

## The Curriculum of Master Program in International Relations

The CFAU master program in international relations is a 2-year program and enrolls students ranging from 60 to 80 per year. There's no specific BA background requirement. Students must obtain 35 credits, of which the specifics are as follows.

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| Type of courses                                | Required Credits |
| Public Courses:                                | 9 credits        |
| Professional Courses for All Orientation:      | 14 credits       |
| Professional Courses for Specific Orientation: | 3 credits        |
| Elective courses:                              | 8 credits        |
| Practicum:                                     | 1 credits        |

| Category of Courses |                                           | Curriculums                                                                               | Seminar | Credits | Teachers           | Notes |
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| Compulsory Courses  | Public Courses                            | Selected Readings of Classic Marxism                                                      | 1       | 1       |                    |       |
|                     |                                           | Theories and Practices of Scientific Socialism                                            | 1       | 2       |                    |       |
|                     |                                           | English Reading and Translation                                                           | 1       | 2       |                    |       |
|                     |                                           | Professional English (I)                                                                  | 1       | 2       | Gao Wanglai        |       |
|                     | Professional Courses for All Orientations | History of Modern International Relations                                                 | 1       | 2       | Lu Jing            |       |
|                     |                                           | Xi Jinping Thoughts on Diplomacy and Major Country Diplomacy with Chinese Characteristics | 1       | 2       | Ling Shengli, etc. |       |

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|  |                                                | International Relations Theory                 | 1 | 3 | Gao Shangtao, Nie Wenjuan                                                      |                                                             |
|  |                                                | History of Post-WWII International Relations   | 2 | 3 | Tan Jijun, Zhou Yongsheng, etc.                                                |                                                             |
|  |                                                | Research Methodology                           | 2 | 3 | Gao Shangtao                                                                   |                                                             |
|  |                                                | Principles of Political Science                | 2 | 3 | Liu Ying, Zha Wen                                                              |                                                             |
|  | Professional Courses for Specific Orientations | Contemporary International Relations           | 2 | 3 | Wang Fan, Zhao Huaipu, Lu Jing, Qu Bo, Gao Wanglai, Zha Wen, Ling Shengli etc. | Contemporary International Relations orientation            |
|  |                                                | Contemporary US Foreign Policy                 | 2 | 3 | Li Haidong, Yaoyao                                                             | Contemporary US Diplomacy and Sino-US Relations orientation |
|  |                                                | Contemporary Diplomacy of Russia               | 2 | 3 | Tan Jijun, Liu Ying                                                            | Russia and Its Diplomacy orientation                        |
|  |                                                | International Relations in Asia-Pacific Region | 2 | 3 | Zhou Yongsheng, Nie Wenjuan                                                    | Asia-Pacific International Relations orientation            |
|  |                                                | International Relations in the Middle East     | 2 | 3 | Gao Shangtao                                                                   | Middle-east International Relations orientation             |
|  |                                                | International Economic Relations               | 2 | 3 | Fan Ying                                                                       | International                                               |

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|                  |                      |                                             |     |   |                         | Economic Relations orientation         |
| Optional Courses | Public Courses       | Professional English (II)                   | 1,2 | 4 | Foreign Faculty         |                                        |
|                  |                      | English Listening                           | 1,2 | 2 |                         | 1 credit but 2 learning hours per week |
|                  | Professional Courses | History of US Diplomacy                     | 1   | 2 | Li Haidong              |                                        |
|                  |                      | International Political Thoughts            | 2   | 2 | Lu Jing                 |                                        |
|                  |                      | South Asian Issues Studies                  | 1   | 2 | Gao Shangtao            |                                        |
|                  |                      | Introduction to International Security      | 2   | 2 | Gao Wanglai, Jia Zifang |                                        |
|                  |                      | Globalization and Global Governance         | 1   | 2 | Lu Jing, Liu Ying       |                                        |
|                  |                      | Contemporary Russian Politics               | 2   | 2 | Tan Jijun               |                                        |
|                  |                      | US-Europe Relations Studies                 | 2   | 2 | Zhao Huaipu             | taught in English                      |
|                  |                      | Studies on Countries in Transition          | 1   | 2 | Tan Jijun               |                                        |
|                  |                      | Historical Studies of World Wars            | 2   | 2 | Li Haidong              |                                        |
|                  |                      | Economic Diplomacy                          | 2   | 2 | Zhou Yongsheng          |                                        |
|                  |                      | Japanese Diplomacy                          | 1   | 2 | Zhou Yongsheng          |                                        |
|                  |                      | European Union Studies                      | 1   | 2 | Zhao Huaipu             |                                        |
|                  |                      | America and Middle East                     | 1   | 2 | Yao Yao                 |                                        |
|                  |                      | Negotiation on Arms Control and Disarmament | 2   | 2 | Gao Wanglai             | taught in English                      |
|                  |                      | Alliance Studies                            | 1   | 2 | Ling Shengli            |                                        |
|                  |                      | Studies on Big Power Strategies             | 2   | 2 | Wang Fan, Ling Shengli  |                                        |

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|  |  | Studies on National Foreign Policies                | 2 | 2 | Gao Shangtao |  |
|  |  | Triangle Relations Study among<br>China-U.S.-Russia | 2 | 2 | Liu Ying     |  |
|  |  | Traditional Security Issues                         | 2 | 2 | Jia Zifang   |  |
|  |  | Southeast Asia Studies                              | 1 | 2 | Zha Wen      |  |
|  |  | International Mechanism and<br>Cooperation          | 2 | 2 | Nie Wenjuan  |  |