculties※1	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS9111	BGSS9110	GRP417-21e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS (AREA STUDIES) 1	2	SPR	FGS Faculties※1	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS9201	BGSS9200	GRP418-21e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS (INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS) 2	2	AUT	FGS Faculties※1	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS9200	BGSS9200	GRP418-21e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS (INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS) 2	2	SPR	FGS Faculties※1	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS9211	BGSS9210	GRP419-21e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS (AREA STUDIES) 2	2	AUT	FGS Faculties※1	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS9210	BGSS9210	GRP419-21e00	BACHELOR'S THESIS (AREA STUDIES) 2	2	SPR	FGS Faculties※1	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only

※1 Instructors of Faculty of Global Studies, in charge of the major field's seminar class in this AY.

#### Core Category 2 (Compulsory Electives)

[Seminar]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGSS6000	BGSS6000	IRS472-21e00	SEMINAR (INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS) 1	2	AUT	KOBAYASHI, Ayako	3	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS6001	BGSS6001	IRS473-21e00	SEMINAR (INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS) 2	2	SPR	KOBAYASHI, Ayako	3	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS6010	BGSS6010	ASA462-21e00	SEMINAR (AREA STUDIES) 1	2	AUT	AUGUSTINE, Sali	3	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS6011	BGSS6011	ASA463-21e00	SEMINAR (AREA STUDIES) 2	2	SPR	AUGUSTINE, Sali	3	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only

[GS100-200]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGSS3001	BGSS9700	IRS216-21e00	INTERNATIONAL POLITICS: THEORY AND PRACTICE	2	AUT	KOBAYASHI, Ayako	1~2	Global Studies	
BGSS3002	BGSS9800	IRS217-21e00	INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION: THEORY AND PRACTICE	2	SPR	KOBAYASHI, Ayako	1~2	Global Studies	
HJNS1010	268801	JRN101-19e00	COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		1	Journalism	
HJNS5010	268811	JRN201-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS5020	268812	JRN202-19e00	INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS6010	268820	JRN205-19e00	INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL MEDIA	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HJNS6030	268822	JRN207-19e00	GLOBAL MEDIA PROGRAM	2	AUT		2~4	Journalism	
HEDS1050	147001	EDU238-01e00	COMPARATIVE EDUCATION IN ASIA	2	SPR		1~2	Education	
HEDS1040	147004	EDU206-01e00	CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION	2	SPR		1~2	Education	
HEDS1030	147003	EDU203-01e00	EDUCATION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		1~2	Education	
HEDS1020	147002	EDU202-01e00	INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION	2	AUT		1~2	Education	
HEDS1010	147000	EDU235-01e00	INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE EDUCATION	2	AUT		1~2	Education	
HEDS5010	147021	EDU204-01e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 1: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION	2	Not Offered		1~4	Education	
HEDS5020	147022	EDU205-01e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 2: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION	2	AUT		1~4	Education	
HSCS1010	289200	SOC101-03e00	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		1	Sociology	
HSCS1030	289202	SOC103-03e00	QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	SPR		1	Sociology	
HSCS2030	289203	SOC203-03e00	QUALITATIVE METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY	2	AUT		2	Sociology	
HSCS5040	288807	SOC216-03e00	SOCIAL CHANGE IN POSTWAR JAPAN	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5010	289220	SOC204-03e00	SOCIOLOGY OF HAPPINESS	2	AUT		2~4	Sociology	
EECS1002	498008	ECN113-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MACROECONOMICS	2	SPR		1	Economics	
EECS1001	498007	ECN112-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	2	AUT		1	Economics	
EECS1003	498017	ECN105-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2	SPR		1	Economics	
EECS5008	402110	ECN210-41e00	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5007	467969	ECN252-41e00	GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT GOALS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS5011	498014	ECN270-41e00	POVERTY IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EECS5028	498026	ECN275-41e00	ACTIVE LEARNING SEMINAR 1	2	SPR		1~4	Economics	
EECS5029	498027	ECN307-41e00	ACTIVE LEARNING SEMINAR 2	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EECS1005	498040	ECN282-41e00	INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMETRICS	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5050	468046	MRK217-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 1	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5051	468049	MRK218-42e00	GLOBAL MARKETING 2	2	1Q		2~4	Management	
EMGS5032	468033	MAN101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT※2	2	AUT		1~4	Management	
EMGS5047	468039	MRK101-42e00	PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING※2	2	AUT		1~4	Management	

※2 Newly added to the list of Global Studies SE courses from 2023. For those who take the course from 2023 onwards, the course will be counted as [GS100-200].

For those who have taken the course before 2023, it is counted as SE Electives, Other Faculty / Department Course.



