

## POLITICAL SCIENCE (POLS.BA)

| <u>Required Courses</u>                    |                                      | <u>Hrs.</u> | <u>Prereq.</u>                    | <u>Rec.Yr.</u> |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| POLS 101                                   | American National Government         | 3           |                                   | Fr             |
| POLS 120                                   | Introduction to Political Science    | 3           |                                   | Fr             |
| POLS 222                                   | Introduction to Comparative Politics | 3           |                                   |                |
| POLS 232                                   | International Relations              | 3           |                                   | Soph/Jr        |
| POLS 342                                   | Social & Political Thought           | 3           | 100 level POLS or<br>SOCJ course  | Jr             |
| POLS 345                                   | Research Methods in Soc Sciences     | 3           | CJUS 110, POLS 101<br>or SOCJ 101 | Jr             |
| POLS ***                                   | POLS elective                        | 3           |                                   | Fr-Sr          |
| ^POLS 497                                  | Senior Seminar                       | 3           | POLS 345                          | Sr             |
| POLS 498                                   | Senior Comprehensive Exam            | 1           | POLS Major                        | Sr             |
| <b><u>Two of the following courses</u></b> |                                      |             |                                   |                |
| POLS 202                                   | State and Local Government           | 3           |                                   | Soph/Jr        |
| POLS 210                                   | Parties & Elections                  | 3           |                                   | Soph/Jr        |
| POLS 215                                   | Constitutional Law                   | 3           |                                   | Soph/Jr        |
| POLS 220                                   | American Presidency                  | 3           |                                   | Soph/Jr        |
| POLS 235                                   | Race & Public Policy                 | 3           |                                   | Soph/Jr        |
| POLS 333                                   | American Foreign Policy              | 3           |                                   | Jr/Sr          |
| <b><u>One of the following courses</u></b> |                                      |             |                                   |                |
| POLS 240                                   | African Politics                     | 3           |                                   | Soph           |
| POLS 336                                   | CAS: Western/Eastern Europe          | 3           | POLS 222                          | Jr             |
| POLS 337                                   | CAS: South/Latin America             | 3           | POLS 222                          | Jr             |
| POLS 338                                   | CAS: Middle/South Africa             | 3           | POLS 222                          | Jr             |
| POLS 339                                   | CAS: Central/South Asia              | 3           | POLS 222                          | Jr             |
| POLS 340                                   | CAS: East/Southeast Asia             | 3           | POLS 222                          | Jr             |
| <b><u>One of the following courses</u></b> |                                      |             |                                   |                |
| CJUS 320                                   | Issues in Criminal Justice           | 3           |                                   | Jr             |
| POLS 354                                   | Contemporary Political Issues US     | 3           |                                   | Jr             |
| POLS 355                                   | Contemporary Political Issues Intl.  | 3           |                                   | Jr             |
| SOCI 320                                   | Popular Culture                      | 3           |                                   | Jr             |
| <b><u>One of the following courses</u></b> |                                      |             |                                   |                |
| POLS 233                                   | Gender & Politics in Global South    | 3           |                                   | Jr             |
| POLS 238                                   | Terrorism & Counterterrorism         | 3           |                                   | Jr             |
| POLS 265                                   | International Organizations          | 3           |                                   | Jr             |
| POLS 348                                   | International Law & Human Rights     | 3           |                                   | Jr             |
| SOCI 361                                   | Global Conflict                      | 3           |                                   | Jr             |

40 total hours

**^Satisfies advanced composition requirement.**

**\*\*REMINDERS\*\***

1. Students double-majoring in political science and history are required to complete both Senior Seminars and Senior Comprehensive Exams for each major.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**B.A. Degree: Political Science Major (for students entering in Fall 2019/Spring 2020)**

In the "WHAT" column, enter the specific course number when applicable--e.g. HIST 121. In the "WHEN" column, enter the term and year in which the requirement is satisfied--e.g., sp '00.

