Bachelor of Arts (BA)  
Degree Code 250 **  
Concentration Code 250E  

Student Name: __________________________________________                                                   Date________________

I. GENERAL EDUCATION .................................................................................................................................................................................. 44
   Some general education requirements may be double-counted in the major with department 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 IDS and 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 w/min grade C; 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)  Ethnographic Methods
   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/Co: RC 2001)
   IDS  3210 ____ (3)  Exploring the Documentary Form
   GHY/PLN 3800 ____ (3)  Introduction to Quantitative Methods
   PLN  3432 ____ (4)  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) ________________________________

   Major Elective Courses (12 s.h)
   6 sh IDS courses at or above 3000 level ________________________________  ________________________________
   6 sh courses GLS, GWS, or IDS ________________________________  ________________________________

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 Advising & Support Services Hub.

   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.