

## **INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MINOR**

### **Rationale.**

The International Studies minor aims to encourage students to develop a more global perspective on the problems and issues facing themselves, the country, and the world. This can be accomplished through the examination of the history, culture, arts, literatures, languages, politics, philosophies, religions, geography, anthropology, economics, and/or social patterns of particular foreign countries or regions. While this aim can be furthered through course work here in Lock Haven, it can be better and more fully achieved through such course work taken in other countries as part of an approved Lock Haven University semester-long student exchange program.

### **Requirements. 18 semester hours consisting of:**

- A. Not more than 12 semester hours of approved Lock Haven University semester abroad exchange program courses dealing with the history, culture, arts, literature, languages, politics, philosophies, religions, geography, anthropology, economics, and/or social patterns of the country or region of the exchange program.
- B. Not fewer than 6 semester hours of advanced-level (300+) non-US courses in anthropology, art, music, literature, history, geography, political science, sociology or economics, OR courses beyond Level IV in a foreign language.