

# PLSC 130 Introduction to International Relations

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## **PLSC 130 INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

This course examines the major theories of international politics as well as the practical issues that affect world politics today. Students explore the inter-relationship between theory and practice as it relates to the international arena, especially in regards to religion and ethnic conflict. And in the light of the international environment today, students address issues surrounding the continuing "War on Terrorism" and its relationship to past major wars (i.e. Peloponnesian War, World Wars and Cold War). *Letter Grade Only. Degree Credit.*

**Units:** 3

**Hours/semester:** 48-54 Lecture; 96-108 Homework

**AA/AS Degree Requirements:** DSI

**Transfer Credit:** CSU (CSU GE DSI), UC (IGETC Area 4)

**C-ID:** POLS 140

