

# DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

## Application

*Applications are accepted during these periods:*

*Fall/Spring: 3<sup>rd</sup> week of instruction – last day of RRR week / Summer: early June – mid-August*

*Check the IAS website for semester-specific dates of application acceptance.*

*Incomplete applications will be returned for revision.*

**Students are eligible to declare when they:**

- have completed DS 10 with a grade of C or better,\*
- have completed Econ 1, 2, or C3 at UCB with a grade of C or better or the equivalent at another college, or received AP scores of 4 or 5 on both microeconomics AND macroeconomics exams;\*
- are not in the final semester of undergraduate work.

\*DS 10 and Econ 1, 2, or 3 may be repeated only once in order to obtain a grade of C or better. All students who have completed the prerequisites may declare the major, including freshmen and sophomores.

**Your Complete DS Application consists of:**

- ✓ **Completed Application Form and Program Worksheet (attached).**
- ✓ **Current Bear Facts (unofficial) Transcript** with your name printed on it. Please highlight all courses that apply to the major, AP scores, and transferable units from other institutions (community colleges, study abroad). For double majors or minors, please indicate which upper-division classes will overlap with the other major (maximum two) or minor (maximum one).
- ✓ **Official Transcript(s) from other Colleges.** These are only required if you have taken coursework that will count for the major. **Only official transcripts will be accepted.** *DS Advisors do not have access to transcripts in the Admissions Office.*
- ✓ **Petition to Declare a Major (attached) or Double Major Packet (obtain from L&S website or L&S office).** If DS is your second major, the Double Major Application materials must be completed and already signed by the advisor of the first major.
- ✓ **Statement of Purpose.** A typed, double-spaced, one page essay describing your interest in DS. The purpose of this essay is to give DS advisors a clear picture of your academic needs and interests. The statement should include your fields of interest (e.g. international management, development planning), geographic area(s) of interest (e.g. Latin America, South Asia), expectations for the major, career aspirations, plans for a higher degree, future goals, and anything relevant to studying development.

**All forms must be completed and ready to submit when declaring**

### How to Declare

To declare, students must both:

- **Attend a Major Declaration Workshop and**
- **Submit the DS application materials to advisor. Applications may not be dropped off or submitted via email.**

**Declaration Workshops** are held throughout the fall and spring semester beginning the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of the semester. A limited number of workshops are available in the summer. Check the IAS website and in-office postings for dates and times.

**Note: International students on F or J visas.** International students who are declaring or changing their major must update this information on their I-20 or DS-2019 visa document. Contact the Berkeley International Office (formerly Services for International Students and Scholars) for updated visa information at <http://internationaloffice.berkeley.edu/students/current/main>. BIO is located at International House at 2299 Piedmont Ave

# Development Studies

## Application Form

Rec'd by \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please type or print

### Personal Data

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last name First Middle S.I.D. Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
@berkeley.edu email address Local phone number

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Permanent email address Cell phone number

### Academic Information

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Major Declaration Workshop attended Total units completed AP units completed

\_\_\_\_\_  
First term at Berkeley (semester and year) Proposed date of graduation (semester and year)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Double major department (if applicable) Minor program department (if applicable)

Other colleges and universities attended:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ from: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ from: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ from: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ from: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Please read and initial:

Once declared in a major, students must obtain a new Advisor Code from their major advisor every semester in order to enroll in classes through TeleBears. Advisor Codes change every semester. Bring a completed "Proposed TeleBears Study List" form to the Advising Office. Do this well before your Telebears appointment as this is a busy time in the office. Plan to discuss your progress in the major and your intended courses for the following semester. Forms are available at 101 Stephens.

Students studying abroad must email an advisor with a list of their proposed classes and the requirement each one fulfills. All other students must obtain the Advisor Code in person.

Student Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# DS Program Worksheet

This worksheet is a planning aid. Use it to plan a thoughtful and coherent program of study. Think about what you want to get out of your major and which courses will support that purpose. Include alternative options in case a course is not offered or doesn't fit your schedule. Notify your advisor immediately of any changes. Use the DS Handbook and the General Catalog as references.

