MINOR PROGRAM IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

The minor program in political science supplements the curriculum of students majoring outside political science. It helps students expand their career options in such fields as law, journalism, business, government and intelligence.

The minor requires **21 semester hours** (s.h.) of courses. Twelve of those semester hours are in courses that are required of all students who pursue a political science minor. The other nine are in upper-level electives taught by the political science department that students can tailor to their particular career or intellectual interests.

I. **Required Courses** ........................................................................................................ 12 s.h.

   POSC 07.110 American Government
   POSC 07.200 Survey of Western Political Theory
   POSC 07.230 Comparative Political Systems
   POSC 07.320 International Relations

II. **Political Science Electives** .......................................................................................... 9 s.h

   The student, in consultation with the student’s Political Science advisor, must select the remaining 9 s.h. from the courses offered by the Political Science curriculum. No less than 6 s.h. must be at the junior/senior level. **NOTE:** Credits for the Public Service Internship (EDPA 02.490) do not count toward the political science minor.

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