**CYBER POLICY AND ETHICS, B.S.**

**Degree Requirements (120 Hours)**

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**Founding Documents Requirement**

All undergraduate students must take a 3-credit course or its equivalent with a passing grade in the subject areas of History, Political Science, or African American Studies that covers the founding documents including the United States Constitution, the Declaration of Independence, the Emancipation Proclamation and one or more documents that are foundational to the African American Freedom struggle, and a minimum of five essays from the Federalist papers. This course may count as a requirement in any part of the program of study including the Carolina Core, the major, minor or cognate, or as a general elective. Courses that meet this requirement are listed here (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/founding-document-courses/).

**1. Carolina Core Requirements (32-46 hours)**

**CMW – Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Written (6 hours)**

*Must be passed with a grade of C or higher.*

- ENGL 101*
- ENGL 102*

**ARP – Analytical Reasoning and Problem Solving (6-8 hours)**

*Must be passed with a grade of C or higher.*

- MATH 122* or MATH 141*
- MATH 142*, MATH 170* or MATH 172*

**SCI – Scientific Literacy (8 hours)**

- two 4-credit hour CC-SCI laboratory science courses (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/)

**GFL – Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Foreign Language (0-6 hours)**

Demonstration of proficiency in one foreign language equivalent to the minimal passing grade on the exit examination in the 122 course is required. Students can demonstrate this proficiency by successfully completing Phase II of the Proficiency Test or by successfully completing the 122 course, including the exit exam administered as part of that course.

- CC-GFL courses (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/)

It is strongly recommended that students continuing the study of a foreign language begin college-level study of that language in their first semester and continue in that language until their particular foreign language requirement is completed.

**GHS – Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Historical Thinking (3 hours)**

- any CC-GHS course (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/)

**GSS – Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Social Sciences (3 hours)**

*Must be passed with a grade of C or higher*

- any CC-GSS Course (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/)

**AIU – Aesthetic and Interpretive Understanding (3 hours)**

- any CC-AIU course (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/)

**CMS – Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Spoken Component¹ (0-3 hours)**

- any CC-CMS Course (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/)

**INF – Information Literacy¹ (0-3 hours)**

- any overlay or stand-alone CC-INF course (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/)

**VSR – Values, Ethics, and Social Responsibility (3 hours)**

- any CC-VSR Course (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/)

¹ Carolina Core Stand Alone or Overlay Eligible Requirements — Overlay-approved courses offer students the option of meeting two Carolina Core components in a single course. A maximum of two overlays is allowed. The total Carolina Core credit hours must add up to a minimum of 31 hours. Some programs may have a higher number of minimum Carolina Core hours due to specified requirements.

**2. College Requirements (15-18 hours)**

**Foreign Language (0-3 hours)**

*only if needed to meet 122-level proficiency*

**Analytical Reasoning (6 hours)**

*Must be passed with a grade of C or higher*

- STAT 201*¹ or higher
- CSCE 102* or higher except CSCE 587*

**History (3 hours)**

The College of Arts and Sciences requires one additional GHS course beyond the Carolina Core GHS requirement.

- If the Carolina Core GHS requirement is fulfilled by a U.S. history course, the College of Arts and Sciences history requirement must be fulfilled by a non-U.S. history course.
• If the Carolina Core GHS requirement is fulfilled by a non-U.S. history course, the College of Arts and Sciences history requirement must be fulfilled by a U.S. history course.

Please select the College of Arts and Sciences history requirement from the approved list of U.S. and non-U.S. history courses (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/history-requirement/).

Social Science and Fine Arts or Humanities (6 hours) Must be passed with a grade of C or higher

• Social Science (3 hours)
  • The College of Arts and Sciences requires one 3-hour Social Science Course (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/courses-acceptable-social-science/).

• Fine Arts/Humanities (3 Hours)
  • A Bachelor of Science from the College of Arts and Sciences requires one 3-hour Fine Arts/Humanities Course (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/courses-acceptable-fine-arts-humanities/)

Note: Students may not use courses in foreign language toward the Fine Arts or Humanities requirement, as those courses will count toward the Supporting Courses Foreign Language requirement.

1 These courses require additional prerequisite not included in the program.

3. Program Requirements (20-37 hours) Supporting Courses (9-24 hours)

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<td>or ITEC 233</td>
<td>Introduction to Computer Hardware and Software</td>
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| PHIL 114 | Introduction to Formal Logic I (*)         | 3       |
| GEOG 105 | The Digital Earth (*)                      | 3       |

Total Credit Hours  9-24

1 The Cyber Policy and Ethics program requires students to complete foreign language(s) beyond the 121-level required by the College of Arts and Sciences. Students may meet this requirement in two ways:
  • One language completed through 6 hours at the 300 level, or
  • Two languages distributed as follows:
    • Carolina Core GFL language continued through 6 hours at the 200 level, and a
    • Second language completed through the 122 level, which may require from 6 to 9 hours, depending on whether the language begins with 109 or 121.

