

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science Model Study Plan (2020-2021 Cohort onwards)
Concentration: Government, Policy and Administration

For Students Admitted to the University for Fall and Spring Semester
Total Degree Credit hours: 120

| Semester | Course Code | Course Title | Cr | Course Type | Semester | Course Code | Course Title | Cr | Course Type |
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| Year 1 1 (Fall) | ESB222 | Fundamentals of Innovation and Entrepreneurship | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 2: Innovation and Entrepreneurship) | 2 (Spring) | PS2110 | Fundamentals of Political Science | 3 | Specialization |
| | ESB224 | Introduction to Academic English for Humanities and SS | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 2: English Communication) | | PS2120 | Government & Politics of UAE | 3 | Specialization |
| | ESB112 | Fourth Industrial Revolution | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 3: Fourth Industrial Revolution) | | PS1505 | Emirates Studies | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 3: Emirate Society) |
| | PS1510 | Critical Thinking | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 4: Critical Thinking) | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 3: Social and Behavioral Sciences) |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 5: Quantitative Reasoning) | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Free Elective |
| Year 2 3 (Fall) | PS242 | Methods of Research in PS | 3 | Specialization | 4 (Spring) | PS2623 | Minor 1 | 3 | Minor 1 |
| | PS250 | Principles of International Relations | 3 | Specialization | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 3: Area 1: Natural Sciences) |
| | PS270 | Comparative Political Systems | 3 | Specialization | | PS2624 | Political Thoughts | 3 | Specialization |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts) | | ELN205 | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 | Concentration |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 | | PS110 | Introduction to Public Administration | 3 | Concentration |
| Year 3 5 (Fall) | PS131 | Local Governments & Local Administrations | 3 | Concentration | 6 (Spring) | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Major Elective | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 2 |
| | ESD223 | Sustainability | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 3: Area 2: Sustainability) | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Major Elective |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 |
| | Free elective/Minor 2 | Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 2 | 3 | Minor 2 | | Free elective/Minor 2 | Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 2 | 3 | Minor 2 |
| Year 4 7 (Fall) | PS430 | Special Topics | 3 | Specialization | 8 (Spring) | PS440 | Internship | 3 | Minor 2 |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Free Elective | | | | | |
| | Free elective/Minor 2 | Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 2 | 3 | Minor 2 | | | | | |
| | Free elective/Minor 2 | Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 2 | 3 | Minor 2 | | | | | |
| | PS435 | International Capstone | 3 | Specialization | | | | | |

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| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 5: Quantitative Reasoning) | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Free Elective |
| Year 2 3 (Fall) | PS242 | Methods of Research in PS | 3 | Specialization | 4 (Spring) | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 |
| | PS250 | Principles of International Relations | 3 | Specialization | | PS2623 | Minor 1 | 3 | Minor 1 |
| | PS270 | Comparative Political Systems | 3 | Specialization | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 3: Area 1: Natural Sciences) |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts) | | PS2624 | Political Thoughts | 3 | Specialization |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 | | ELN205 | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 | Concentration |
| Year 3 5 (Fall) | PS131 | Local Governments & Local Administrations | 3 | Concentration | 6 (Spring) | PS2625 | International Organizations | 3 | Concentration |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Major Elective | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 |
| | ESD223 | Sustainability | 3 | Gen Ed Course (Cluster 3: Area 2: Sustainability) | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 2 |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 | | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Minor 1 |
| | Free elective/Minor 2 | Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 2 | 3 | Minor 2 | | Free elective/Minor 2 | Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 2 | 3 | Minor 2 |
| Year 4 7 (Fall) | PS430 | Special Topics | 3 | Specialization | 8 (Spring) | PS440 | Internship | 3 | Minor 2 |
| | ELECTIVE | Student Choice | 3 | Free Elective | | | | | |
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| | Free elective/Minor 2 | Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 2 | 3 | Minor 2 | | | | | |
| | PS435 | International Capstone | 3 | Specialization | | | | | |