

**Conflict Analysis and Resolution, BA<sup>1,2,3,4</sup>**  
Fairfax 6–7 Plan

**First Year**

Semester 1 (Songdo)	Credits	Semester 2 (Songdo)	Credits
CONF 101 <small>Social and Behavioral Sciences</small>	3	CONF 210	3
ENGH 100* or 101* <small>Written Communication I</small>	3–4	HIST 125 <small>Global History</small>	3
Quantitative Reasoning	3–4	Oral Communication	3
General Electives	6	General Electives	6
Semester Total:	15–17	Semester Total:	15

**Second Year**

Semester 3 (Songdo)	Credits	Semester 4 (Songdo)	Credits
CONF 320 or 330 (alternates)	3	CONF 330 or 320 (alternates)	3
Concentration I	3	Concentration II	3
Arts	3	Information Technology and Computing	3
Literature	3	Natural Science I <small>No Lab</small>	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
Semester Total:	15	Semester Total:	15

**Third Year**

Semester 5 (Songdo)	Credits	Semester 6 (Fairfax)	Credits
CONF 340 <small>Global Understanding</small>	3	CONF 301	3
Concentration III	3	CONF 302 <small>Major's Writing Intensive</small>	3
ENGH 302* <small>Written Communication II</small>	3	Concentration IV	3
General Electives	6	Natural Science II <small>Lab</small>	4
		General Elective	3
Semester Total:	15	Semester Total:	16

**Fourth Year**

Semester 7 (Fairfax)	Credits	Semester 8 (Songdo)	Credits
CONF 300	3	Field Experience <sup>5</sup>	3–6
CONF 490 <small>Synthesis</small>	3	Skills and Practice <sup>6</sup>	0–3
Concentration V	3	General Electives	6–8
Concentration VI	3		
General Elective	3		
Semester Total:	15	Semester Total:	12–14

<sup>1</sup> Schedule assumes a foreign language waiver.

<sup>2</sup> Students cannot use more than 12 credits with a grade of C- or D towards their major. Courses with \* require a C or higher. A grade of C- or lower requires retaking the course.

<sup>3</sup> To study in Fairfax, students must first pass CONF 101, CONF 210, and at least any two of CONF 320, CONF 330, and CONF 340.

<sup>4</sup> Students on the 2020 – 2021 Catalog year or later are no longer required to pursue a concentration. Such students must instead complete 18 elective CONF credits in addition to skills and practice and field experience requirements. Please speak with an advisor for advice about which path is best for you.

<sup>5</sup> Students may choose to take six credits of Field Experience and no Skills and Practice, or three credits of Field Experience and three credits of Skills and Practice. If students do choose to take 6 credits of field experience, it must be two separate experiences.

<sup>6</sup> Skills and Practice may be satisfied by testing out of a 300-level language course.

**Conflict Analysis and Resolution, BA<sup>7,8,9,10</sup>**  
Fairfax 7–8 Plan

**First Year**

Semester 1 (Songdo)	Credits	Semester 2 (Songdo)	Credits
CONF 101 <sup>Social and Behavioral Sciences</sup>	3	CONF 210	3
ENGH 100* or 101* <sup>Written Communication I</sup>	3–4	HIST 125 <sup>Global History</sup>	3
Quantitative Reasoning	3–4	Oral Communication	3
General Electives	6	General Electives	6
Semester Total:	15–17	Semester Total:	15

**Second Year**

Semester 3 (Songdo)	Credits	Semester 4 (Songdo)	Credits
CONF 320 or 330 (alternates)	3	CONF 330 or 320 (alternates)	3
Concentration I	3	Concentration II	3
Arts	3	Information Technology and Computing	3
Literature	3	Natural Science I <sup>No Lab</sup>	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
Semester Total:	15	Semester Total:	15

**Third Year**

Semester 5 (Songdo)	Credits	Semester 6 (Songdo)	Credits
CONF 340 <sup>Global Understanding</sup>	3	Field Experience <sup>11</sup>	3–6
Concentration III	3	Skills and Practice <sup>12</sup>	0–3
ENGH 302* <sup>Written Communication II</sup>	3	General Electives	6–8
General Electives	6		
Semester Total:	15	Semester Total:	12–14

**Fourth Year**

Semester 7 (Fairfax)	Credits	Semester 8 (Fairfax)	Credits
CONF 301	3	CONF 300	3
CONF 302 <sup>Major's Writing Intensive</sup>	3	CONF 490 <sup>Synthesis</sup>	3
Concentration IV	3	Concentration V	3
Natural Science II <sup>Lab</sup>	4	Concentration VI	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
Semester Total:	16	Semester Total:	15

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## I. Important

The basic four-year plans above cover the bachelor of arts requirements for conflict analysis and resolution at George Mason University. Please be aware that course scheduling at George Mason University Korea is heavily influenced by the four-year plans above.

Please also be aware that the schedules for the Fairfax semesters are generally dependent on completing the coursework listed in the preceding Songdo semesters. Failing to complete a course may have a significant impact on your ability to take some courses. Thus, students are required to submit a Transition Application to Fairfax form. Your academic advisor must review and approve your coursework prior to studying at Fairfax.

For the reasons stated above, you are strongly recommended to speak with your academic advisor if you wish to modify your four-year plan. Deviating from the four-year plan without consulting your academic advisor may leave you with conflicting courses. **The four-year plans are subject to change. For the most updated four-year plans, please see <https://masonkorea.gmu.edu/advising-and-course-registration/four-year-plans>.** For the most updated information on academic policies and requirements, please refer to the University Catalog (URL: <https://catalog.gmu.edu>).

## II. Degree Notes

- A. Conflict analysis and resolution students must take at least seven credits of Natural Science (i.e., one four-credit lab course and one three-credit non-lab course).
- B. 120 credits are required for graduation, with at least 45 of those credits coming from upper-level courses (i.e., 300- or 400-level courses).
- C. Please be aware that some upper-level courses in CONF may alternate by semester.
- D. Please speak with an academic advisor to discuss declaration of a conflict analysis and resolution concentration.
- E. Students interested in declaring a second concentration, double major, or minor must first speak with an academic advisor from the respective department/s.
- F. Students pursuing the CAR BA degree must demonstrate intermediate proficiency in one foreign language. Please see <https://catalog.gmu.edu/colleges-schools/conflict-analysis-resolution/conflict-analysis-resolution-ba/#requirements> for more information. Pertinently, students may obtain three 202-level credits for an exceptional foreign language placement test. Placement tests are administered only by the Department of Modern and Classical Languages. Students may also satisfy this requirement with a sufficient language waiver. Please see <https://mcl.gmu.edu/placement-testing> for more information.

## III. Academic Advisors

The following advisors are available to discuss student academic plans and answer academic questions throughout the semester:

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Faculty Advisor <i>Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution</i>	Prof. Jane Walker Email: <a href="mailto:jwalkerq@gmu.edu">jwalkerq@gmu.edu</a>