

III. Academic Requirements

A. Requirements for Graduation

[Master's Program]

A minimum of 39 credits is required for graduation (including a minimum of 9 credits from Practical Courses). GPA of 3.0 or higher out of 4.3 is required.

- 1) Students should take the **“4 required courses”** from the major program.

Major		Required Courses (4 Courses)			
		Mandatory (Select 1)	Mandatory (Select 1)	Mandatory (Select 1)	Dissertation
Int'l Commerce		Int'l Economic Relations	Int'l Cooperation/ or Understanding the East Asia/ (select 1 of 2)	Research Methodology or Comparative Methodology (select 1 of 2)	Dissertation Research
Int'l Cooperation		Int'l Cooperation	Int'l Economic Relations/ or Understanding the East Asia/ (select 1 of 2)		
Int'l Area Studies		Understanding the East Asia	Int'l Economic Relations/ or Int'l Cooperation/ (select 1 of 2)		
DCPP		International Development Study	Int'l Economic Relations/ or Int'l Cooperation/ or Understanding the East Asia (major 1 & select 1) of 3		
Korean Studies	Korean Students	Int'l Economic Relations/ or Int'l Cooperation/ (select 1 of 2)	Modern Korean History and Society/ or Modernization and Transformation of Korean Society/ (select 1 of 2)		
	Foreign Students	Korean Society	Korean History (Modern Korean History)	Politics in Global Korea	

- 2) Students should take at least 3 courses (9 credits) in their GSIS major program.

* You can choose major courses from other majors that are mutually recognized majors. (Refer to Mutual Recognition List)

- 3) Students must take courses (credits) to fulfill required credits (39 credits) to be eligible to graduate.
- 4) Students must take at least 3 courses (9 credits) from practical courses in their major or elective program.
- 5) Students can take undergraduate courses (Elective Subject for Major or Requisite Subject for Major) within 6 credits. Students should seek advice from their advisory professor before registering for an undergraduate

course.

[Ph.D. Program]

A minimum of 45 credits is required for graduation.

- (1) Students must take one research method course (Those who have already taken a methodology course in their Master's program are exempted).
- (2) Students should take 4 courses (12 credits) or more from their major program (International Commerce, International Cooperation, and International Area Studies)
- (3) Students should take 3 courses (9 credits) or more from other major programs (International Commerce, International Cooperation, International Area Studies, and Korean Studies).
- (4) Students should take at least 8 elective courses (24 credits), including "Dissertation Research" (Students taking methodology course should take at least 7 elective courses (21 credits) or more)
* "Dissertation Research" is not mandatory for students in the doctorate program. However, students may take the course up to 4 times (a maximum of 12 credits, one course per semester) and have it counted as credits required for graduation.