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### Core Category 2 (Compulsory Electives)

[AS200]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGSS3004	BGS20001	ASA233-21e00	BASICS OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN STUDIES B	2	SPR	KUSHIMOTO, Hiroko	1~2	Global Studies	
ECCS5020	490015	ECN260-41e00	ASIAN ECONOMY	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
ECCS5004	402120	ECN211-41e00	JAPANESE ECONOMY 1	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
ECCS5019	490016	ECN269-41e00	AFRICAN ECONOMY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Economics	
GSP21300	GSP21300	ENG239-02e00	JAPANOLGY (LITERATURE) A2	2	SPR		1~4	CLEL	[20]
GSP21390	GSP21390	ENG240-02e00	JAPANOLGY (LITERATURE) B2	2	AUT		1~4	CLEL	[20]
GSP21440	GSP21440	ENG245-02e00	JAPANOLGY (TOURISM) A2	2	SPR		1~4	CLEL	[20]
GSP21441	GSP21440	ENG245-02e00	JAPANOLGY (TOURISM) A2	2	SPR		1~4	CLEL	[20]
GSP21450	GSP21450	ENG246-02e00	JAPANOLGY (TOURISM) B2	2	AUT		1~4	CLEL	[20]
GSP21451	GSP21450	ENG246-02e00	JAPANOLGY (TOURISM) B2	2	AUT		1~4	CLEL	[20]

[AS300-400]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGSS3016	BGS59500	ASA324-21e00	ASIAN POLITICS	2	SPR	PARK, Chris Hyunbyu*	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3008	BGS59300	AME318-21e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIETIES OF THE MIDDLE EAST	2	Not Offered	TSUJIGAMI, Namie	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3010	BGS58100	AAF316-21e00	LIFE AND CULTURE IN AFRICA	2	Not Offered	TODA, Mikako	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3017	BGS20008	AME323-21e00	MODERN HISTORY OF THE MIDDLE EAST B	2	AUT	YAMAGUCHI, Akihiko	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3007	BGS57900	ASA318-21e00	SOCIETY AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA	2	AUT	AUGUSTINE, Sali	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3018	BGS20009	ASA325-21e00	GLOBAL HISTORY AND ASIA	2	SPR	SAKURADA, Chie	2~4	Global Studies	[190]
BGSS3023	BGS62000	ASA329-21e00	PREMODERN HISTORY OF SOUTHEAST ASIA	2	SPR	NHIM, Sotheavin*	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4004	BGS57508	ASA402-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (CULTURES AND SOCIETIES OF ASIA)	2	SPR	YONENO-REYES, Michiyo*	3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4006	BGS57517	ASA404-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (GLOBAL MIGRATION AND KOREANS IN JAPAN)	2	Not Offered	KWON, Hyang Suk	3~4	Global Studies	
APOL3030	POL303	POL303-65e00	JAPANESE FOREIGN AND SECURITY POLICY	4	SPR		2~4	FLA	
HHT55710	170470	HST308-14m00	LEC. IN HIST. (MODERN JAPAN)	2	SPR		2~4	History	

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Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGSS3003	BGS20000	ICP223-21e00	BASICS OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION B	2	Intensive (SPR)	OHASHI, Chiho*	1~2	Global Studies	Intensive course
BGSS3013	BGS20006	ICP224-21e00	BASICS OF THEORIES OF CIVIL SOCIETY B	2	AUT	WEISS, Tobias	1~2	Global Studies	
HEDS5070	147027	EDU244-01e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 3: EDUCATIONAL POLICY ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY ASIA	2	AUT		1~4	Education	
HEDS5060	147026	EDU242-01e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 4: GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP, HUMANITY EMPOWERMENT AND CRITICAL MORAL CONSCIOUSNESS	2	SPR		1~4	Education	
HEDS5050	147025	EDU209-01e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN EDUCATION 5: INTRODUCTION TO EPISTEMIC INJUSTICE, TRANSFORMATION, AND EDUCATION	2	AUT		1~4	Education	
HSCS5050	284930	SOC213-03e00	SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBALIZATION	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS2040	289212	SOC207-03e00	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2	SPR		2	Sociology	
ECCS5036	490047	ECN283-41e00	TIME SERIES ANALYSIS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
ECCS5037	490048	ECN284-41e00	INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION	2	AUT		2~4	Economics	
ECCS5038	490049	ECN285-41e00	ECONOMICS OF FINANCIAL MARKETS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
ECCS5039	490050	ECN286-41e00	APPLIED ECONOMETRICS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5044	468036	MRK214-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5045	468037	MRK215-42e00	CONSUMER BEHAVIOR 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5048	468040	MRK212-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5049	468041	MRK213-42e00	MARKETING STRATEGY 2	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5035	468046	MAN235-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5036	468047	MAN236-42e00	ORGANIZATIONAL THEORY AND ANALYSIS	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5037	468052	MAN227-42e00	STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
EMGS5052	468069	MAN237-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 1	2	SPR		2~4	Management	
EMGS5053	468070	MAN238-42e00	ENTREPRENEURSHIP 2	2	Not Offered		2~4	Management	
HSCS5080	289223	SOC224-03e00	CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL PROBLEMS: IMMIGRATION IN JAPAN AND INTEGRATION OF IMMIGRANTS	2	SPR		2~4	Sociology	