Note: The number of hours that students must take to fulfill this requirement will depend upon their proficiency in the language, e.g. students who test into 300-level of a language would not need to take the 200-level prerequisites and would only need 6 hours to meet this requirement. Additionally, should students choose to add a foreign language minor or foreign language as a second major and successfully complete course requirements, then this will satisfy the foreign language requirement for the Cyber Policy and Ethics major. This requirement may be satisfied through foreign language placement tests.

Cognate or Minor (0-18 hours) Optional

This major does not require a cognate or minor.

An optional minor may be added to a student’s program of study. A minor is intended to develop a coherent basic preparation in a second area of study. Courses applied toward general education requirements cannot be counted toward the minor. No course may satisfy both major and minor requirements. All minor courses must be passed with a grade of C or higher. At least half of the courses in the minor must be completed in residence at the University. A list of minor programs of study can be found at Programs A-Z. An optional additional major may also be added to a student’s program of study.

Additional majors must include all major courses as well as any prescribed courses noted (*) in the bulletin. Prescribed courses noted in the bulletin may be shared with Carolina Core, College requirements, and Program requirements in the primary program.

A list of minor programs of study can be found at Programs A-Z (https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/programs-az/).

Electives (0-28 hours)

120 (or 128) degree applicable credits are required to complete any degree at USC. After the cognate, minor or second major is complete, any additional credits needed to reach 120 (or 128) total credits can be fulfilled by electives. No courses of a remedial, developmental, skill-acquiring, or vocational nature may apply as credit toward degrees in the College of Arts and Sciences. The College of Arts and Sciences allows the use of the Pass-Fail option on elective courses. Further clarification on inapplicable courses can be obtained from the College of Arts and Sciences.

4. Major Requirements (36 hours) Must be passed with a grade of C or higher.

No more than 9 credit hours at the 200-level may be taken for credit towards the major requirements.

Selection of major courses must include at least one Carolina Core Integrative course: CYBR 399, CYBR 498, CYBR 499, POLI 315, POLI 451, PSYC 430 or PSYC 440.

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<td>ISCI 330</td>
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<td>ISCI 480</td>
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### Global Cyber Cultures

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<td>CYBR 393</td>
<td>Special Topics in Global Cyber Cultures</td>
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Select one of the following: 3

- AFAM 202  Introduction to African-American Studies
- AFAM 428A African-American Literature I: to 1903
- AFAM 428B African-American Literature II: 1903 – Present
- AFAM 498  Seminar in African-American Studies
- ANTH 211  Learning Across Cultures
- ANTH 234  Caribbean Cultures
- ANTH 237  Cultures of Islam
- ANTH 242  Chinese Popular Culture
- ANTH 301  Latin American Cultures
- ANTH 303  African-American Cultures
- CHIN 240  Chinese Culture, Tradition, and Modern Societies
- CYBR 393  Special Topics in Global Cyber Cultures
- ENGL 428A African-American Literature I: to 1903
- ENGL 428B African-American Literature II: 1903 – Present
- ENGL 438D African Literature
- GEOG 223  Geography of Latin America
- GEOG 225  Geography of Europe
- GEOG 226  Geography of the Middle East
- GEOG 228  Geography of Sub-Saharan Africa
- GEOG 311  Landscape and Cultural Geography
- HIST 335  The History of Modern Russia and the Soviet Union
- HIST 352  Africa since 1800
- HIST 354  Modern East Asia
- HIST 461  American Thought since 1865
- LASP 301  Interdisciplinary Study of Latin America
- JAPA 340  Introduction to Japanese Culture and Literature
- PHIL 310  American Philosophy
- POLI 450  Constitutional Law I: Institutional Powers
- POLI 402  African American Political Thought
- POLI 437  International Relations of Latin America
- POLI 481  Politics and Governments of Europe
- POLI 483  Middle East Politics
- POLI 487  Politics and Governments of Africa
- POLI 488  Politics and Governments of Latin America
- RELG 220  Introduction to Buddhism
- RELG 230  Introduction to Judaism
- RELG 240  Introduction to Christianity
- RELG 250  Introduction to Islam
- RELG 343  Religions of the African Diaspora
- RELG 359  Islamic Theology and Philosophical Thought

### Governance and Policy

Select three of the following: 9

- AFAM 476  Black Activism
- ANTH 371  Ethnography of Communication
- ANTH 359  Theories of Culture
- CYBR 392  Special Topics in Cyber Society and Ethics
- ENGL 393  Postcolonialism
- ENGL 436  Science Fiction Literature
- ENGL 437  Women Writers
- FAMS 240  Film and Media Analysis
- FAMS 300  Film and Media History
- FAMS 308  Global Media Industries
- GLST 308  Global Media Industries
- HIST 314  Video Games and History
- HIST 370  History of Capitalism 2: From the Industrial Revolution to the Global Economy
- HIST 453  Technology and American Society
- HIST 476  Digital History
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**Total Credit Hours** 36