

GLOBAL POLICY STUDIES CONCENTRATION

The **Global Policy Studies concentration for EMPA** provides students with the interdisciplinary knowledge, analytical skills, and problem-solving abilities essential for a successful career in international political and social arenas. This concentration offers a comprehensive understanding of the policy challenges and opportunities in key areas such as international politics and cooperation, the United Nations, development, the environment, and demographic and social issues.

Integrated with the rigorous Executive MPA core curriculum, this concentration emphasizes both theoretical foundations and practical applications, preparing students to address complex global issues and influence policy on an international scale. Graduates will be equipped to navigate the intricacies of global governance and contribute to the development and implementation of effective policies in diverse international contexts.

Required Courses

Students must select four (4) courses, for a total of 12 points, from the following list:

		Points
EMPA U6017	International Trade and Development	3.00
EMPA U6230	Political Economy Seminar	3.00
EMPA U6233	International Political Economy	3.00
EMPA U6236	International Relations Theory for Global Policy Making	3.00
EMPA U6650	Cities in a Globalizing World	3.00
EMPA U8500	Issues in Contemporary Security Policy	3.00
INAF S6572Q	Comparative Foreign Policy	3.00
INAF S6569Q	The UN and Development	3.00
INAF S6552Q	United Nations & Human Rights	3.00
PUAF U6228	Comparative Social Welfare Policy	3.00
SUMA K4175	Global Environmental Markets	3.00
Other	Requires Concentration Director Approval	

Degree Audit Report

Matriculated students in this program can view their degree audit report on [Stellic](#).