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	Semester	Course Code	Course Title	Cr	Groupings	Semester	Course Code	Course Title	Cr	Groupings
Year 1	1	PH0222	PH0222	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 1: Interdisciplinary and Entrepreneurship)	2	PH0110	PH0110	100	Specialization
		PH0208A	PH0208A	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 2: English Communication)		PH0120	PH0120	100	Specialization
		PH0112	PH0112	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 3: Society/Industrial/Research)		PH0105	PH0105	100	Specialization
		PH0180	PH0180	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 4: Critical Thinking)		PH0106	PH0106	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Social and Behavioral Sciences)
		PH0107	PH0107	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 5: Quantitative Reasoning)		PH0107	PH0107	100	Free Elective
Year 2	3	PH0242	PH0242	100	Specialization	4	Elective	Elective	100	Minor 1
		PH0250	PH0250	100	Specialization		Elective	Elective	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 3: Area 1: Natural Sciences)
		PH0270	PH0270	100	Specialization		PH0265	PH0265	100	Specialization
		ELC670R	ELC670R	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)		ELC620S	ELC620S	100	Concentration
		ELM600S	ELM600S	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 4: Science, Culture)		ELC630S	ELC630S	100	Concentration
Year 3	5	PH0331	PH0331	100	Concentration	6	PH0425	PH0425	100	Concentration
		PH0335	PH0335	100	Major Elective		Elective	Elective	100	Minor 1
		PH0421S	PH0421S	100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 2: Sustainability)		Elective	Elective	100	Major Elective
		Elective	Elective	100	Minor 1		Elective	Elective	100	Minor 1
		Free elect/Major 2	Free elect/Major 2	100	Minor 2		Free elect/Major 2	Free elect/Major 2	100	Minor 2
Year 4	7	PH0430	PH0430	100	Specialization	8	PH0440	PH0440	100	Minor 2
		ELC670R	ELC670R	100	Free elective		PH0440	PH0440	100	Minorship
		Free elect/Major 2	Free elect/Major 2	100	Minor 2					
		Free elect/Major 2	Free elect/Major 2	100	Minor 2					
		PH0440	PH0440	100	Specialization					

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Year 1	1 (Fall)	CSCE222	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 1: Introduction and Entrepreneurship)	3	Elective	2 (Spring)	PHS110	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Social and Behavioral Sciences)	3	Elective
		ENGL210	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 2: English Communication)	3	Elective		PHS120	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Social and Behavioral Sciences)	3	Elective
		PHYS102	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 3: Physics/Industrial Revolution)	3	Elective		SCS100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 3: Natural Sciences)	3	Elective
		PHI100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 4: Critical Thinking)	3	Elective		PHS130	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 3: Natural Sciences)	3	Elective
		SCS100	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 5: Quantitative Reasoning)	3	Elective		PHS140	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 3: Natural Sciences)	3	Elective
Year 2	3 (Fall)	PHS242	Minor 1	3	Minor	4 (Spring)	PHS210	Minor 1	3	Minor
		PHS250	Minor 1	3	Minor		PHS220	Minor 1	3	Minor
		PHS270	Minor 1	3	Minor		PHS230	Minor 1	3	Minor
		PHS280	Minor 1	3	Minor		PHS240	Minor 1	3	Minor
		PHS290	Minor 1	3	Minor		PHS250	Minor 1	3	Minor
Year 3	5 (Fall)	PHS300	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective	6 (Spring)	PHS310	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
		PHS310	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective		PHS320	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
		PHS320	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective		PHS330	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
		PHS330	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective		PHS340	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
		PHS340	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective		PHS350	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
Year 4	7 (Fall)	PHS350	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective	8 (Spring)	PHS360	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
		PHS360	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective		PHS370	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
		PHS370	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective		PHS380	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
		PHS380	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective		PHS390	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective
		PHS390	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective		PHS400	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	3	Elective

