### MA: International Development

#### Advising Worksheet – 39-42 Hours

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| Elective (3 Credit Hours) (May be used for skills institutes, internship for credit, as part of the Master’s Thesis requirement, or any other elective course.) | | |

| Research and Professional Methods (6 Credit Hours) | | |
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| SIS-600                                           | Int’l Affairs Stats/Methods                     |
|                                                   | A 2nd Approved Methods Course See List of Approved Courses on reverse side |

| Capstone (3 Credit Hours) | | |
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| SIS-795                   | Substantial Research Paper – SRP (Students must meet with an ID faculty member’s SRP group which are only available in fall & spring, NOT summer) |
|                           | Faculty: |
| SIS-793                   | Practicum |
|                           | Faculty: |
| SIS-797                   | Thesis (3-6) (Recommended: 3 additional Thesis credits as Elective above) |
|                           | Faculty: |

**Foreign Language Certification:** Semester Fulfilled: Language:  
**Professional Experience Requirement:** Semester Fulfilled:  
**Faculty Advisor:** 

*Students are responsible for ensuring that all requirements are met.*
ID CONCENTRATIONS WITH SUGGESTED COURSES: In consultation with their faculty advisors, ID students may design other Concentrations, select courses other than those listed below and register for topics courses offered in SIS and other AU Departments. The courses listed below are suggested samplings.

Note: ID Concentrations are 15 credit hours

**Community Development**
- SIS.635 Population, Migration & Dev
- SIS.635 Conflict & Development Management
- SIS.635 Rural Development
- SIS.635 Urban Development
- SIS.648 Women & Development
- SIS.649 Environment & Development
- SIS.624 Children in Development
- EDU.642 Training Program Design
- EDU.649 Non-Formal Education & Dev
- SIS.635/PUAD.614 Development Management
- SIS.620 Water Governance
- PUAD.606 Foundations of Policy Analysis
- PUAD.614/SIS.635 Development Management
- SIS.536 Complex Emergencies
- SIS.620 Political Ecology of Food & Ag
- SIS.635 NGO Management: Best Practices
- EDU.642 Training Program Design
- SIS.635 NGO-Private Sector Engagement
- SIS.635 NGO/SE Management
- SIS.635 Social Accountability
- SIS.635 Community Development
- SIS.635 Population, Migration & Development
- SIS.635 SE Context & Best Practices
- SIS.650 Global Econ and Sustainable Dev
- SIS-649 Environment & Development
- SIS.624 Children in Development
- SIS.635 SE Context & Best Practices
- SIS.635 Social Accountability
- SIS.635 Development Management
- SIS.619 Big Data
- MGMT.609 Mgmt of Orgs & Human Capital
- SIS.635 Urban Development
- PUAD.617 Project Management (S)
- ECON-675 Gender Perspectives: Macro
- SIS.619 NGOs and Conflict Resolution
- SIS.610 Theories of Conflict & War
- SIS.619 NGOs and Conflict Resolution
- SIS.619 Human Rights & Conflict

**Development Management**
- SIS.635 Community Development
- SIS.635 NGO Management: Best Practices
- MGMT.633 Leading People & Organizations
- PUAD.604 Public Program Evaluation
- PUAD.614/SIS.635 Development Management
- PUAD.617 Project Management (S)
- PUAD.633 Budgeting & Financial Mgmt
- ACCT.611 Cost Accounting for Strategic Mgmt

**Development Policy**
- SIS.616 International Economics
- SIS.635 Development Policies
- SIS.635 Program Evaluation
- SIS.647 Governance, Democ & Dev
- SIS.650 Global Econ & Sustainable Dev
- SIS.635 Social Accountability
- ECON.665 Project Evaluation in Dev Countries
- PUAD.670 Economics for Policy Analysis
- PUAD.604 Public Program Evaluation
- PUAD.606 Foundations of Policy Analysis

**Economic Development**
- SIS.650 Global Econ & Sustainable Dev
- SIS.631 Managing Economic Policy Reform
- ECON.600 Microeconomics
- ECON.601 Macroeconomics
- ECON.638 Economies of World Regions
- ECON.662 Development Microeconomics
- ECON.663 Development Macroeconomics
- ECON.665 Project Evaluation in Dev Countries
- ECON.673 Labor Economics
- ECON.674 Gender Perspectives: Micro
- ECON-675 Gender Perspectives: Macro
- Development Finance courses such as:
  - ECON.634 Development Finance and Banking
  - ECON.672 Int’l Economics: Finance
  - International Trade courses such as:
    - ECON.671 International Economics: Trade

**Education & Development**
- SIS.635 Development Policies
- SIS.624 Children in Development
- EDU.631 Fundamentals of Mgmt in Ed Orgs
- EDU.642 Training Program Design
- EDU.647 Global & Multicultural Training
- EDU.648 Education & Dev: Sector Analysis
- EDU.649 Nonformal Edu & Development
- EDU.612 Equity & Educational Opportunity
- SIS.628 Int’l Student Advising

**Environment & Development**
- SIS.649 Environment & Development
- SIS.650 Global & Sustainable Dev
- SIS.635 Community Development
- SIS.635 Social Accountability
- SIS.620 Political Ecology of Food & Ag
- SIS.620 Water Governance
- SIS.620 Climate Change Policy
- SIS.620 Building a Post-Carbon World
- SIS.620 Policy Analysis for GEP
- PU.614 SIS/SE Development Management
- Entrepreneurship & Small Business
  - SIS.632 Microfinance
  - ACCT.607 Financial Accounting
  - ACCT.609 Managerial Accounting – 1.5 cr hrs
  - MGMT.661 New Venture Business Plan
  - MGMT.663 Family Business – 1.5 cr hrs.
  - MGMT.664 Leadership
- IBUS.671 Peace Through Entrepreneurship
- MGMT.668 Global Entrep & Micro Ventures
- MKTG.612 Marketing Management
- Gender Studies & Development
  - SIS.517 Gender and Conflict
  - SIS.635 Pop. Migration & Development
  - SIS.635 Development Policies
  - SIS.542 Human & Global Security
  - SIS.648 Women & Development
  - SIS.624 Children in Development
  - SIS-642 Intercultural Relations
  - ANTH.543 Anthropology of Development
- SIS.675 Race in IR
- SIS.619 Migration & Security
- SOCY.635 Social Inequalities & Social Justice

