

Global Issues and International Affairs: IAFS 1000-100

Fall 2020: T/TH 11:10am-12:25pm

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Office hours by Zoom on F 1:15-2:30pm

(You may also schedule office hours at other times through email.)

Course Description: This course introduces students to the range of subjects covered in the International Affairs (IAFS) major. IAFS is an interdisciplinary program with classes in a variety of departments, including Political Science, Economics, History, Geography, Sociology, Anthropology, and Women and Gender Studies.

Required Text: Jon C. W. Pevehouse and Joshua S. Goldstein (P&G) *International Relations*, 12th ed.

This online text can be purchased either through the CU bookstore:

<https://www.cubookstore.com/p-89393-international-relations-op-must-buy-ebook-at-wwwcubookstorecom.aspx>

or directly from the publisher:

<https://www.pearson.com/us/higher-education/program/Pevehouse-Revel-for-International-Relations-Access-Card-12th-Edition/PGM2083588.html>

You must have access to this text during every T/TH lecture as I will often refer to terms, maps, graphs and figures within it.

Class Schedule:

Week	T	TH	Recitation
1	8/25 Introduction	8/27 Concepts/Trends P&G 1	Introduction Paper 1 assignment (Iran)
2	9/1 IA Pessimism 1 P&G 2	9/3 IA Pessimism 2 P&G 2	Discuss Russia readings
3	9/8 IA Optimism 1 P&G 3	9/10 IA Optimism 2 P&G 3	Discuss N. Korea readings
4	9/15 Other Perspectives P&G 4	9/17 American Foreign Policy	Paper 1 on Iran due Discuss Iran readings
5	9/22 Intl. Conflict P&G 5	9/24 Study session for Exam 1	Return and discuss Paper 1
6	9/29 Military Force 1 P&G 6	10/1 Military Force 2 P&G 6	Exam 1 (covering P&G 1-5)
7	10/6 Intl. Law 1 P&G 7	10/8 Intl. Law 2 P&G 7	Return and discuss Exam 1 Paper 2 assignment (China)
8	10/13 Intl. Trade 1 P&G 8	10/15 Intl. Trade 2 P&G 8	Discuss Venezuela readings
9	10/20 Intl. Investment	10/22 Intl. Money 1 P&G 9	Paper 2 on China due Discuss China readings
10	10/27 Intl. Money 2 P&G 9	10/29 Study session for Exam 2	Return and discuss Paper 2
11	11/3 Intl. Integration 1 P&G 10	11/5 Intl. Integration 2 P&G 10	Exam 2 (covering P&G 6-9)

12	11/10 Intl. Environment P&G 11	11/12 Population P&G 11	Return and discuss Exam 2 Paper 3 assignment (Foreign Aid)
13	11/17 N/S Gap 1 P&G 12	11/19 N/S Gap 2 P&G 12	Discuss Immigration readings
14	11/25 Intl. Development 1 P&G 13	Thanksgiving	No recitations given shortened week
15	12/1 Intl. Development 2 P&G 13	12/3 Study session for Exam 3	Paper 3 on Foreign Aid due
Exam 3 (covering P&G 10-13) Friday 12/11 4:30-5:30pm			

<i>Grading Policy:</i>	Exam 1 covering P&G 1-5	15%
	Exam 2 covering P&G 6-9	15%
	Exam 3 covering P&G 10-13	15%
	3 Papers assigned/due in Recitation	45% (15% each)
	Attendance and Participation in Recitation	10%

There will be no make-up exams unless you provide *advance* notice that you will miss the exam on the scheduled date.

Your exams will take place in your recitation section, which meets once per week for 50 minutes:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Instructor</u>	<u>Time and Room</u>
IAFS 1000-101	Meg Tocci	T 6:30 - 7:20PM, UMC 415 (cap. 20 hybrid)
IAFS 1000-102	Max Chernoff	TH 8:00 - 8:50AM, fully remote
IAFS 1000-103	Pavel Bacovsky	TH 8:00 - 8:50AM, UMC 212 (in person)
IAFS 1000-104	David Warshay	TH 2:20 - 3:10PM, MUEN E050 (in person)
IAFS 1000-105	Steven Van De Laarschot	T 5:30 - 6:20PM, CLUB 4 (cap. 14 hybrid)
IAFS 1000-106	Max Chernoff	W 5:20 - 6:20PM, fully remote
IAFS 1000-107	Samantha Moya	TH 3:55 - 4:45PM, fully remote
IAFS 1000-108	Steven Van De Laarschot	W 8:00 - 8:50AM, REC C250 (in person)
IAFS 1000-109	Pavel Bacovsky	W 4:10 - 5:00PM, REC C250 (in person)
IAFS 1000-110	David Warshay	TH 6:30 - 7:20PM, UMC 208 (in person)
IAFS 1000-111	Samantha Moya	W 6:30 - 7:20PM, fully remote

Requirements for COVID-19: As a matter of public health and safety due to the pandemic, all members of the CU Boulder community and all visitors to campus must follow university, department and building requirements, and public health orders in place to reduce the risk of spreading infectious disease. Required safety measures at CU Boulder relevant to the classroom setting include:

1) maintain 6-foot distancing when possible, 2) wear a face covering in public indoor spaces and outdoors while on campus consistent with state and county health orders, 3) clean local work area, 4) practice hand hygiene, and 5) follow public health orders, and if sick and you live off campus, do not come onto campus (unless instructed by a CU Healthcare professional), or if you live on-campus, please alert CU Boulder Medical Services.

