MAJOR IN POLITICAL SCIENCE, POWER, JUSTICE, AND DEMOCRACY CONCENTRATION

Political science majors must achieve a minimum grade of C (2.000) in each of the political science (POLS) courses counted toward meeting the requirement of the major. Students may enroll in either the standalone major or (at most) one of the concentrations under the Major in Political Science.

Upper-Division course in at least four subfields of political science required to register for POLS 492.

Major Completion Map

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| Administration/American Politics and Law (See Department list on Concentration Requirements tab) | | | | |
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| Electives | | х | | 6 |
| Total Credits | | | | 15 |
| Junior | | | | |
| Semester 5 | Critical | Recommended | AUCC | Credits |
| International Relations, Comparative Politics, Public Policy and Administration/American Politics and Law (courses not previously taken; s list on Concentratiom Requirements tab) | X ee | | | 3-6 |
| Power, Justice, and Democracy (courses not previously taken; See Department list on Concentration Requirements Tab) | Х | | | 3-6 |
| Support Option (See Option list on Concentration Requirements tab) | Х | | | 3-6 |
| Electives | | Х | | 0-9 |
| Total Credits | | | | 18 |
| Semester 6 | Critical | Recommended | AUCC | Credits |
| Political Theory (select one course from the following: | Х | | | 3 |
| POLS 420 History of Political Thought | | | 4A,4B | |
| POLS 421 Contemporary Political Theories | | | 4A,4B | |
| POLS 422 Democratic Theory | | | 4A,4B | |
| POLS 423 American Political Theories | | | 4A,4B | |
| Support Option (See Option list on Concentration Requirements tab) | Х | | | 3-6 |
| Electives | | Х | | 3-6 |
| Total Credits | | | | 12 |
| Senior | | | | |
| Semester 7 | Critical | Recommended | AUCC | Credits |
| Power, Justice, and Democracy (courses not taken previously; see list on Concentration Requirements tab) | Х | | | 3-6 |
| Support Option (See Option list on Concentration Requirements tab) | Х | | | 3-6 |
| Electives | | Х | | 0-6 |
| Total Credits | | | | 12 |
| Semester 8 | Critical | Recommended | AUCC | Credits |
| POLS 492 Capstone Seminar | Х | | 4A,4B,4C | 3 |
| Support Option (See Option list on Concentration Requirements tab) | Х | | | 3-6 |
| Electives | | Х | | 6-9 |
| The benchmark courses for the 8th semester are the remaining courses in tentire program of study. | the X | | | |
| Total Credits | | | | 15 |