**Globalization and Development**
- SIS.650 Global Econ & Sustain Dev*
- SIS.649 Environment & Development
- SIS.635 Social Mission Businesses
- SIS.645 SE Context & Best Practices
- SIS.587 Globalization & Global Governance
- SIS.589 Global Political Economy
- SIS.635 Population, Migration & Development
- SIS.635 Social Accountability
- ECON.634 Dev Finance & Banking
- SIS.649 Environment & Development
- IBUS.649 Global Supply Chain Mgmt
- SIS.648 Women & Development
- SIS.635 NGO Private Sector Engagement
- SIS.644 Communication & Social & Econ Dev

**Governance & Democracy**
- SIS.650 Global Econ & Sustain Devel
- SIS.619 Political Risk Analysis
- SIS.540 Conflict and Development
- SIS.635 Social Accountability
- SIS.545 Race in IR
- SIS.619 Corruption, Democracy, and Dev
- SIS.635 Security & Development
- SIS.635 Development Policies
- SIS.647 Governance, Demo and Dev
- SIS.672 Theories of Comp & Int’l Studies
- SIS.676 Sel Topics in Cross-National Studies
- PUAD.608 Comp Administrative Systems

**Health & Development**
- SIS.635 Health in Developing Countries
- SIS.536 Complex Emergencies
- SIS.635 Development Policies
- SIS.648 Women & Development
- SIS.624 Children in Development
- SIS.635 Youth in Development
- SIS.628 Health Research
- EDU.649 Nonformal Ed & Development
- HFT.575 Global Health

**International Political Economy**
- SIS.619 Transnational Crime & Corruption
- SIS.589 Global Political Economy
- SIS.616 International Economics
- SIS.650 Global Econ and Sustainable Dev
- SIS.673 Comparative Political Economy
- SIS.619 Pol Econ Oil & Energy

**NGOs & Development**
- SIS.603 Peacebuilding & Development Institute
- SIS.619 NGOs and Conflict Resolution
- EDU.642 Training Program Design
- EDU.713 Advanced Training Program Design
- PUAD.681 Managing Nonprofit Orgs
- PUAD.683 Marketing for Nonprofit Orgs
- MGMT.626 Management Consulting

**Social Entrepreneurship**
- SIS.635 Leading Social Innovation
- SIS.635 Competency Best Practices
- SIS.635 NGO/SE Management
- SIS.635 NGO-Private Sector Engagement
- PUAD.615 Public Private Partnerships
- MGMT.660 Entrepreneurship + Innovation
- MGMT.661 New Venture Business Planning
- MGMT.666 Strategic Alliances/Mergers & Acquisitions

**Children/Youth in Development**
- SIS.624 Children in Development
- SIS.635 Youth in Development
- SIS.619 Youth and Conflict
- SIS.648 Women and Development
- SIS.635 Health in Developing Countries
- EDU.649 Non-Formal Education and Development

**Monitoring & Evaluation**
- SIS.635 Program Evaluation
- ECON.665 Project Evaluation in Dev Countries
- SIS.635 Social Accountability
- SIS.635 Development Management
- SIS.619 Big Data
- MGMT.609 Mgmt of Orgs & Human Capital
- SIS.635 Urban Development
- PUAD.617 Project Management

**Food & Agriculture**
- SIS.620 Pol Econ of Food & Agriculture*
- SIS-649 Environment & Development
- SIS.635 Global Health & Rural Dev
- SIS.628 Global Health, Culture & Comm
- SIS.620 Urban Political Economy
- ECON.658 Economics of World Regions
- SIS.619 Human & Global Security
- HFT.575 Global Nutrition

**SKILLS INSTITUTES**
Most Skills Institutes are appropriate for ID Concentrations. These one credit courses are listed under SIS.638, SIS.633, SIS.639, SIS.730 and SIS.603 (summer only). ID students may include up to a maximum of 6 credits of skills institutes in the Area of Concentration and the elective.

**Courses at Other Area universities** may be taken by registering through the DC CONSORTIUM of Universities as long as the same or similar course is not offered in the same semester at AU. For example, ID students focusing on Health have taken courses in the GWU Public Health program. Those interested in Environment & Development and Food & Agriculture have taken courses offered at University of Maryland College Park. See instructions to register for Consortium course: www.american.edu/sis/gradadvising/consortium

**Approved for ID 2nd Level Methods**
Other methods courses may be available but require approval of the ID Program Director. Please note: Skills Institutes may not be taken for the methods requirement.

- SIS.750 Research/Professional Methods in IR (Qualitative Methods; Project Design, M&E)
- SIS.634 Field Survey Research Methods
- SIS.635 Program Evaluation
- ACCT.607 Financial Accounting
- ANTH.550 Ethnographic Research Methods
- EDU.623 Applied Econometrics I
- EDU.624 Applied Econometrics II
- ECON.665 Project Eval in Dev Countries
- IITEC.670 Databases & Big Data
- SOCY.623 Qualitative Analysis
- CSC.610 Intro to Geographic Info Systems
- PUAD.604 Public Program Evaluation