

**MEMORANDUM**

Date: April 6, 2026

To: Lori Poloni-Staudinger, Dean, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences  
Amy Kimme Hea, Senior Associate Dean, Academic Affairs & Student Success, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences  
David Pietz, Director, School of Global Studies, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

From: Greg L. Heileman, Vice Provost, Academic Affairs

Re: Notification of Program Modification

This memorandum serves as formal notification and official record of approval to add five new emphases to the *Bachelor of Arts in Global Studies* within the School of Global Studies in the College of Social and Behavioral Science: 1) Middle Eastern and North African Studies 2) Global Latin America 3) Gender, Difference, and Power 4) Jewish and Israel Studies: Cultures and Communities and 5) General; to rename the “Global Culture” emphasis “Global Cultures” and the “Human Rights, Migrations, and Social Movement” emphasis “Global Human Rights and Social Movements”; and to disestablish the emphasis in Global Health and Development. The first term valid is Fall 2026.

By copy of this memo, I am requesting that appropriate changes be made to systems, records, and publications to reflect these changes to the program emphases.

cc: Patricia Prelock, Provost and Chief Academic Officer  
Frank Dooley, Special Advisor, Online Initiatives  
Caleb Simmons, Vice Provost, Arizona Online  
Illya Riske, Executive Director, Business and Finance  
Amanda Gluski, Associate Registrar, Office of the Registrar  
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The following has been created/updated in UAccess.

Effective Date: 08/01/2026

**Subplan Code: MENAS / MENAS2**

**Description: Middle East & N African St**

Associated to Plan Code: GLSTBA / GLSTBA2

Description: Global Studies

Subplan Type: Emphasis

First Term Valid: Fall 2026 (2264)

Req Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term

Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked

Diploma & Transcript Description: Middle Eastern and North African Studies Emphasis

Campus & Locations:

Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

First Admit Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Date: 08/01/2026

**Subplan Code: GLA / GLA2**

**Description: Global Latin America**

Associated to Plan Code: GLSTBA / GLSTBA2

Description: Global Studies

Subplan Type: Emphasis

First Term Valid: Fall 2026 (2264)

Req Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term

Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked

Diploma & Transcript Description: Global Latin America Emphasis

Campus & Locations:

Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

First Admit Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Date: 08/01/2026

**Subplan Code: GDP / GDP2**

**Description: Gender, Difference, and Power**

Associated to Plan Code: GLSTBA / GLSTBA2

Description: Global Studies  
Subplan Type: Emphasis  
First Term Valid: Fall 2026 (2264)  
Req Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term  
Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked  
Diploma & Transcript Description: Gender, Difference, and Power Emphasis  
Campus & Locations:  
    Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)  
    First Admit Term: Fall 2026 (2264)  
Effective Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Date: 08/01/2026

**Subplan Code: JISCC / JISCC2**

**Description: Jewish & Israel St Ctr & Comm**

    Associated to Plan Code: GLSTBA / GLSTBA2

    Description: Global Studies

Subplan Type: Emphasis

First Term Valid: Fall 2026 (2264)

Req Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term

Print on Diploma & Transcript: Checked

Diploma & Transcript Description: Jewish and Israel Studies: Cultures and Communities  
Emphasis

Campus & Locations:

    Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

    First Admit Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Date: 08/01/2026

**Subplan Code: GENGLST /GENGLST2**

**Description: General**

    Associated to Plan Code: GLSTBA / GLSTBA2

    Description: Global Studies

Subplan Type: Emphasis

First Term Valid: Fall 2026 (2264)

Req Term Default: Plan's Requirement Term

Print on Diploma: Unchecked

Print on Transcript: Checked

Transcript Description: General Emphasis

Campus & Locations:

Campus: University of Arizona-Main (MAIN) – Location: Tucson (TUCSON)

First Admit Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Date: 08/01/2026

Subplan Code: GLCL /GLCL2

**Description: Global Cultures**

Associated to Plan Code: GLSTBA / GLSTBA2

Description: Global Studies

**Diploma & Transcript Description: Global Cultures Emphasis**

Effective Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Date: 08/01/2026

Subplan Code: GLHRMS / GLHRMS2

**Description: Gbl Hum Rights & Soc Mvmnts**

Associated to Plan Code: GLSTBA / GLSTBA2

Description: Global Studies

**Diploma & Transcript Description: Global Human Rights and Social Movements Emphasis**

**Added Campus & Location:**

**Campus: Arizona Online (ONLN) – Location: Online (ONLN)**

**First Admit Term: Fall 2026 (2264)**

Effective Term: Fall 2026 (2264)

Effective Date: 01/01/2026

Subplan Code: GHLTHD / GHLTHD2

Description: Global Health Development

Associated to Plan Code: GLSTBA / GLSTBA2

Description: Global Studies

**Last Admit Term: Spring 2026 (2261)**

Effective Term: Spring 2026 (2261)