

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for postgraduate programmes](#).

MA International Relations: Europe (M1K507)

1. This programme is available at Durham City in a full-time (12 months) or part-time (24 months) mode of study.
2. Candidates whose first language is not English will normally be required to possess a recent English language test score of 7.0 in IELTS with no component lower than 6.5, or a score of 102 in the TOEFL IBT with no component lower than 25.
3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

| | | Credit value |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------|
| International Theory ~ | SGIA41815 | 15 |
| Methodology in the Social Sciences ~ | SGIA41715 | 15 |
| Research Methods and Dissertation Production~ | SGIA44615 | 15 |
| Dissertation~ | SGIA40475 | 75 |

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from Lists A–D, of which at least 45 must be taken from List A.

List A:

| | | Credit value |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------|
| America and the World: The Making of US Foreign Policy | SGIA41415 | 15 |
| Collective Identities and Political Thought in Britain since 1850* | SGIA40215 | 15 |
| Collective Memory and Identity in Post- War Europe * | SGIA46015 | 15 |
| European Institutions and the Policy Process | SGIA42015 | 15 |
| European Security | SGIA42215 | 15 |
| German Foreign Policy* | SGIA40115 | 15 |
| The European Union as a Global Actor | SGIA46115 | 15 |

List B:

| | | Credit value |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------|
| America and the World: The Making of US Foreign Policy | SGIA41415 | 15 |
| Approaches to the Study of Modern Muslim Societies | SGIA43915 | 15 |
| Contemporary Socio-Political Issues in Muslim Religious Thought* | SGIA44015 | 15 |
| International Relations and Security in the Middle East | SGIA41115 | 15 |
| Islamic Banking and Finance | SGIA40415 | 15 |
| Islamic Law and Financial Transactions | SGIA41615 | 15 |
| Islamic Management | SGIA47215 | 15 |
| Islamic Political Economy | SGIA41915 | 15 |
| Politics, Government and Civil Society in the Middle East | SGIA45315 | 15 |
| Studying Hamas* | SGIA45915 | 15 |
| The Political Economy of Development in the Middle East | SGIA45615 | 15 |

List C:

| | | Credit value |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------|
| America and the World: The Making of US Foreign Policy | SGIA41415 | 15 |
| Democracy in the Developing World | SGIA46415 | 15 |
| Nationalism, Revolution and Reform in Contemporary China | SGIA45015 | 15 |
| Political Economy and Development of Chinese Business | SGIA42315 | 15 |
| Region, Nation and Citizen in Southeast Asia * | SGIA46215 | 15 |
| Strategic Asia: Policy and Analysis | SGIA41015 | 15 |

| List D: | | Credit value |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Human Rights | SGIA40815 | 15 |
| Issues in the Politics of Military Occupation | SGIA46135 | 15 |
| Just War in Political Theory and Practice | SGIA40315 | 15 |
| Political Ideology | SGIA40515 | 15 |
| Theories of Capitalism | SGIA46515 | 15 |
| A module offered by the School of Modern Languages and Cultures | | |

5. Modules marked with a ~ must be passed at 50% or above; a mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.
6. Total credits may exceed 180 by up to 5 if a 20-credit language module is taken. A language module of more than 20 credits may be taken only with the agreement of the Programme Director, and must be accommodated within the overall 180-credit limit.
7. Modules marked with a * are not available during the 2013–14 academic year.