

Integrated Studies, B.S.

Visit the Integrated Studies page (<https://www.uvu.edu/is/>) for more information on the program and access to advising.

Program Description

The individualized nature of the Integrated Studies degree is attractive to students with multiple interests. Students integrate course work in minors/certificates such as biology, earth science, business, health, literature, languages, communication, philosophy, psychology, sociology, anthropology, and the arts.

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Total Credit Hours		120
General Education Requirements		30 Credits
ENGL 1010 or ENGL 1005	Introduction to Academic Writing Literacies and Composition Across Contexts	3
ENGL 2010	Intermediate Academic Writing	3
Complete one of the following:		3
MAT 1030	Quantitative Reasoning (3)	
MAT 1035	Quantitative Reasoning with Integrated Algebra (6)	
STAT 1040	Introduction to Statistics (3)	
STAT 1045	Introduction to Statistics with Algebra (5)	
MATH 1050	College Algebra (4)	
MATH 1055	College Algebra with Preliminaries (5)	
MATH 1090	College Algebra for Business (3)	
Complete one of the following:		3
HIST 2700 & HIST 2710	US History to 1877 and US History since 1877 (6)	
HIST 1700	American History (3)	
HIST 1740	US Economic History (3)	
POLS 1000	American Heritage (3)	
POLS 1100	American National Government (3)	
Distribution Courses:		
Biology		3
Physical Science		3
Personal, Professional, and Civic Growth		3
Humanities		3
Fine Arts		3
Social/Behavioral Science		3
Discipline Core Requirements		18 Credits
IS 2000	Knowledge Integrated	3
IS 3000R	Introductory Topics in Integrated Studies	3
IS 3500R	Topics in Integrated Studies	3
One additional section of 300R or 350R		3
IS 4980	Integrated Studies Capstone I	3
IS 4990	Integrated Studies Capstone II	3
Emphasis Requirements		36 Credits
Complete 1 approved Minor or Certificate		18
Complete a second different approved Minor or Certificate		18

40 credits of upper-division credits are required. Not all Certificates and Minors fit this degree. Please see your advisor for a list of approved options. Some minors require more than 18 credits to complete. Any minor requirements beyond 18 credits may count toward electives.

Elective Requirements	36
Complete any 1000-level, or higher, courses	Credits
	36

Graduation Requirements

1. Completion of a minimum of 120 semester credits; a minimum of 40 credits must be upper-division.
2. Overall grade point average of 2.0 (C) or above. (Departments may require a higher GPA.)
3. Residency hours: minimum of 30 credit hours through course attendance at UVU, with at least 10 hours earned in the last 45 hours.
4. Completion of GE and specified departmental requirements; students must have "C-" or higher in the Discipline Core courses (except for the Foreign Language classes).
5. Successful completion of at least one Global/Intercultural course.
6. Successful completion of at least two Writing Enriched courses.
7. Complete Integrated Studies graduating student survey.

Graduation Plan

This graduation plan is a sample plan and is intended to be a guide. Your specific plan may differ based on your Math and English placement and/or transfer credits applied. You are encouraged to meet with an advisor and set up an individualized graduation plan in Wolverine Track (<http://www.uvu.edu/wolverinetrack/>).

First Year

Semester 1		Credit Hours
ENGL 1010 or ENGH 1005	Introduction to Academic Writing or Literacies and Composition Across Contexts	3
Complete one of the following:		3
HIST 1700	American History	
HIST 1740	US Economic History	
POLS 1000	American Heritage	
POLS 1100	American National Government	
Fine Arts Distribution		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
Credit Hours		15

Semester 2

ENGL 2010	Intermediate Academic Writing	3
Complete one of the following:		3
MAT 1030	Quantitative Reasoning	
MAT 1035	Quantitative Reasoning with Integrated Algebra	
STAT 1040	Introduction to Statistics	
STAT 1045	Introduction to Statistics with Algebra	
MATH 1050	College Algebra	
MATH 1055	College Algebra with Preliminaries	
MATH 1090	College Algebra for Business	
Physical Science Distribution		3
IS 2000	Knowledge Integrated	3
Elective		3
Credit Hours		15

Second Year

Semester 3

Elective		3
Elective		3
Elective		2
Elective		3
Elective		4
Credit Hours		15

Semester 4

IS 3000R or IS 3500R	Introductory Topics in Integrated Studies or Topics in Integrated Studies	3
Biology Distribution		3

Personal, Professional, and Civic Growth		3
Social/Behavioral Science		3
Elective		3
	Credit Hours	15
Third Year		
Semester 5		
IS 3000R or IS 3500R	Introductory Topics in Integrated Studies or Topics in Integrated Studies	3
Elective		3
Minor 1 Course 1		3
Minor 2 Course 1		3
Elective		3
	Credit Hours	15
Semester 6		
IS 3000R or IS 3500R	Introductory Topics in Integrated Studies or Topics in Integrated Studies	3
Humanities Distribution		3
Minor 1 Course 2		3
Minor 2 Course 2		3
Minor 1 Course 3		3
	Credit Hours	15
Fourth Year		
Semester 7		
IS 4980	Integrated Studies Capstone I	3
Elective		3
Minor 2 Course 3		3
Minor 1 Course 4		3
Minor 2 Course 4		3
	Credit Hours	15
Semester 8		
IS 4990	Integrated Studies Capstone II	3
Minor 1 Course 5		3
Minor 2 Course 5		3
Minor 1 Course 6		3
Minor 2 Course 6		3
	Credit Hours	15
	Total Credit Hours	120

Program Learning Outcomes

1. Graduates will be able to gather and analyze information to develop a Capstone Thesis which incorporates knowledge from their two (or three) emphasis areas, upper division theory courses, and Integrated Studies topics courses.
2. Graduates will be able to discuss and defend their Capstone Thesis/Project with particular attention to how concepts from their emphases are incorporated through work on a problem that requires interdisciplinary tools.
3. Graduates will be able to apply research and writing skills to demonstrate informational and technical literacy.

Postsecondary teachers, all other

- Total Positions 202,500
- Field Growth 3.2%
- Median Salary \$79,870
- Average Openings 15.9