

Fall 2005

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**POLITICAL SCIENCE MAJOR REQUIREMENTS:**

Once a student has been admitted at PSU, upper-division courses used to meet political science major or minor requirements must be taken from the department, or if taken at another college or university must be approved by the department. In addition to meeting the general University degree requirements, the major in political science must take a minimum of 48 credits in political science courses distributed as follows (students are expected to plan their program in consultation with a faculty advisor):

**CREDITS:**

- A. PS 200 Introduction to Politics (4)
- B. **One 400-level course** (after taking prerequisites where applicable) **as designated in each of the three fields listed below:**
- AREA I.** American Politics. PS 412-PS 431.  
1. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ).
- AREA II.** International Politics/Comparative Politics. PS 441-PS 449, PS 451-458, PS 460-479  
1. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ).
- AREA III.** Political Theory. PS 482-PS 487.  
Methodology PS 493-PS 495.  
1. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ).
- C. **Additional electives** to make a total (including credits from above) of at least 48 credits in Political Science. A minimum of 32 of the 48 credits must be from upper division courses:  
1. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ); 2. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ); 3. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( );  
4. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ); 5. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ); 6. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( );  
7. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ); 8. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ); 9. PS\_\_\_\_\_ ( ).

All courses used to satisfy the departmental major requirements, whether taken in the department or elsewhere, must be passed with a grade of C or better. In addition, courses taken under the undifferentiated grading option (pass/no pass) will not be accepted toward fulfilling department minor requirements.

FOR POLITICS OF DIVERSITY OR POLITICS OF CONFLICT AND COOPERATION OPTIONS SEE SEPARATE DEGREE REQUIREMENT SHEET.

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**POLITICAL SCIENCE MINOR REQUIREMENTS:**

To earn a minor in political science a student must complete 28 credits in the department (of which 16 must be taken in residence at PSU) to include the following:

	<u>Credits</u>
1. <b>PS 200</b> Introduction to Politics	4
2. One 400-level course in two of the three field areas listed under MAJOR REQUIREMENTS.	8
3. Additional upper-division political science electives (no more than 8 credits of PS 404, 405, 409, or 410)	<u>16</u>
Total	28

All courses submitted to satisfy the departmental minor requirements must be passed with a grade of C or better. In addition, courses taken under the undifferentiated grading option (pass/no pass) will not be accepted toward fulfilling department minor requirements.