

Major:

Political Science (B.A., B.S.)

The choice of a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree is available to political science majors. If a student has a second major, the degree choice may be determined by the other major.

Departments/Programs:
Political Science

Political Science Major (B.A. or B.S., 40 hours)

| Core Courses | 36 hours |
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| POLSC 1010 United States Government and Politics or POLSC 1010FYW United States Government and Politics | 4 hours |
| POLSC 1100 Introduction to International Politics | 4 hours |
| POLSC 2000 Introduction to Political Science Statistics | 4 hours |
| POLSC 2300 Introduction to Political Science | 2 hours |
| American Politics area (select from the following): <ul style="list-style-type: none">POLSC 2030 ElectionsPOLSC 2200 Race and PoliticsPOLSC 2350 Judicial PoliticsPOLSC 2450 State Politics and PolicyPOLSC 2630 Foreign PolicyPOLSC 2900/POLSC 3900 Selected Topics (when applicable)POLSC 3300 Public Opinion | 6 hours |
| International Politics area (select from the following): <ul style="list-style-type: none">POLSC 2640 Terrorism and Political ViolencePOLSC 2700 Women and PowerPOLSC 2720 Global Environmental PoliticsPOLSC 2900/POLSC 3900 Selected Topics (when applicable) | 6 hours |
| Political Science Electives: Select 6 hours of political science courses. 4 hours must be at the 3000- or 4000-level. Note: When selecting electives, keep in mind that a minimum of 12 hours of upper level courses are required in the major. | 6 hours |
| Capstone | |

POLSC 4990A Senior Seminar and POLSC 4990B Senior Seminar

In some cases, senior research may be completed instead through a project undertaken in conjunction with POLSC 2970 Internship.

Required Minor

Political Science majors must also complete one or more minors. Students pursuing a double major may substitute their second major for the

** Minimum 12 hours of 3000-4000 level work must be completed in major. Make sure to work with advisor to check that all upper-level hours are completed in plan.