

GLOBAL STUDIES

In the Global Studies program, students engage a critical, interdisciplinary approach to examine large-scale and interconnected issues facing our world. Drawing on the fields of geography, history, anthropology, economics, and politics, this program helps students develop understanding about global-local relations, the development of global ideas and actors, international challenges, global inequality, and global responsibility. The AA-T in Global Studies is designed for students planning to transfer into majors such as Global Studies, Global Politics, International Relations, International Studies, and Comparative Government. Majoring in Global Studies prepares students to work in the areas of international business, international law, government, sustainability, public health, development for social justice, education, and research, although Global Studies majors may apply their knowledge and skills in a vast range of fields.

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Global Studies Associate of Arts Transfer Degree (<http://catalog.valleycollege.edu/degree-certificate-program-index/global-studies/global-studies-aat-degree/>)

GLST 101 3 Units

Introduction to Global Studies

Lecture: 54 contact hours

This course is an introduction to the interdisciplinary field of Global Studies, examining the history of globalization, and economic, political, social, cultural, and ecological processes related to globalization.

Associate Degree Applicable

Transfers to both UC/CSU

GLST 102 3 Units

Global Issues

Lecture: 54 contact hours

Advisory: GLST 101

This course examines the origins, current status, and future trends of major transnational issues confronting the global community. Topics may include population trends, economic development and inequality, basic human needs and human rights, international conflict and security, competition over resources, movements for independence and social justice, environmental issues, and violence. This course focuses on global governance and collective global responsibility.

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