**POLITICAL SCIENCE MINOR**

**Description**
The Political Science Minor offers courses focusing on government institutions, government officials, policy processes, and interest groups in the United States and other countries. This minor is especially valuable for students in other majors interested in pursuing careers in business, education, government, journalism, law, nonprofits, politics, and social work among others.

**15 Semester Hours – Five Courses**

**Required Course**
POLS 1020 Introduction to American Politics or
POLS 1200 Introduction to International Relations

**Electives**
- Four required: at least one 4000-level; can include POLS 1020 or POLS 1200, if both are taken

- POLS 1020 Introduction to American Politics
- POLS 1070 Introduction to Diversity and Inclusion
- POLS 1200 Introduction to International Relations
- POLS 2700 Introduction to Political Theory
- POLS 2760 Statistics for Social Sciences
- POLS 2800 Campaigns and Elections
- POLS 2860 Hollywood Meets Politics
- POLS 2880 Women, Politics, and Power
- POLS 2970 Topics in Political Science
- POLS 3010 Research Design
- POLS 3030 State and Local Government
- POLS 3100 Education Policy and Politics
- POLS 3280 Power and Wealth in World Politics
- POLS 3300 Policy and Politics in Urban America
- POLS 3400 Introduction to Public Administration
- POLS 3440 Race, Ethnicity, and Power
- POLS 3450 Introduction to Comparative Politics
- POLS 3500 Public Policymaking
- POLS 3510 Congressional Politics
- POLS 3540 The American Presidency
- POLS 3600 Judicial Politics
- POLS 3810 Political Behavior
- POLS 3970 Topics in Political Science
- POLS 4500 Southern Politics
- POLS 4600 Constitutional Law: Civil Liberties
- POLS 4610 Constitutional Law: Separation of Powers
- POLS 4860 Political Psychology
- POLS 4870 Psychology of Terrorism
- POLS 4970 Special Topics
- POLS 4924 Internship