

SILLIMAN UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND GOVERNANCE
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS

SY 2015-2016

FIRST YEAR

Sub.	PR*	First Semester	units	Sub.	PR*	Second Semester	Units
FOA 11		Introduction to Foreign Affairs	3	FOA 12		General Principles of International Relation	3
FOA 13		Elements of Political Theory	3	FOA 14		Phil. Gov't Foreign Policy Structure, Economics & Cultural Policy	3
FOA 17		Political and Social Thought	3	FOA 16		Ethnopolitical Landscape	3
BC 11		Basic Communication Skills	3	BC 12	BC 11	Basic Communication Skills	3
Math 11		College Algebra	3	CFUND 1		Computer Fundamentals	3
Pol Sci 51		Phil. Nat. Gov't & the New Constitution	3	Hist 52		Philippine History	3
Spch 11		Basic Speech Communication	3	Rel 11		OT Message in the Phil. Context	3
P.E. 11		Basic Physical Education	2	P.E. 12	PE 11	Basic Physical Education	2
FOLA 1		Fundamentals of Spanish (Span 11)	3	FOLA 2	FOLA 1	Conversational Spanish (Span. 12)	3
NSTP 1		National Service Training Program	3	NSTP 2	NSTP 1	National Service Training Program	3
PEP 1		Personal Enhancement Program	0	PEP 2		Personal Enhancement Program	0
Total			29	Total			29

Sub.	PR*	Summer (First Year)	units
Fil 13 N		Komunikasyon sa Akademikong Pilipino	3
Psych 11		General Psychology	3
Rel 22	Rel. 11	N.T. Message in Phil. Context	3
Total			9

SECOND YEAR

Sub.	PR*	First Semester	units	Sub.	PR*	Second Semester	Units
FOA 19		History of Diplomacy	3	FOA 20		Phil. Foreign Policy & Relations	3
FOA 23		Oriental Philosophy	3	FOA 22	FOA 19	Diplomacy & Protocol in Int'l Relations	3
PA35N		Environmental Risk Vulnerability, Global Warming, Climate Change Mitigation & Adaptation	3	FOA 24		Principles of Economics	3
PA 27		Public Finance	3	FOA 26		Comparative Gov't & Foreign Policy	3
BC 25	BC 12	Adv. Comp. & the Research Paper	3	FOA 28		Human Resource Management	3
Hist 21		Asian Civilization	3	PA 22		Basic Governance Development Models	3
Lab Sci		Biology/Chemistry/Physics ¹	5	Hist 24		World Civilization	3
PE 21	PE 11	Basic Physical Education	2	Math 16	Math 11	General Statistics	3
FOLA 3		Fundamentals of Mandarin	3	P.E. 22	PE 11	Basic Physical Education	2
				FOLA 4	FOLA 3	Conversational Mandarin	3
Total			28	Total			29

Sub.	PR*	Summer (Second Year)	units
Fil 24 N	Fil 13N	Pagbabasa at Pagsulat Tungo sa Pananaliksik	3
FA 51		Art Appreciation	3
Philo 23		Philo of the Human Person	3
Total			9

THIRD YEAR

Sub.	PR*	First Semester	units	Sub.	PR*	Second Semester	Units
FOA 25	FOA 22	Diplomatic and Consular Practices	3	FOA 30	FOA 24	International Economics and Trade	3
FOA 31		Public & Private International Laws	3	FOA 36		Geography	3
FOA 35		Assistance to Filipino Nationals Abroad	3	FOA 38		International Finance	3
FOA 37		International Environmental Policy	3	FOA 40		International Political Economy	3
PA 37		Operations Mgt.	3	FOA 42	FOA 31	International Politics & Territorial Conflicts in Asia/Southeast Asia	3
Litt 21	BC 25	Literature of the Philippines	3	FOA 44		Cultures in Asia and Western Cultures	3
Socio 63		Current Issues & Contemporary	3	FOA 46		International Development	3
SPCH 23N	BC 25	Public Speaking	3	PA 58	PA 37	Strategic Dev't. Plan	3
FOLA 5		Fundamentals of French	3	FOLA 6	FOLA 5	Conversational French	3
Total			27	Total			27

¹Chemistry 11 or Biology 21 or Physics 24

Sub.	PR*	Summer (Third Year)	units
Phys 25		Earth Science	3
Hist 41		Rizal's Life and Works	3
Rel 61		Christian Ethics	3
Total			9

FOURTH YEAR

First Semester				Second Semester			
Sub.	PR*		units	Sub.	PR*		Units
FOA 41	SS-1	The UN and International Organizations	3	FOA 60	SS-2	Foreign Affairs Internship	12
FOA 43	SS-1	International Humanitarian Laws & Issues	3				
FOA 45	SS-1	International Peace and Crisis Diplomacy	3				
FOA 47	SS-1	International Theories on National Urban Development	3				
FOA 53	SS-1	Foreign Affairs Research	3				
FOA 57	SS-1	Foreign Affairs Seminars2	3				
Total			18	Total			12

TOTAL UNITS: 226

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

FOR NEW STUDENTS:

1. An applicant must have a High School general average of at least **82%**, with no grade below **80%**, and a grade of **85%** in English.
2. Those with a High School general average of less than 82% but above 80%, may be **conditionally admitted**, and placed on probation for **two** semesters, during which period, he/she must have a QPA of at least 2.3, to remove "conditional" status.
3. Graduates of Silliman University must have a general average of **80%** with no grade below **75%**. Those with general average of below **80%** but above **75%** may be conditionally admitted, and placed on probation for two semesters, during which period, he/she must have a QPA of at least **2.3** to remove "conditional" status.

FOR SHIFTEES AND TRANSFEREES:

1. Shiftees and transferees must have a general average of 2.3 of all subjects creditable in the BSFA curriculum. Those with general average of below 2.3 but not below 2.0 may be conditionally admitted and placed on "probation" for two semesters during which period he/she must have a QPA of at least 2.3 to remove the "probation" status, with no grade below 2.3 in the following subjects:
 - ☒ All English Subjects (BC 11, BC 12, BC 25)
 - ☒ All FOLA Subjects (FOLA 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6)
 - ☒ All Major Subjects (FOA/PA)
2. Must pass the interview conducted by the Dean of SPAG.

RETENTION POLICIES:

1. While a grade of 1.0 is passing, a higher grade of 2.3 is required for the following subjects, where a higher degree of proficiency is required, for purposes of progression and graduation:
 - ☒ All English Subjects (BC 11, BC 12, BC 25)
 - ☒ All FOLA Subjects (FOLA 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6)
 - ☒ All Major Subjects (FOA/PA)
2. Students who are not able to maintain the retention QPA requirement of **2.3** on all levels will be put on **"probation"** status, and will be given only **two semesters** to remove the "probation" status.
3. Cumulative QPA requirement for graduation is **2.30**.

PR - Pre-requisite Subject

SS1 - Senior Standing - 1 (Must have taken & passed all subjects from the First Year to Third Year)

SS2 - Senior Standing - 2 (Must have taken & passed all subjects from First Year to First Semester of Fourth Year)