

## Global Scholar Distinction

Students who earn the Global Scholar Distinction are recognized by Georgia State University for their development of [global competence](#): the skills, knowledge and awareness that enhance the ability to succeed in a global environment. Global Scholars can communicate across cultures, think critically about the world, adapt to new and unfamiliar situations, and market global skills to employers. The Global Scholar Distinction is open to Public Health majors. It opens doors to rewarding global career opportunities at home and abroad.

Take courses that count toward your major, minor, or electives. Earn a grade of “B” or better and keep an institutional GPA of 3.0 or higher. All Global Scholar courses are at the 3000 or 4000 level. Global Scholar courses can be found on PAWS. Visit the [Global Scholar Distinction page](#) and watch this [video](#) to learn how to find eligible courses. The following are approved Global Scholar courses in the School of Public Health.

### Area G - Major Curriculum (33 credit hours)

PHPH 4050 Health Equity and Disparities: Urban and Global Health Challenges (3)

PHPH 4070 Introduction to Chronic and Infectious Diseases (3)

### Area I - Approved Public Health Related Electives (15 credit hours)

PHPH/PHPB 3035 Introduction to Maternal and Child Health (3)

PHPB 4230 Global Perspectives on Injury and Violence Prevention (3)

PHPB 4880 or PHPH 4880 Public Health Study Abroad (3) *(also listed under Study Abroad below)*

CPS 3200 Diversity and Human Relations (3)

GERO 4119 Global Aging and Families (3)

**NUTR 3800 International Nutrition (3) (TBC)\***

PSYC 3570 Multicultural Issues in Psychology (3)

SW 4440 Global Social Work Practice (3)

**\*Undergoing review as “Global Scholars Course”**

### Public Health Study Abroad Courses

PHPB 4880 or PHPH 4880 Public Health Study Abroad (3) *(also listed under Area I above)*

**Other Global Scholar courses are available across the university.** Watch this [video](#) to learn how to find other eligible courses.

**Total hours needed for Global Scholar Distinction:** 15 hours with a grade of “B” or higher and an institutional GPA of 3.0 or higher.

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