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INSIGHT ON GLOBAL CHANGE

THE ONLY ACADEMIC UNIT OF ITS KIND IN CANADA, HURON'S CENTRE FOR GLOBAL STUDIES PROVIDES TRULY INTERDISCIPLINARY EXPERIENCES IN ENGAGING THE WORLD. WE PREPARE STUDENTS TO ACT RESPONSIBLY WITHIN GLOBAL INTERRELATIONS.

Students engage the characteristic forces of globalization – mobility, inequality and social innovation – through rigorous interdisciplinary study. We emphasize strong skills in analysis, communication and original research.

Our courses and programs are challenging and prepare our graduates for careers and fields of study that demand critical understanding of complex issues relating to social change, justice and equality.

BARAA ABUZAYED

YEAR 3, GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT STUDIES, MINOR IN FRENCH

Hometown: London, Ont.

“Global Development has really opened my eyes and encouraged me to think critically about how I want to contribute to the world.

I want to focus on grassroots community development and do work where everyone's voices, especially the people living in the community, steer the direction of the initiative.” ■



FIRST YEAR: UNLIMITED POSSIBILITIES

Your first year is designed to be all about exploration and discovery. During this time, there are minimal required courses, so you can try out a wide variety of subjects and disciplines. Learn about something completely new. **Find your passion.**

PROGRAM OPTIONS

	Honors Specialization	Specialization	Major	Minor
Globalization Studies	✓	✓	✓	✓
Global Development Studies	✓	✓	✓	✓
Global Culture Studies	✓	✓	✓	✓
Global Gender Studies	✓	✓		
Global Health Studies	✓	✓		
NEW Global Rights Studies	✓	✓		

FIRST-YEAR COURSES

INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL CULTURE

Explore how studies of our world are shaped by cultural perspectives and practices.

INTRODUCTION TO GLOBALIZATION

Investigate dominant material and cultural trends under conditions of economic globalization.

INTRODUCTION TO GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT

Examine problems of poverty and global inequalities through roles and practices of actors in the global development agenda.

RELATED AREAS OF STUDY

As a Huron student, you can combine any program with a minor, major, or specialization from another Huron program or a major or minor in many of the programs offered at Western, Brescia, or King's, such as:

Languages

Economics

History

English &

Cultural Studies

Philosophy

Political Science

Anthropology

Gender Studies

Health Studies

Business

Governance, Leadership

& Ethics

Human Rights

Media, Information

& Technoculture

Visual Arts

Women's Studies

International Relations

International

Development Studies

NEW COURSES FOR 2018-19

GLOBALIZED CAPITALIST AGRICULTURE

An examination of the deployment and consumption of labour, natural resources, manufactured inputs and transportation regimes in the production of agricultural products.

NON-HEGEMONIC FOOD ECONOMIES

An examination of the persistence, resurgence and radicalization of modes of producing and consuming food in a context of hyper-capitalized and globalized food regimes.

GLOBAL GOVERNMENTALITY

Critical examinations of global institutional and state-based networks' efforts to incite governable and manageable conduct amongst persons and groups in the world who do not already conform to masculinist rationalism and individualism or orders of territory, population and security.

UNGOVERNABLE LIFE

Critical investigations into ways in which social life and formations of community are irreducible to correlative orders of governance/anarchy and how these forms of living exceed, exist beyond, and are indifferent to politics.

GLOBAL ENERGY REGIMES

Examines global regimes of energy production, circulation and consumption, with emphasis on the renderings of nature and biological life into exhaustible commodities, the forces and governance of extractivist politics, economic and aesthetic territorializations of the world into divisible energy forms, and critical engagement with possible alternative energy futures.

COURSES AT THE CENTRE FOR GLOBAL STUDIES

Problems of Global Development
 Critique of Capitalism
 Critical and Anti-Oppressive Methodologies
 Engaging Human Displacement
 Global Inequalities Based on Sexual Differences

Global Resistance Movements
 Decoloniality
 Community in Global Modernity
 Indigenous Peoples and Global Dispossession

