

Political Science Major
College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

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Freshman				
	Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
UNIV 1000 University Success		3	ENGL 1020 English Composition II	3
Mathematics ⁵		3	Core Humanities/Social Science	3
ENGL 1010 English Composition I		3	POLS 3000	3
Core Fine Art ¹		3	Natural Science with Lab ⁶	4
POLS 2020 Intro to American Politics		3	Elective/Minor	3
		15		16
Sophomore				
	Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
Natural Science with Lab ⁶		4	History ⁷	3
Area IV Elective		3	POLS 2760 Stats for Social Sciences	3
Core Literature ²		3	POLS 3000/4000	3
POLS 2200/3450 Intro to IR/Comp Pols		3	Elective/Minor	3
Elective/Minor		3	Elective/Minor	3
		16		15
Junior				
	Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
POLS 3010 Research Methods		3	POLS Elective (Any Level)	3
Literature/History Sequence ^{2,7}		3	Area IV Elective	3
Elective/Minor		3	POLS 3000/4000	3
Non PS Requirement		3	Non PS Requirement	3
POLS Elective (Any Level)		3	Literature/Humanities/Fine Art ³	3
		15		15
Senior				
	Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
POLS 4000 Level		3	POLS 4000 Level	3
POLS Elective (Any Level)		3	POLS 4952 Senior Seminar	3
Non PS Requirement		3	Non PS Requirement	3
Elective/Minor		3	Elective/Minor	4
Elective/Minor		3		
		15		13
TOTAL Credit Hours Required 120 with a GPA of 2.0 or higher				

(1) MUSI 2110, THEA 2040, VISU 1000, 2030, 2040, 2600, or other state-approved core Fine Arts course.

(2) ENGL 2530, ENGL 2540, ENGL 2570, ENGL 2580, ENGL 2600, ENGL 2610, or other state-approved Literature course.

(3) COMM 1010, 2212, ENGL 2530, 2540, 2570, 2580, 2600, 2610, FREN 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020, GERM 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020, INTL 2600, 2610, MUSI 2110, PHIL 2000, 2010, 2100, RELI 2010, SPAN 1010, 1020, 2010, 2020, THEA 2040, VISU 1000, 2030, 2040, 2600 or other state-approved core Humanities course

(4) A two-course sequence of Literature (see 2) or History (see 7) must be taken.

(5) MATH 1100, 1120, 1150, 1610, 1620, 2630, 2660 or other state-approved core Mathematics course.

(6) BIOL 1000/1001, 1010/1011, 1020/1021, 1050/1051, CHEM 1100/1101, 1200/1201, PHYS 2100/2101, 2200/2201, PSCI 1100/1101, 1400/1401, 1500/1501 or other state-approved core Science course.

(7) HIST 1010, 1020, HIST 1060, HIST 1070, 2010, 2020, or other state-approved core History course.

(8) ANTH 2110, ECON 2000, 2010, 2020, GEOG 2050, 2150, HIST 1010, 1020, 1060, 1070, 2010, 2020, INTL 2050, 2110, 2150, JUST 1270, POLS 2020, POLS 2200, PSYC 2110, SOCI 2000, 2010 or other state-approved core Social Science course.

*A minimum of 18 credit hours must be taken at AUM.

**One of the eleven POLS courses must be a course designated as a course meeting the department's diversity learning objective.

***Honors equivalent courses may substitute for core courses.