Bachelor of Arts (BA)  
Program of Study for Interdisciplinary Studies  
Degree Code 250 *  
INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED  
Concentration Code 250E

Student Name: __________________________________________                                                   Date________________

I. GENERAL EDUCATION .................................................................................................................................................. 44
   Some general education requirements may be double-counted in the major with departmental approval. Please see your advisor for information.

II. LANGUAGE (Completion of 6 s.h. at the *intermediate level, or higher - Spanish recommended) ........................................ 6
   *NOTE: Foreign language 1010 and 1020 (or 1030) are prerequisites for the intermediate level courses.
   FL 1050 or 1060 may be used in General Education Liberal Studies Experience.

III. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS .................................................................................................................................................. 45-46
   2.0 major GPA is required for graduation. Major GPA calculation will include all courses taken in fulfillment of the major requirements.
   Minimum of 18 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill major requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian. No more than 46 semester hours of IDS courses may be counted toward the BA Degree.

   A. Required IDS Core (21-22 sh):
      IDS 2001 _____ (3)  Interdisciplinary Connections I
      IDS 3001 _____ (2)  Interdisciplinary Connections II [WID] (Pre: RC 2001; IDS 2001; Co: one methods course, listed below)
      IDS 4001 _____ (1)  Interdisciplinary Connections III [CAP] (Pre: IDS 3001; 11 sh of IDS courses)

      Methods Course: Choose one of the following (3-4 sh)
      ANT 3410 _____ (3) Qualitative Methods in Anthropology
      CJ/PS 3115 _____ (4) Research Methods
      COM 3100 _____ (3) Interviewing Methods
      ENG 3000 _____ (3) Approaches to Literary Studies (Pre: RC 2001)
      HIS 2800 _____ (3) Writing History (Pre: RC 2001)
      IDS 3210 _____ (3) Exploring the Documentary Form
      GHY/PLN 3800 _____ (3) Introduction to Quantitative Methods
      PLN 3432 _____ (3) Planning Techniques (Pre: PLN 2410, GHY/PLN 2812, RC 2001)
      SOC 3885 _____ (3) Research Methods I (Pre: SOC 1000; 3 add'l sh SOC; RC 2001)
      STT 2820 _____ (4) Reasoning with Statistics

      Other methods course (program director approval required) (3-4) ____________________________________________

   B. Required:
      A CLEAR DEFENSIBLE STATEMENT OF GOALS explaining why such goals can be best met through interdisciplinary means.

   C. Required (24 sh):
      AN APPROVED "PROGRAM OF STUDY CONTRACT"
      This contract will consist of a minimum of 24 semester hours selected from two or more disciplines with at least 12 semester hours at the 3000 level or above; at least 1 credit approved experiential education (internship, study abroad, instructional asst., etc.) . The contract may be changed, but only with the approval of the IDS advisor and the IDS program director. A copy of the approved contract must be on file in the College of Arts & Sciences Dean's Office.

      Course          Hours   Course          Hours   Course          Hours
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IV. MINOR REQUIRED......................................................................................................................................................... 12-21
   Minimum of 9 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill minor requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian.

V. ELECTIVES (taken to total 122 hours for the degree) ...................................................................................................... 5-15
   2 semester hours of free electives must be outside the major discipline.