

2024 - 2025 Major Map

Conflict Resolution, BA

School/College: New College of Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences
 ASCNRBA

Term 1 0 - 16 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
⚠ COM 100: Introduction to Human Communication (SOBE OR SB)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASU 101 or college-specific equivalent First-Year Seminar required of all first-year students. NEW 101 satisfies this requirement. IAS 300 (three credit hours) is required for all transfer students in place of NEW 101. Select your Career Interest Community and play me3@ASU. Activate your Handshake account and build out your profile.
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition	3	C	
NEW 101: The ASU New College Experience OR IAS 300: Career Strategies and Personal Resilience (L or SB)	1-3		
Humanities, Arts and Design (HUAD)	3		
Mathematics (MATH) (MAT 142 recommended)	3	C	
Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	16-18		
Term 2 16 - 32 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a first draft resume. Join a student club or professional organization. Secure a part-time job or volunteer experience.
Humanities, Arts and Design (HUAD)	3		
Scientific Thinking in Natural Sciences (SCIT)	4		
Complete 2 courses: Elective	6		
⚠ Complete ENG 101 OR ENG 105 OR ENG 107 course(s).			
Term hours subtotal:	16		
Term 3 32 - 47 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
COM 222: Argumentation (CIVI OR L) OR COM 230: Small ⚠ Group Communication (SOBE OR SB) OR COM 263: Elements of Intercultural Communication (GCSI OR SB & C & G)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop your research skills. Develop your professional skills. Interested in pre-professional pathways? Explore our pre-health and pre-law websites.
Global Communities, Societies and Individuals (GCSI)	3		
Quantitative Reasoning (QTRS)	3		
Complete 2 courses: Elective	6		
⚠ Complete First-Year Composition requirement.			
⚠ Complete Mathematics (MATH) requirement.			
Term hours subtotal:	15		
Term 4 47 - 63 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes

❖ PAX 230: Introduction to Peace Studies (G) OR JHR 100: Introduction to Social Justice and Human Rights (CIVI OR SB & G)	3	C
Scientific Thinking in Natural Sciences (SCIT)	4	
Sustainability (SUST)	3	
Complete 2 courses: Elective	6	
Term hours subtotal:	16	

- Explore an **internship**, an **IGLE international experience**, or **ASU Study Abroad**.

Term 5 63 - 78 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ COM 312: Communication, Conflict, and Negotiation (CIVI)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conflict Resolution Focus Area: students complete two courses from each of the four focus areas below, for 24 total credit hours. • Thinking about graduate school? Consider registering for a grad school test prep course and explore accelerated master's degrees. • Develop your professional online presence.
Complete 2 courses: Upper Division Conflict Resolution Focus Area Course	6	C	
Complete 2 courses: Upper Division Elective	6-3		
Term hours subtotal:	15-12		

Term 6 78 - 93 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Complete 2 courses: Upper Division Conflict Resolution Focus Area Course	6	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conflict Resolution Focus Area: students complete two courses from each of the four focus areas below, for 24 total credit hours. • Use Handshake to research employment opportunities. • Complete an in person or virtual practice interview.
Global and Civic Engagement Requirement: satisfied through completion of 6 credits of upper-division courses with a Global Communities, Societies and Individuals (GCSI) or Governance and Civic Engagement (CIVI) designation, in addition to the courses used to meet the university General Studies requirements; or completion of 3 credits from an ASU-approved Global Education program. Adjustment to upper-division and elective hours is required if a lower-division Global Education course is used.	3	C	
American Institutions (AMIT)	3		
Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	15		

