

The Political Science major prepares students for careers in law, government, public administration, teaching, non-profit services, journalism, and international organizations.

The fields of study are:

- American Politics
- Political Theory and Methods of Political Analysis
- Comparative and Area Studies
- International Politics
- Law and Politics
- Public Policy and Administration

**REQUIREMENT FOR A MAJOR IN POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**39 credits total** = **33** POL credits + **6** related credits

**POL CREDITS**

**33** POL credits = **11** courses

**9** required credits

**POL 166**, American Political System

1. **166** \_\_\_\_\_

**POL 245**, Political Analysis and Interpretation

2. **245** \_\_\_\_\_

One Course from Political Theory Group chosen

3. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

From: **POL 226, 227, 228, 229, 319, 321, or 322**

And **24** Additional credits:

Students may select any **8 POL** courses at the **200, 300,** or **400** level courses in any field. Students should take **200** level first. Students must take at least four courses at the **300** or **400** level.

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- 5. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
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- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 11. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

And **6** related credits = **2** courses

Select two from **ANT 211, ECO 166, ECO 167, PHI 169** or **ENW 201** (or w/POL Dept. approval, **PHI 169, PHI 170 or PHI 230**)

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended internship opportunities:

In NYC: **POL 470, 471, or 365.**

In Albany (Spring), and Washington, D.C. (Summer) with stipends

Transfer students should consult with a Department adviser regarding transfer credits.

**DOUBLE MAJOR IN POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**33** POL credits, including **POL 166, POL 245**, and a political theory course are required. (**6** related credits not required)

**MINORS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**15-18** credits, including **POL 166**. Please see Minor (green) sheet.

**HONORS**

Department Honors: Majors need cumulative **GPA of 3.2** and **GPA of 3.5** in Political Science, and **POL 481** (Honors Tutorial).

**Pi Sigma Alpha is the Political Science National Honor Society**

Required: **18** credits in Political Science, with cumulative **GPA of 3.0** and **GPA of 3.2** POL courses

TODAY'S DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADVISOR: \_\_\_\_\_

EXPECTED DATE OF GRADUATION: \_\_\_\_\_

**P L E A S E P R I N T C L E A R L Y  
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- \_\_\_\_\_ Credits as of \_\_\_\_\_ (transfer from \_\_\_\_\_)
- Normal Course Load: \_\_\_\_\_ x 3 = \_\_\_\_\_ credits per semester
- \_\_\_\_\_ Semesters to reach 120 credits

(Please advise students of the fact that there are few advanced POL courses offered in the summer if they are thinking about taking summer courses. Please advise them to consider taking recommended courses, such as ECO 166 or 167 in the summer)

**Career Interests**

**Academic Interests**

**Future Courses recommended**

**Distribution Courses not yet taken**

**Transfer Students with an Associate Degree**

**Writing Intensive course**