Nebraska Wesleyan University

Catalog 2025-2026

POLSC 2710 Global Politics and the United Nations

2 hours

Majors, Minors & Degrees:

Majors

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

Minors

Political Science

Departments/Programs:

Political Science

This course provides students with an understanding of the role, impact, and significance of the United Nations within the larger context of international organizations and global power relationships. After discussing the history and structure of the United Nations, students will analyze the challenges and opportunities that the United Nations faces in the 21st century, focusing on the principal substantive issues before the organization: war, terrorism, arms control, human rights, international refugees, and development. May be repeated one time when taken for a different topic.

Prerequisite(s): POLSC 1100 Introduction to International Politics.