

1	Course title	America and the Arab World	
2	Course number	3003705	
3	Credit hours (theory, practical)	3 hours theory and practice	
	Contact hours (theory, practical)	3 hours theory and practice	
4	Prerequisites/corequisites	NA	
5	Program title	American Studies	
6	Program code		
7	Awarding institution	University of Jordan	
8	School	Prince Al Hussein Bin Abdullah II School of International Studies	
9	Department	Department of International Relations, Diplomacy and Regional Studies	
10	Level of course	Masters level	
11	Year of study and semester (s)	Spring 2017	
12	Final Qualification	Masters degree	
13	Other department (s) involved in teaching the course	NA	
14	Language of Instruction	English	
15	Date of production/revision	March 27, 2017	

16. Course Coordinator:

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17. Other instructors:

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None

18. Course Description:

As stated in the approved study plan.

This course examines the history of American foreign relations and diplomacy, with a special emphasis on America's emergence as a world power in the 20th century. Following a general survey of the pre 1900-era, the course offers an in-depth analysis of American attitudes toward 20th century imperialism and colonialism, the impact of World War I and the isolationist-internationalist debate of the 1920s, the internationalist initiatives of World War II and the Cold War era, the stresses and legacies of the Vietnam War and the post-Cold War adjustments of the 1990s.

19. Course aims and outcomes:

A- Aims:

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B- Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs): Upon successful completion of this course students will be able to

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20. Topic Outline and Schedule:

24-9-2017	Rise to Globalism (p1-94).
1-10-2017	Rise to Globalism (p95-189).
8-10-2017	Rise to Globalism (p190-302) + outline for paper and references due.
15-10-2017	no lecture.
22-10-2017	Rise to Globalism (p303-398).
29-10-2017	Rise to Globalism (p399-512).

5-11-2017	Theory of International Politics (p1-59).
12-11-2017	First Exam.
19-11-2017	Theory of International Politics (p60-128).
26-11-2017	Theory of International Politics (p129-160).
3-12-2017	Theory of International Politics (p161-210)
10-12-2017	Soft Power (p1-72)+Term paper due.
17-12-2017	Soft Power (p73-148)
24-12-2017	Strategic Vision (p1-88)
31-12-2017	Strategic Vision (p89-188)

21. Teaching Methods and Assignments:

Development of ILOs is promoted through the following teaching and learning methods: This course is designed to develop and understanding of the process and method of American Foreign Policy decision making. Different models will be examined to assess the impact of approaches and variables to explain foreign policy objectives and national security concerns. An in depth understanding of international politics and system analysis will serve as a guide for policy analysis on the bilateral and multilateral levels.

The course reading will provide the student with insight into the history of American foreign policy guided by an in-depth theoretical framework

The students will have midterm and final exam

22. Evaluation Methods and Course Requirements:

Opportunities to demonstrate achievement of the ILOs are provided through the following assessment methods and requirements:

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23. Course Policies:

A- Attendance policies:
B- Absences from exams and handing in assignments on time:
C- Health and safety procedures:
D- Honesty policy regarding cheating, plagiarism, misbehavior:
E- Grading policy:
F- Available university services that support achievement in the course:

24. Required equipment: (Facilities, Tools, Labs, Training....)

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A twenty research paper is required topics will be assigned by instructor an outline of the paper should be submitted and references should be submitted to instructor for approval.

25. References:

Reading: the following books are required reading for the course:

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| 1. Rise to globalism- American foreign policy since 1938
Ambrose Douglas G. Brinkley | Stephen E.
Penguin books. |
| 2. Theory of International Politics
Waveland press, Inc. | Kenneth N. Waltz |
| 3. Soft Power – the means to success in world politics
Joseph S. Nye, Jr.
new york | Public Affairs |
| 4. Strategic Vision- America and the crisis of power
Brzezinski | Zbigniew
basic books. |
| 5. For additional reading:

Bureaucratic Politics and foreign policy.
Halperin Priscilla A. Clapp with Arnold Kanter |

Morton H. |

26. Additional information:

Name of Course Coordinator: -----Signature: ----- Date: -----

Head of curriculum committee/Department: ----- Signature: -----

Head of Department: ----- Signature: -----

Head of curriculum committee/Faculty: ----- Signature: -----

Dean: ----- -Signature: -----