

POLITICAL THOUGHT

Political Science, Bachelor of Science with a Concentration in Political Thought Requirements

| Code | Title | Credits |
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| GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS - 34 Hours Required | | |
| Minimum of "C-" required | | |
| Fundamental Skills | | 15 |
| Writing – 6 hrs. | | |
| ENGL 1150 | ENGLISH COMPOSITION I | |
| ENGL 1160 | COLLEGE RESEARCH AND INFORMATION LITERACY | |
| Oral Communication – 3 hrs. | | |
| CMST 1110 | PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS | |
| or CMST 2120 | ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE | |
| Quantitative Literacy – 3 hrs. | | |
| MATH 1120 | INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL THINKING | |
| or MATH 1130 | QUANTITATIVE LITERACY | |
| or MATH 1140 | QUANTITATIVE REASONING FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS | |
| or MATH 1300 | COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT | |
| Data Literacy – 3 hrs. | | |
| Select one from the following: | | |
| STAT 1100 | DATA LITERACY AND VISUALIZATION | |
| STAT 1530 | ELEMENTARY STATISTICS | |
| Until Fall 2028, students can satisfy this requirement with an approved data literacy course, or any approved natural or social science general education course. | | |
| Breadth of Knowledge | | 13 |
| Social Science – 3 hrs. | | |
| Humanities – 3 hrs. | | |
| Natural & Physical Science (must complete a lab) – 4 hrs. | | |
| Arts – 3 hrs. | | |
| Individual and Social Responsibility | | 6 |
| Cultural Knowledge – 3 hrs. | | |
| Civic Knowledge and Engagement – 3 hrs. | | |
| MAJOR REQUIREMENTS | | |
| **Course will satisfy UNO's General Education requirement | | |
| ^Course requires pre-requisite(s) | | |
| Political Science with a Concentration in Political Thought - 36 Hours Required | | |
| At least 18 hours of coursework within the political science major must be taken at the 3000 - 4000 levels. | | |
| Required Courses | | 18 |
| PSCI 1100 | INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN NATIONAL GOVERNMENT (**) | |
| PSCI 2000 | INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL INQUIRY AND WRITING (^) | |
| PSCI 2210 | INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (**) | |
| PSCI 2310 | INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL THOUGHT (**) | |
| PSCI 2500 | INTRODUCTION TO COMPARATIVE POLITICS (**) | |

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| PSCI 3000 | QUANTITATIVE ANALYSIS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE (^) | |
| PSCI 4950 | SENIOR ASSESSMENT IN POLITICAL SCIENCE (^) | |
| Select any four of the following 3-credit hour courses | | 12 |
| PSCI 3340 | AMERICAN POLITICAL THOUGHT (^) | |
| PSCI 4310 | CLASSICAL POLITICAL THOUGHT (^) | |
| PSCI 4320 | EARLY MODERN POLITICAL THOUGHT (^) | |
| PSCI 4330 | LATE MODERN POLITICAL THOUGHT (^) | |
| PSCI 4340 | CONTEMPORARY POLITICAL THOUGHT (^) | |
| Select any two additional 3-credit hour courses - | | 6 |
| Remaining hours in political science shall be elected by students in accordance with their interests. At least 18 hours of coursework within the political science major must be taken at the 3000 - 4000 levels. | | |
| College Breadth (choose one option) | | 15-30+ |
| Option 1: Complete any UNO minor or undergraduate certificate - 15+ hours | | |
| Option 2: Additional General Education Requirements - 18+ hours | | |
| Additional quantitative literacy - 3 hours | | |
| Additional Social Science Gen. Ed. from another Discipline - 3 hours | | |
| Additional Humanities Gen. Ed. from another Discipline - 3 hours | | |
| HIST 1000 and HIST 1010 - 6 hours | | |
| Additional Nat. and Physical Science w/ or without Lab - 3-5 hours | | |
| Option 3: CAS comprehensive major (50+ hours) OR any second UNO major (30+ hours) | | |
| Bachelor of Science Cognate Courses | | 15 |
| Select a minimum of 15 credit hours of cognate course work in other disciplines. | | |
| ELECTIVES | | |
| Elective hours as required to reach a total of 120 hours | | |