SAMPLE FIRST-YEAR TIMETABLE

Required courses Elective courses

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
9:30am – 10:30am Women's Studies 1024G Intro to Equity, Diversity and Human Rights <i>0.50 credit</i>	12:30pm – 1:30pm French 1910 University French (Level I) <i>1.00 credit</i>	9:30am – 10:30am Women's Studies 1024G Intro to Equity, Diversity and Human Rights <i>0.50 credit</i>	12:30pm – 1:30pm French 1910 University French (Level I) <i>1.00 credit</i>	9:30am – 10:30am Women's Studies 1024G Intro to Equity, Diversity and Human Rights <i>0.50 credit</i>
11:30am – 12:30pm Health Sciences 1001A/B Personal Determinants of Health <i>0.50 credit</i>	1:30pm – 2:30pm CGS 1023G Introduction to Global Development <i>0.50 credit</i>	11:30am – 12:30pm CGS 1023G Introduction to Global Development <i>0.50 credit</i>	1:30pm – 2:30pm CGS 1023G Introduction to Global Development <i>0.50 credit</i>	11:30am – 12:30pm Health Sciences 1001A/B Personal Determinants of Health <i>0.50 credit</i>
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NEW COLLABORATIVE STREAMS OF STUDY

GLOBAL GENDER STUDIES

Study the stakes of gendered identities and the gendering of bodies and social groups on political, cultural, legal and economic registers. Investigate the interrelated issues of women's studies, sexuality, queer studies, feminism and studies in masculinity.

GLOBAL HEALTH STUDIES

Examine the practices and principles of health promotion, environmental factors and health, and health issues in marginalized populations. Excellent preparation for careers in humanitarianism and community development.

GLOBAL RIGHTS STUDIES

Learn how claims to self-determination, dignity and political standing operate, as exemplified in the struggles of migrants, women and Indigenous peoples.

HURON+ IVEY

In collaboration with Western University's Ivey School of Business, the Centre for Global Studies offers five-year dual degrees, in which students earn both an Honors Business Administration (HBA) degree and an Honors Specialization Bachelor of Arts (BA).

 ivey.uwo.ca/hba

HURON+ WUSC EUMC

Through the Centre for Global Studies' partnership with Huron's local committee of World University Services of Canada (WUSC), students engage in its "development through education" programming, including refugee student sponsorship and international placements with community development projects.

 wusc.ca

BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Recent research and community-based learning projects at the Centre for Global Studies have explored:



WORLD FARMERS

Working with the London-based NGO World Farmers, students documented the development and purpose of this grassroots organization's work. Students interviewed the farmers about the social, economic and community-based effects of producing food for household consumption, for community meals and for market. The result was a full-colour booklet that the World Farmers can use to promote their work..

WUSC PUBLIC EDUCATION EVENT

In partnership with Huron's local committee of the World University Service of Canada (WUSC), CGS students organized an event, entitled *Refugees Welcome: A Public Education Event*, to increase the visibility of the work WUSC does related to youth development, education, community empowerment and reducing barriers to education. This event featured a keynote address and workshop on inclusive humanitarianism.

FACULTY RESEARCH EXPERTISE

Huron's experienced faculty are here for you, acting as both professors and mentors. Here are some of their areas of expertise:

Community economic autonomy

Place-based social movements

Politics of rights struggles

Volunteer tourism

Refugee studies

Critical and applied research methods

Global memory cultures

Global resistance movements

Decolonization

Collective activism

RECENT STUDENT RESEARCH TOPICS

Globalizing Opposition to Land Grabbing

Fair Trade and Alternative Forms of Capitalism

Sustainable Living and Climate Change

The Impact of Being Labelled a Refugee

Small-Scale Coffee Farmers and the Global Market

Making Place in Crisis: Labour and Integration

People with Disabilities: The Failure of Development Agencies

Refugee Settlement in London

Community Development and Activism Through Bicycle Pathways

WHAT DO OUR GRADS DO?

- **Interdisciplinary graduate programs in:** Globalization; Global Development; Social, Political and Cultural Theory; Library and Information Studies; International Affairs; Feminist and Gender Studies; Migration; Nationalism and Ethnicity; Indigenous Studies; Social Justice; Media and Film; Journalism

- **Disciplinary graduate school programs in:** Anthropology; Economics; English; Geography; History; Linguistics; Philosophy; Political Science
- **Law:** Human rights; international; immigration/refugee; environmental; labour

- **Business school**
- **Social entrepreneurship**
- **Local, national and international Non-Governmental Organizations**
- **International development**
- **Civil service**

EXPERIENCE WHAT
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CAN OFFER BY TAKING A
CAMPUS TOUR, SITTING IN ON A
CLASS, TALKING TO A PROFESSOR
OR MEETING A CURRENT STUDENT.

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