### BG Perspective (BGP) Requirements

**Must complete at least 1 course in each of the following:**

- **English Composition and Oral Communication**
- **Quantitative Literacy**

**Must Complete at least 2 courses in each of the following:**

- **Humanities and the Arts**
- **Natural Sciences - at least one Lab Science required**
- **Social and Behavioral Sciences**

**Complete total required BGP credit hours by selecting courses from any of the above categories:**

**University Requirements**

Designated courses in Humanities and the Arts and the Social and Behavioral Sciences domains may be used to fulfill both the BGP requirement and one of the following university requirements:

- **Cultural Diversity in the US**
- **International Perspective**

**Composition Requirement:**

- **WRIT 1120 Research Writing**

**Total BGP Credits: Must be at least 36**

### Major Requirements (30 Hrs.)

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AFRS majors design, in consultation with a faculty adviser, an area of emphasis consisting of at least 21 hours and selected from three different academic areas, 12 hours being at the 3000/4000 level. Students may have a concentration comprised of 4 courses; faculty advisers should help students identify appropriate courses based on career interests and/or anticipated graduate studies.

*when offered on an Africana topic.*

### Minor Requirements: (usually 21 hours, no courses from AFRS major may be used)

**Arts & Sciences Requirements**

**Foreign Language (_____ yrs of HS_______)**

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**Lab Science**

**Multidisciplinary Component**

Select from approved offerings, in consultation with an advisor and a faculty mentor. Four courses total, each with a different subject prefix. At least two courses at 3000/4000 level. Courses applied to the Arts & Sciences MDC may not be used to fulfill other Arts and Sciences degree requirements, nor may they be used to fulfill major, minor, BGP or other program requirements.

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For Graduation You Will Need:

1. 122 credit hours minimum.
   
   In Progress/Completed _________   Needed _________

2. Minimum GPA 2.00.
   
   Current GPA ____________

3. At least 30 credit hours of BGSU course work.
   
   In Progress/Completed _________   Needed _________

4. 40 credit hours at the 3000/4000 level.
   
   In Progress/Completed _________   Needed _________

5. Completion of all degree requirements, including the BG Perspective Core.
   
   In Progress/Completed _________   Needed _________

6. A major, and if required, a minor, specialization or emphasis.
   
   Declared with the College Office   ☐ Yes   ☐ No

Any substitution or waiver of courses required for your major or minor program must originate in the department/school offering the major or minor and must be approved by the College Office.

To ensure a timely graduation, see a College Advisor during the semester prior to your intended graduation.

Remember to complete an Application for Graduation by the end of the second week of classes during the fall semester or spring regular session, or by the end of the first week of the summer semester. For the specific dates, check your DARS. You may log onto MyBGSU to complete the online application. After the deadlines, you will need to complete an application in person in the College Office.