Indicate the semester you already completed or plan to complete each requirement. See an advisor if you need assistance.  
**All courses for the major must be taken for a letter grade.**

## FILL THIS WORKSHEET OUT IN PENCIL – IT WILL CHANGE!

### Lower division requirements: 5 courses

AP scores of 4 or 5 will satisfy the Economics and Statistics requirement. An AP score of 5 will satisfy the World History requirement.

DS 10 \_\_\_\_\_ IAS 45 \_\_\_\_\_

Anthro 3 \_\_\_\_\_ Econ 1 or 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Stats 2, C8, 20 or 21 \_\_\_\_\_

**Foreign language: 4th semester level.** Grade of C- or higher. Note: Languages accepted by the College of Letters & Science are not automatically accepted for PE. Please check with the department for eligible languages.

Language \_\_\_\_\_ 4<sup>th</sup> semester course \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

### Upper division requirements: 9 courses

**DS 100:** Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

#### Disciplinary (2 courses)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

#### Development (2 courses)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

**Methods: 1 course** \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

#### Geographic Concentration (3 courses): \_\_\_\_\_

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Yr. \_\_\_\_\_



# MAJOR DECLARATION

effective term: ☐ Fall ☐ Spring year: \_\_\_\_\_

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Student name

Student ID number

Postal address

Email address

Phone number

Status: ☐ New ☐ Continuing ☐ Readmit

Semester units completed (approximate): \_\_\_\_\_

See instructions on the reverse for additional forms that must be filed for Change of College into L&S.

Student's signature

Date

Major adviser's signature

Date

2nd Major adviser's signature (double majors only)

Date

## Circle the Major or Majors You are Declaring

014 African American Studies

045 American Studies

063 Anthropology

090 Art

430 Art, History of

2C2 Asian American and

Asian Diaspora Studies

Asian Studies

096 Asian Studies

095 China

097 Japan

101 Astrophysics

147 Celtic Studies

153 Chemistry

160 Chicano Studies

169 Classical Civilizations

171 Classical Languages

179 Cognitive Science

192 Comparative Literature

201 Computer Science

2A1 Dance & Performance Studies

238 Development Studies

236 Dutch Studies

East Asian Languages and Cultures

469 Chinese

470 Japanese

Earth & Planetary Science

1A6 Atmospheric Science

3A0 Environmental Earth Science

402 Geology

405 Geophysics

535 Marine Science

2B1 Planetary Science

246 Economics

345 English

779 Environmental Economics & Policy

360 Ethnic Studies

379 Film

387 French

9A1 Gender and Women's Studies

396 Geography

408 German

414 Greek

429 History

975 Integrative Biology

628 Interdisciplinary Studies

479 Italian Studies

495 Latin

498 Latin American Studies

497 Legal Studies

510 Linguistics

2A9 Media Studies

540 Mathematics

072 Mathematics - Applied

571 Middle Eastern Studies

Molecular & Cell Biology

966 Biochemistry & Molecular Biology

967 Genetics, Genomics & Development

968 Immunology & Pathogenesis

971 Cell & Developmental Biology

972 Neurobiology

579 Music

587 Native American Studies

Near Eastern Studies

5C1 Near Eastern Civilizations

5C2 Ancient Egyptian &

Near Eastern Art & Archaeology

588 Near Eastern Languages &

Literatures

3D2 Operations Research and  
Management Science

631 Peace & Conflict Studies

651 Philosophy

657 Physical Science

666 Physics

2B2 Political Economy

699 Political Science

780 Psychology

789 Public Health

801 Religious Studies

807 Rhetoric

834 Scandinavian

849 Slavic Languages &  
Literatures

864 Social Welfare

867 Sociology

877 South & Southeast Asian Studies

Spanish and Portuguese

882 Spanish & Spanish American

874 Luso-Brazilian

866 Iberian

907 Latin American

919 Hispanic Languages &  
Bilingual Issues

891 Statistics

9A2 Theater & Performance Studies

Other \_\_\_\_\_

## For College Use Only

Approved by

Date

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