| General Education |   | Political Science Major |  |
|-------------------|---|-------------------------|--|
| WHAT              | WHEN  | WHAT                    | WHEN                                   |
| _____             | ENGL 101/INDS 106* w/ C (2.0) [3 hrs]                       | _____                   | POLS 101 [3 hrs]                       |
| _____             | ENGL 102/INDS 102* w/ C(2.0)* [3 hrs]                       | _____                   | POLS 120 [3 hrs]                       |
| _____             | COMM 211/INDS 103 w/ C(2.0) [3 hrs]                         | _____                   | POLS 222 [3 hrs]                       |
|                   | Dept senior seminar/writing course                          | _____                   | POLS 232 [3 hrs]                       |
|                   | Met by: _____ POLS 497 [3 hrs]                              | _____                   | POLS 342 [3 hrs]                       |
|                   |   | _____                   | POLS 345 [3 hrs]                       |
| _____             | BIOL/CHEM/ENVV/PHSC/PHYS w/ lab [3 hrs]/INDS 112 [4 hrs]    | _____                   | POLS 202/210/215/220/235/333 [3 hrs]   |
| _____             | MATH (except 112,141,203,205)/                              | _____                   | POLS 202/210/215/220/235/333 [3 hrs]   |
|                   | BIOL 215/PSYC 230/INDS 114 [3-4 hrs]                        | _____                   | POLS 233/238/265/348/SOCI 361 [3hrs]   |
| _____             | RELG/INDS 111 [3-4 hrs]                                     | _____                   | POLS 240/336/337/338/339/340 [3 hrs]   |
| _____             | PHIL [3 hrs]/INDS 110 [4 hrs]                               | _____                   | POLS 354/355/CJUS 320/SOCI 320 [3 hrs] |
| _____             | INDS 120 [3 hrs]/INDS 116 [4 hrs]                           | _____                   | POLS elective [3 hrs]                  |
| _____             | Any literature course/INDS 113[3 hrs]                       | _____                   | POLS 497 [3 hrs]                       |
|                   | Fine Arts   | _____                   | POLS 498 [1 hr]                        |
|                   | _____ ART (except 265)/                                     |                         |  |
|                   | DANC/MUSC/THRE/ENGL 213/                                    |                         |  |
|                   | INDS 107 [3-4 hrs]  | _____                   | 40 semester hours                      |
|                   | OR  |                         |  |
|                   | _____ MUSC/THRE [2 hrs]                                     |                         |  |
|                   | _____ same discipline [1 hr]                                |                         |  |
|                   | OR  |                         |  |
|                   | _____ MUSC/THRE [1 hr]                                      |                         |  |
|                   | _____ same discipline [1 hr]                                |                         |  |
|                   | _____ same discipline [1 hr]                                |                         |  |
| _____             | HIST 100 or 200 level except HIST 201/ or INDS 117 [3-4hrs] |                         |  |
| _____             | CJUS/ECON/GEOG/GNST/POLS/PSYC/ SOCI [3hrs]/INDS 104 [4 hrs] |                         |  |
| _____             | US Cultural Studies [3 hrs]/INDS 109 [4 hrs]                |                         |  |
| _____             | Non-Western Cultural Studies [3 hrs]/ INDS 108 [4 hrs]      |                         |  |
| _____             | EXSC 110/120/121/130/201/240 [3 hrs]/INDS 105 [4 hrs]       |                         |  |
| _____             | 120 semester hours required for graduation                  |                         |  |

➤Except in specifically approved majors, a maximum of 52 hours in an academic discipline may count toward graduation. Three hours over the limit may count to accommodate an internship in the discipline.

➤ Only six hours of any minor may overlap with the required credit hours of a student's chosen major. The overlap constraint is not applicable to courses that majors or minors MUST take in others departments.

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\*Enter NA (not applicable) if waived upon admission or if completing the honors program.