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Year	Semester	Course #	Course Title	Prerequisites	Corequisites	Course #	Course Title	Prerequisites	Corequisites	Course Type
Year 1	(Fall)	PH102.2	Fundamentals of Innovation and Entrepreneurship	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 1: Innovation and Entrepreneurship)	PH115	Fundamentals of Political Science	3	Specialization	
		PH102.4	Introduction to Academic English for Humanities and SS	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 2: English Communication)	PH120	Government & Politics of UAE	3	Specialization	
		PH102.7	Academic Writing: Revision	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 3: Youth/Inequality/Revision)	PH125	Emirates Studies	3	Specialization	
		PH180	Critical Thinking	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 4: Critical Thinking)	PH176	Student Choice	3	Specialization	
		EL176	Research Choice	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 1: Area 5: Quantitative Reasoning)	PH177	Student Choice	3	Free Elective	
	(Spring)	PH242	Methods of Research in IPS	3	Specialization	Objective	Student Choice	3	Minor 1	
		PH252	Principles of International Relations	3	Specialization	Objective	Student Choice	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 3: Area 3: Natural Sciences)	
		PH270	Comparative Political Systems	3	Specialization	PH263	Political Thought	3	Specialization	
		Student Choice	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts)	PH265	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	Specialization		
		EL176	Student Choice	3	Minor 1	PH280	Introduction to Public Administration	3	Concentration	
Year 2	(Fall)	PH400.01/002	Human Culture/Geography of the Middle East	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 2: Area 4: Islamic Culture)	Objective	Student Choice	3	Minor 2	
		Gen Ed Course 2: Area 4: Islamic Cultures	3	Concentration	PH425	Public Policy	3	Concentration		
		Student Choice	3	Minor 2	PH430	Student Choice	3	Minor 3		
		PH435	Asian Elective	3	Minor 2	PH435	Student Choice	3	Major Elective	
		PH435.23	Sustainability	3	Gen Ed Course (Cluster 3: Area 2: Sustainability)	Objective	Student Choice	3	Minor 3	
	(Spring)	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	
		Free elective/Minor 3	Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 3	3	Minor 3	Free elective/Minor 3	Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 3	3	Minor 3	
		PH430	Special Topics	3	Specialization	PH440	Student Choice	3	Minor 3	
		PH430	Special Topics	3	Free elective	PH440	Student Choice	3	Minor 3	
		Free elective/Minor 2	Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 2	3	Minor 2	PH440	Student Choice	3	Minor 3	
(Fall)	Free elective/Minor 3	Student choice of free elective or course from Minor 3	3	Minor 3	PH440	Student Choice	3	Minor 3		
	PH448	Integrated Capstone	3	Specialization	PH440	Student Choice	3	Minor 3		
	PH448	Integrated Capstone	3	Specialization	PH440	Student Choice	3	Minor 3		

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Year 1	(Fall)	GE0222	Foundamentals of Innovation and Entrepreneurship	1	GE0155	Foundamentals of Political Science	1	Specialization
		EP0154	Introduction to Academic English for Humanities and SS	3	EP0170	Government & Politics of UAE	3	Specialization
		PE0102	Public Health	3	PE0205	Emirates Studies	3	Specialization
		PE1180	Critical Thinking	3	ELCTVE	Student choice	3	Specialization
Year 2	(Spring)	ELCTVE	Student choice	3	ELCTVE	Student choice	3	Specialization
		PE0242	Maths of Research in Public Health	3	ELCTVE	Student choice	3	Free Elective
		PE0250	Principles of International Relations	3	ELCTVE	Student choice	3	Minor 1
		PE0270	Comparative Political Systems	3	ELCTVE	Student choice	3	Specialization
Year 3	(Fall)	PE0280	Student choice	3	PE0285	Political Thought	3	Specialization
		ELCTVE	Student choice	3	PE0295	Principles of Economics	3	Specialization
		PE0305/040502	Islamic Cultural Geography of the Prophet: "Surat"	3	PE0301	Inter-national Organizations	3	Concentration
		PE0315	International Political Economy	3	ELCTVE	Student choice	3	Minor 2
Year 4	(Fall)	PE0320	Student choice	3	PE0422	Foreign Policy of Great Powers	3	Concentration
		PE0321	Sustainability	3	PE0425	Student choice	3	Minor 3
		PE0325	Minor 1	3	PE0430	Student choice	3	Major Elective
		Free elective/Minor 2	Student choice of free elective of course from Minor 2	Minor 2	Free elective/Minor 2	Student choice of free elective of course from Minor 2	Minor 2	Minor 2
Year 5	(Fall)	PE0330	Student choice of free elective of course from Minor 2	Minor 2	PE0440	Interim	3	Interim
		PE0335	Special Topics	3	PE0440	Interim	3	Interim
		ELCTVE	Student choice	3	PE0440	Interim	3	Interim
		Free elective/Minor 2	Student choice of free elective of course from Minor 2	Minor 2	PE0440	Interim	3	Interim
Year 6	(Spring)	PE0340	Student choice of free elective of course from Minor 2	Minor 2	PE0440	Interim	3	Interim
		PE0345	Student choice of free elective of course from Minor 2	Minor 2	PE0440	Interim	3	Interim
		PE0350	Student choice of free elective of course from Minor 2	Minor 2	PE0440	Interim	3	Interim
		PE0355	Student choice of free elective of course from Minor 2	Minor 2	PE0440	Interim	3	Interim