Students who fail to adhere to these requirements will be asked to leave class, and students who do not leave class when asked or who refuse to comply with these requirements will be referred to Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution. For more information, see the policies on COVID-19 Health and Safety and classroom behavior and the Student Code of Conduct. If you require accommodation because a disability prevents you from fulfilling these safety measures, please see the “Accommodation for Disabilities” statement on this syllabus.

Before returning to campus, all students must complete the COVID-19 Student Health and Expectations Course. Before coming on to campus each day, all students are required to complete a Daily Health Form.

Students who have tested positive for COVID-19, have symptoms of COVID-19, or have had close contact with someone who has tested positive for or had symptoms of COVID-19 must stay home and complete the Health Questionnaire and Illness Reporting Form remotely. In this class, if you are sick or quarantined, please inform both your Professor and Recitation Instructor.

Accommodation for Disabilities: If you qualify for accommodations because of a disability, please submit your accommodation letter from Disability Services to your faculty member in a timely manner so that your needs can be addressed. Disability Services determines accommodations based on documented disabilities in the academic environment. Information on requesting accommodations is located on the Disability Services website. Contact Disability Services at 303-492-8671 or dsinfo@colorado.edu for further assistance. If you have a temporary medical condition, see Temporary Medical Conditions on the Disability Services website.

Preferred Student Names and Pronouns: CU Boulder recognizes that students' legal information doesn't always align with how they identify. Students may update their preferred names and pronouns via the student portal; those preferred names and pronouns are listed on instructors' class rosters. In the absence of such updates, the name that appears on the class roster is the student's legal name.

Religious Holidays: Campus policy regarding religious observances requires that faculty make every effort to deal reasonably and fairly with all students who, because of religious obligations, have conflicts with scheduled exams, assignments or required attendance. In this class, please inform the Professor and your Recitation Instructor of any such conflicts in advance. See the [campus policy regarding religious observances](#) for full details.

Classroom Behavior: Both students and faculty are responsible for maintaining an appropriate learning environment in all instructional settings, whether in person, remote or online. Those who fail to adhere to such behavioral standards may be subject to discipline. Professional courtesy and sensitivity are especially important with respect to individuals and topics dealing with race, color, national origin, sex, pregnancy, age, disability, creed, religion, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, veteran status, political affiliation or political philosophy. For more information, see the policies on [classroom behavior](#) and the [Student Code of Conduct](#).

Sexual Misconduct, Discrimination, Harassment and/or Related Retaliation: The University of Colorado Boulder (CU Boulder) is committed to fostering an inclusive and welcoming learning, working, and living environment. CU Boulder will not tolerate acts of sexual misconduct (harassment, exploitation, and assault), intimate partner violence (dating or domestic violence), stalking, or protected-class discrimination or harassment by members of our community. Individuals who believe they have been subject to misconduct or retaliatory actions for reporting a concern should contact the Office of Institutional Equity and Compliance (OIEC) at 303-492-2127 or cureport@colorado.edu. Information about the OIEC, university policies, [anonymous reporting](#), and the campus resources can be found on the [OIEC website](#).

Please know that faculty and instructors have a responsibility to inform OIEC when made aware of incidents of sexual misconduct, dating and domestic violence, stalking, discrimination, harassment and/or related retaliation, to ensure that individuals impacted receive information about options for reporting and support resources.

Honor Code: All students enrolled in a University of Colorado Boulder course are responsible for knowing and adhering to the Honor Code. Violations of the policy may include: plagiarism, cheating, fabrication, lying, bribery, threat, unauthorized access to academic materials, clicker fraud, submitting the same or similar work in more than one course without permission from all course instructors involved, and aiding academic dishonesty. All incidents of academic misconduct will be reported to the Honor Code (honor@colorado.edu; 303-492-5550). Students found responsible for violating the academic integrity policy will be subject to nonacademic sanctions from the Honor Code as well as academic sanctions from the faculty member. Additional information regarding the Honor Code academic integrity policy can be found at the [Honor Code Office website](#).

In this class, your sanction for the first violation of the honor code will be a 0 grade on the exam/paper associated with the honor code violation. For a second violation, you will fail the class.