Researchers at the University of Bologna address the management of the main global, regional and inter-national affairs within the context of globalization under different perspectives.
Global Affairs
Religion international politics and international law; Global Justice; Multilateralism; Development cooperation; Sustainable development; International organizations and international law; Democracy promotion; democratization and development; Cultural Globalisation and Multiculturalism; Global market and competitiveness; Climate change – legal and political aspects, impacts on societies.

Global and international Security
Security and border controls; Democracy and security; Big data, cybersecurity and cyber terrorism; Communal and Ethnic conflicts; Disaster management; Peacekeeping, Peace-building, Peace-enforcement; Strategic studies.

European Union
European Union Law, politics and institutions; European political parties; EU enlargement; European identity; EU Foreign and Security Policy; The EU’s contribution to global governance; EU - Africa relations; EU-Asia relations; EU-MENA relations; EU-US relations.

Area studies - History, politics and economics
Central and Latin America; Sub-Saharan Africa; MENA Region; Central Asia; South Eastern Asia; North America; Russia; The Balkans.

International Relations
Italian Foreign policy; European Comparative politics; Comparative foreign policies; US foreign policy; Federalism, regionalism and local governance; International Political Economy; History of International Political Economy; International relations theory.

HIGHLIGHTS
Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence WORPOL The European Union in World Politics: What Power? What Leadership? A Multidisciplinary Approach aims at showing how and why the European Union has come to assume the status of a global power, and to what extent this status affects the international context.

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International Research Centre on European Law (CIRDE)
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Departmental Center of Latin American Studies
Observatory on international politics (OPI)
MigLab - Studies on Migration
Italian and European inter-university consortium for the study of the history and politics of the United States (CISPEA)