

Student name:

Bachelor of Arts

International Studies - Political Science (2021-2023)

Geographic Area of Interest: East Asia, Europe, Latin America or Global

Political Science Major Courses

9 courses; 22 credits must be from SU; a minimum of 6 courses must be upper level

Must earn a C- or better in all major courses.

Course	Course Name	Grade	Credit
PSC32-114	American Politics	_____	_____
PSC32-144	Comparative Politics	_____	_____
PSC32-364	Introduction to Political Theory	_____	_____
PSC32-384	International Politics	_____	_____
PSC32-964	Senior Seminar (Capstone)	_____	_____
<i>Select two Political Science electives from any subfield:</i>			
_____	_____	_____	_____
<i>Select two 500-600 level Political Science courses from different subfields:</i>			
<i>Subfield #1:</i>			
_____	_____	_____	_____
<i>Subfield #2:</i>			
_____	_____	_____	_____
<i>International Studies Requirement: Of the required courses for Political Science, 2 must be from the selected geographic area:</i>			
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Total number of credits counting in the major (minimum 30 credits):

Concentration courses

Courses in this section are not counted in the 30 credit minimum for the major.

Courses in this section may be used in the Exploration and Breadth section.

	Grade	Credit
Advanced Language		
<i>East Asia, Europe & Latin American geographic area: 3 courses beyond the Gen Ed foreign language requirement.</i>		
<i>Global: 3 courses beyond the Gen Ed foreign language requirement OR 2 courses beyond the foreign language requirement + 1 course in a new foreign language (must be the language spoken in the study abroad location).</i>		
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
Geographical Area of Emphasis		
<i>Take three courses from the list of courses allowed for each geographical area (see catalog for list of courses).</i>		
<i>At least two of the three courses must come from a discipline other than the chosen major.</i>		
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
Study Abroad		
Location of Study Abroad program:		_____
Semester study abroad occurred:		_____

Total number of credits from the concentration courses:

General Education Requirements

	Grade	Credit
<i>Part I</i>		
UST05-014/214	First Year or Advanced Entry Seminar	_____
_____	Semester #1 of Foreign Language:	_____

_____	Semester #2 of Foreign Language:	_____	_____
_____	Semester #3 of Foreign Language:	_____	_____
_____	Social Justice course:	_____	_____
_____	Fitness/Recreational Activity course #1:	_____	_____
_____	Fitness/Recreational Activity course #2: (must be different from FRA topic #1)	_____	_____
Part II <i>Exploration and Breadth - 6 courses</i>			
PSC32-XXX courses cannot be used to satisfy E&B requirements. Additionally, any other course contributing to Political Science which is used to satisfy a major requirement cannot be used in the E&B section. *Public Speaking, College Writing & Creative Writing courses cannot count in E&B.			
		Grade	Credit
_____	Take one Humanities course:	_____	_____
_____	Take one Natural Science course:	_____	_____
_____	Take one Social Science course:	_____	_____
_____	Take one Fine Arts course:	_____	_____
Take one additional course from two of the four areas listed above. Neither course may come from the department (3 digit prefix) used in the four areas above. EX: If you took PSY33-104 Principles of Psychology as a social science, you may not select another PSY course in the below section.			
		Grade	Credit
_____	Course #1:	_____	_____
_____	Course #2:	_____	_____

Total number of credits counting only in the Gen Ed section (30 credit minimum required):

University electives		Grade	Credit
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Total number of university electives/minor credits:

Total number of credits from a minor (use minor template to determine correct credit count). Enter credit amount here:

*Minors are optional.

Total number of earned credits counting in major, general education and university elective/minor areas:

University Graduation Requirements:

Students must earn a minimum of 127 earned credits to earn a Bachelor's degree; a minimum of 157 credits is required for dual degrees.

Cumulative GPA must be greater than a 2.0.

Major/Area of Concentration must have a GPA > 2.0.

All grades in a major/minor/core/required supporting courses/certification areas must be a C- or higher . Some majors/minors require higher grades.

At least 64 credits must be completed at Southwestern.

No more than 56 credits may be earned from any 5 digit prefix (except Art, Education and Theatre majors). See catalog for full rules.

60% of Major courses must be completed at Southwestern.

Majors must have a minimum of 30 credits.

General Education area must have a minimum of 30 credits.

No transfer credits taken outside of SU in final 32 credit hours without approval from the Registrar's Office (except for an approved Study Abroad program).

A limit of 1 FRA may be taken as a university elective and counted towards graduation requirements. Any additional FRA's, taken as a university elective, will be deducted from total earned credit.