

WAR, STATECRAFT AND STRATEGY MINOR

The multidisciplinary minor in War, Statecraft and Strategy (WSS) offers practical and theoretical understanding of intelligence, diplomacy, international relations, military strategy, defense policy, homeland security, conflict resolution and the related tools of statecraft to national defense policy formulation and power projection. This minor is ideal for students interested in the complex interplay between history, politics, defense, economics, technology and strategic decision-making.

About this Program

- **School:** Hamilton School for Classical and Civic Education
- **Credits:** 15 | Completed with minimum grades of C and no S/U

School Information

The Hamilton School of for Classical and Civic Education is devoted to research and teaching on Western civilization and the principles of a free society. Here students can see beyond their horizons to prepare for lifetimes of leadership by studying the greatest works of the Western tradition and beyond. Open inquiry and the pursuit of excellence, grounded in Western civilization and the American experience, are the foundation of an education that will lead our students to thrive, not just while at the University of Florida, but throughout their lives and careers. Liberal education promises to be a transformative experience and at the university, the “meeting place of the greats.” The Hamilton School of for Classical and Civic Education fulfills that promise.

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Curriculum

- American Government, History, Literature, and Law
- American History, Government, Literature and Law Minor
- Christian Thought and Culture Minor
- Great Books and Ideas
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- Philosophy, Politics, Economics, and Law
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- War, Statecraft and Strategy
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The WSS minor requires both Intellectual Foundations courses and Breadth of Exposure courses. Grand Strategy I and Grand Strategy II provide an intellectual foundation for the minor and other selected courses lend a breadth of exposure. Combined, these courses provide students with opportunities to explore the interconnected histories of war, statecraft, and strategy.

Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
<i>Intellectual Foundations courses</i>		
ISS 2710	Grand Strategy I: Athens to American Revolution	3
ISS 2715	Grand Strategy II: Early American Republic to Contemporary Era	3
<i>Breadth of Exposure courses</i>		
Select three:		9
ISS 4680	Contemporary Challenges ¹	
ISS 4682	Statecraft and Strategy ¹	
ISS 4713	War ¹	
ISS 4714	Theoretical Frameworks ¹	
Total Credits		15

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¹ Variable topics offered each term
