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**Learning Outcomes**

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- Students will demonstrate knowledge of interdisciplinary perspectives on global issues, processes, trends, systems, and foreign policy constants.
- Students will demonstrate oral and written communication skills in international studies with a focus on international business, foreign policy, or travel and tourism.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to conduct research on international relations problems.
- Students will demonstrate understanding of their culture in a global and comparative context.

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