Arts in Political Science Model Study Plan (2024-2025 Coh

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Year 1	1 (Fall)	HS0525	Fundamentals of Humanities and Social Sciences	3	College Requirement	2 (Spring)	HS0519	People, Places, and Society	3	College Requirement	
		EN0620	Academic English for Humanities and STEM	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 1: Area 2: English Communication		GE0605	Emirate Studies	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 1: Area 3: Emirate's Society	
		PH0112	Gen Ed Course Cluster 1: Area 3: Youth Intellectual Revolution	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 1: Area 3: Youth Intellectual Revolution		GE0606	Student Choice	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 2: Area 3: Social and Behavioral Sciences	
		PH0180	Critical Thinking	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 1: Area 4: Critical Thinking		HS0503	Bioethics of the Prophet "Sara"	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 2: Area 3: Islamic Culture	
		PH0110	Fundamentals of Political Science	3	Specialization		PH0120	Governance & Politics of UAE	3	Specialization	
Year 2	3 (Fall)	Elective	Student Choice	3	Specialization	Elective	Student Choice	3	Major Elective		
		PH0139	Gen Ed Course Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 2: Area 1: Humanities and Fine Arts	GE0622	Fundamentals of Information and Entrepreneurship	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 3: Area 1: Natural Sciences		
		PH0130	Sustainability	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 3: Area 2: Sustainability	PH0242	Methods of Research in PDS	3	Gen Ed Course Cluster 3: Area 1: Integration and Entrepreneurship		
		PH0131	Introduction to Public Administration	3	Specialization	PH0250	Human Capital Administration and Innovation	3	Specialization		
		PH0250	Political Thought	3	Specialization	PH0240	Fundamentals of Political Economy	3	Specialization		
Year 3	5 (Fall)	Elective	Student Choice	3	Specialization	6 (Spring)	PH0303	Public Leadership and Entrepreneurship	3	Specialization	
		PH0270	Comparative Political Systems	3	Specialization		PH0321	Gulf & Arabic Peninsula Affairs	3	Specialization	
		PH0245	Public Policy	3	Specialization		Elective	Student Choice	3	Major Elective	
		Elective	Student Choice	3	Major Elective		Elective	Student Choice	3	Free Elective	
		Elective	Student Choice	3	Support Course		Elective	Student Choice	3	Free Elective	
Year 4	7 (Fall)	Elective	Student Choice	3	Free Elective	8 (Spring)	Elective	Student Choice	3	Support Course	
		PH0483	Integrated Capstone	3	Specialization		PH0440	Internship	3	Internship	
		PH0430	Special Topics	3	Specialization						
		PH0430	Special Topics	3	Specialization						
		PH0482	Interdisciplinary Thought	3	Major Elective						
Year 5	8 (Fall)	Elective	Student Choice	3	Specialization						
		Elective	Student Choice	3	Support Course						
Year 6	9 (Fall)	Elective	Student Choice	3	Free Elective						
		Elective	Student Choice	3	Free Elective						



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Year 1 (Fall)	HSR001	Fundamentals of Humanities and Social Sciences	3	College Requirement	2 (Spring)	HSR001	People, Places, and Society	3	College Requirement			
	HSR002	Comparative Ethnic Studies	3	Gen. Ed. Theme 1: UAE National Identity		HSR002	Introduction to Artificial Intelligence	3	Gen. Ed. Theme 3: Innovation			
	HSR003	Academic English for Humanities and STEM	3	Gen. Ed. Theme 2: Academic Language Proficiency		HSR003	Fundamentals of Innovation and Entrepreneurship	3	Gen. Ed. Theme 4: Entrepreneurship			
	PSG100	Government & Politics of UAE	3	Specialization		PSG100	Introduction to Public Administration	3	Specialization			
	PSG101	Fundamentals of Political Science	3	Specialization		PSG101	Fundamentals of Political Economy	3	Specialization			
Year 2 (Fall)	Elective	Student choice	3	Free Elective	4 (Spring)	Elective	Student choice	3	Major Elective			
	HSR011	Sustainability	3	Gen. Ed. Theme 5: Sustainability		Elective	Student choice	3	Gen. Ed. Theme 6 or 7 or 8 or 9 or 10 or 11			
	Elective	Student choice	3	Gen. Ed. Theme 7 or 8 or 9 or 10 or 11		PSG104	Advanced Analysis in Public Administration and Politics	3	Free Elective			
	PSG204	Human Capital Administration and Innovation	3	Specialization		PSG105	Comparative Political Systems	3	Specialization			
	PSG263	Political Thought	3	Specialization		PSG270	Comparative Political Systems	3	Specialization			
Year 3 (Fall)	PSG264	Principles of International Relations	3	Specialization	6 (Spring)	PSG303	Public Leadership and Entrepreneurship	3	Specialization			
	PSG264	Methods of Research in PS	3	Specialization		PSG331	Gulf & Arab/ Peninsula Affairs	3	Specialization			
	Elective	Student choice	3	Free Elective		PSG430	Public Policy	3	Free Elective			
	Elective	Student choice	3	Free Elective		Elective	Student choice	3	Free Elective			
	Elective	Student choice	3	Free Elective		Elective	Student choice	3	Major Elective			
Year 4 (Fall)	Elective	Student choice	3	Free Elective	8 (Spring)	Elective	Student choice	3	Support Course			
	Elective	Student choice	3	Free Elective		Elective	Student choice	3	Support Course			
	PSG485	Integrated Capstone	3	Specialization		PSG440	Internship	3	Internship			
	Elective	Student choice	3	Support Course								
	PSG487	Integrative Pedagogical Training	3	Specialization								
Year 4 (Fall)	Elective	Student choice	3	Support Course								
	Elective	Student choice	3	Support Course								
	Elective	Student choice	3	Support Course								