Term 7 93 - 108 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Complete 2 courses: Upper Division Conflict Resolution Focus Area Course	6	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conflict Resolution Focus Area: students complete two courses from each of the four focus areas below, for 24 total credit hours. • Conflict Resolution Program Elective: complete nine credit hours from any focus area, or six credit hours from any focus area plus three credit hours from COM 484, COM 493 or COM 499. • Gather professional references.
Complete 2 courses: Upper Division Conflict Resolution Program Elective	6	C	
Global and Civic Engagement Requirement: satisfied through completion of 6 credits of upper-division courses with a Global Communities, Societies and Individuals (GCSI) or Governance and Civic Engagement (CIVI) designation, in addition to the courses used to meet the university General Studies requirements; or completion of 3 credits from an ASU-approved Global Education program. Adjustment to upper-division and elective hours is required if a lower-division Global Education course is used.	3	C	
Term hours subtotal:	15		

Term 8 108 - 120 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Complete 2 courses: Upper Division Conflict Resolution Focus Area Course	6	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conflict Resolution Focus Area: students complete two courses from each of the four focus areas below, for 24 total credit hours.
Upper Division Conflict Resolution Program Elective	3	C	

Term hours subtotal: 12

- Conflict Resolution Program Elective: complete nine credit hours from any focus area, or six credit hours from any focus area plus three credit hours from COM 484, COM 493 or COM 499.
- Apply for full-time career opportunities.

- Conflict Resolution Focus Area: students complete two courses from each of the four focus areas below, for 24 total credit hours.
- Conflict Resolution Program Elective: complete nine credit hours from any focus area, or six credit hours from any focus area plus three credit hours from COM 484, COM 493 or COM 499.

Hide Course List(s)/Track Group(s)

Relational/Interpersonal Conflict	Work and Organizational Conflict	Global/Intercultural Conflict
COM 310: Communication in Interpersonal Relationships (SOBE OR SB)	COM 400: Dissent in Organizations	COM 316: Gender and Communication (SOBE OR SB & C)
COM 319: Persuasion and Social Influence (CIVI OR SB)	COM 414: Crisis Communication	COM 342: Oral History and Storytelling
COM 411: Communication in the Family (SOBE OR SB)	COM 415: Risk Communication	COM 371: Language, Culture, and Communication (GCSI OR SB & C & G)
COM 413: Resilient Relationships and Communities	COM 423: Facilitating Collaboration and Dialogue	COM 416: Gender and Race in the Media
COM 417: Communication and Aging	COM 430: Leadership in Group Communication	COM 463: Intercultural Communication in a Global Context (GCSI OR SB & G)
COM 432: Forgiveness and Reconciliation	COM 451: Communication and Work Relationships	COM 471: Global Media and Cultural Identity (GCSI OR G)
		POS 480: Global Justice (GCSI OR G) or SBS 480: Global Justice (GCSI OR G)
		SOC 445: Globalization, Development, and Resistance (SB & G)
Conflict in Political and Social Systems	Conflict Resolution Program Elective	
AMS 449: Hate Speech, Manifestos, and Radical Writings (CIVI OR SB & C) or ETH 449: Hate Speech, Manifestos, and Radical Writings (CIVI OR SB & C) or WST 449: Hate Speech, Manifestos, and Radical Writings (CIVI OR SB & C)	COM 484: Internship	
COM 421: Rhetoric of Social Issues (HU)	COM 493: Honors Thesis (L)	
COM 422: Advanced Argumentation (CIVI OR L)	COM 499: Individualized Instruction	
ENG 456: Studies in Forensic Linguistics or PAX 456: Studies in Forensic Linguistics or SBS 456: Studies in Forensic Linguistics		
HST 355: Total War and the Crisis of Modernity (SB & G & H)		
HST 454: History of Genocide (GCSI OR G & H)		
POS 470: Law and the Political Order (SB)		

- **Total Hours:** 120
- **Upper Division Hours:** 45 minimum
- **University Undergraduate Graduation Requirements**

Notes:

Mathematics Placement Assessment score determines placement in first mathematics course.

General Studies designations listed next to courses on the major map were valid for the 2024 - 2025 academic year. Please refer to the course catalog for current General Studies designations at time of class registration. General Studies credit is applied according to the designation the course carries at the time the class is taken.