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[IR300-400]

Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGSS3014	BGS20007	IRS332-21e00	CONFLICT RESOLUTION B	2	AUT	UCHIDA, Shun*	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3006	BGS20002	ICP321-21e00	EDUCATION FOR MINORITIES IN JAPAN	2	1Q	TOKUNAGA, Tomoko*	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3015	BGS59000	IRS327-21e00	PEACE RESEARCH	2	SPR	HATERUMA, Shinoh	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS3005	BGS58500	IRS323-21e00	THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	2	AUT	SUZUKI, Kazutoshi	2~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4002	BGS25000	IRS407-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (DEMOCRACY AND CONFLICT)	2	Not Offered	NAKAUCHI, Masataka	3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4001	BGS7516	IRS406-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS)	2	SPR	KOBAYASHI, Ayako	3~4	Global Studies	
BGSS4007	BGS62001	ICP403-21e00	ADVANCED STUDIES (SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION)	2	SPR	MARUYAMA, Hideki	3~4	Global Studies	
HJNS5030	268813	JRN301-19e00	MASS MEDIA 1	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5040	268814	JRN302-19e00	MASS MEDIA 2	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5070	268817	JRN340-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 1	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5080	268818	JRN341-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 2	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5090	268819	JRN342-19e00	REPORTING IN ENGLISH 3	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5050	268815	JRN401-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 1	2	AUT		3~4	Journalism	
HJNS5060	268816	JRN402-19e00	ETHICS OF MASS COMMUNICATION 2	2	SPR		3~4	Journalism	
HSCS2010	289204	SOC366-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 1	2	AUT		2	Sociology	
HSCS2020	289205	SOC367-83e00	SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY 2	2	SPR		2	Sociology	
HSCS5130	289229	SOC350-83e00	ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY	2	Not Offered		2~4	Sociology	
HSCS5140	289227	SOC348-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 1: INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES	2	SPR		3~4	Sociology	
HSCS5150	289230	SOC351-83e00	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGY 2: RESILIENCE AND FUTURE OF JAPANESE RURAL COMMUNITIES	2	AUT		3~4	Sociology	
EECS5034	498041	ECN317-41e00	INTERMEDIATE ECONOMETRICS	2	SPR		2~4	Economics	
EMGS5038	460060	MAN345-42e00	CHALLENGING FRONTLINE ISSUES IN GLOBAL BUSINESS	4	Not Offered		3~4	Management	
EMGS5056	460073	MAN346-42e00	GENERAL MANAGEMENT IN ACTION	2	Intensive(AUT)		3~4	Management	
EMGS5043	460010	MRK307-42e00	GLOBAL BRANDING	2	AUT		2~4	Management	
LAW69000	333306	POL305-30e00	COMPARATIVE POLITICS	2	AUT		3~4	Law	
LAW69300	333307	POL308-30e00	INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTIONS AND WORLD ORDER	2	Not Offered		3~4	Law	
LAW68200	338010	POL307-30e00	INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY	2	SPR		3~4	Law	
LAW52301	337503	POL304-30e00	JAPANESE POLITICS IN GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES	2	AUT		3~4	Law	

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Registration CD	Course CD	Numbering	Course title	Cr.	Semester offered	Instructor	Student Year	Course Offering Department	Remarks
BGSS5000	BGSS5000	IDR262-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 1	2	AUT	FGS Faculties:3	2	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5001	BGSS5001	IDR263-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 2	2	SPR	FGS Faculties:3	2	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5002	BGSS5002	IDR264-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 3	2	AUT	FGS Faculties:3	3	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5003	BGSS5003	IDR265-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 4	2	SPR	FGS Faculties:3	3	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5004	BGSS5004	IDR266-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 5	2	AUT	FGS Faculties:3	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5005	BGSS5005	IDR267-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 6	2	SPR	FGS Faculties:3	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
<b>For those studying abroad in the next semester, and those taking courses in the semester following their return from study abroad only</b>									
BGSS5010	BGSS5010	IDR268-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 2a	1	1Q	FGS Faculties:3	2	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5011	BGSS5011	IDR269-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 2b	1	2Q	FGS Faculties:3	2	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5012	BGSS5012	IDR270-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 4a	1	1Q	FGS Faculties:3	3	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5013	BGSS5013	IDR271-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 4b	1	2Q	FGS Faculties:3	3	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5014	BGSS5014	IDR272-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 6a	1	1Q	FGS Faculties:3	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only
BGSS5015	BGSS5015	IDR273-21e00	INDEPENDENT STUDIES 6b	1	2Q	FGS Faculties:3	4	Global Studies	FGS-SPSF only

Instructor: \* Instructor's name with \* = adjunct instructor

#3 Instructors of Faculty of Global Studies 2/2a/2b/4/4a/4b (except Maeshima, Susuki, Tsujigami)

Remarks: [ ] = Lottery Courses. Number in brackets is the capacity.

#3 Instructors of Faculty of Global Studies 1/3/5 (except Kwon,Toda, Maruyama)

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