

Programs in Political Science and Global Studies and Master of Public Administration

Four Semester Course Schedule Rotation*

| | Semester C Next Offered Spring 2024 | Semester D Next Offered Fall 2024 | Semester A Next Offered Spring 2025 | Semester B Next Offered Fall 2025 |
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| CORE COURSES | POLS 102: Comparative Government | POLS 102: Comparative Government | POLS 102: Comparative Government | POLS 102: Comparative Government |
| | POLS 103: International Politics | POLS 103: International Politics | POLS 103: International Politics | POLS 103: International Politics |
| | POLS 140: California Government | POLS 140: California Government | POLS 140: California Government | POLS 140: California Government |
| | POLS 150: American Political Institutions | POLS 150: American Political Institutions | POLS 150: American Political Institutions | POLS 150: American Political Institutions |
| | POLS 300: Research Methods | POLS 300: Research Methods | POLS 300: Research Methods | POLS 300: Research Methods |
| | POLS 306: Politics of Race and Ethnicity | POLS 306: Politics of Race and Ethnicity | POLS 306: Politics of Race and Ethnicity | POLS 306: Politics of Race and Ethnicity |
| | POLS 310: Statistical Applications for Political Science | POLS 310: Statistical Applications for Political Science | POLS 310: Statistical Applications for Political Science | POLS 310: Statistical Applications for Political Science |
| | Theory Course (POLS 301, POLS 307 OR POLS 308) | Theory Course (POLS 301, POLS 307 OR POLS 308) | Theory Course (POLS 301, POLS 307 OR POLS 308) | Theory Course (POLS 301, POLS 307 OR POLS 308) |
| | GLST 300: Writing in Global Studies: Communicating Global Challenges and Change | GLST 300: Writing in Global Studies: Communicating Global Challenges and Change | POLS 320: Public Administration: Writing as Public Service | GLST 300: Writing in Global Studies: Communicating Global Challenges and Change |
| | POLS 427: Model UN | POLS 427: Model UN | POLS 427: Model UN | POLS 427: Model UN |
| | POLS 499: Capstone | POLS 499: Capstone | POLS 499: Capstone | POLS 499: Capstone |
| | GLST 200: Introduction to Global Studies | GLST 200: Introduction to Global Studies | GLST 200: Introduction to Global Studies | GLST 200: Introduction to Global Studies |
| | GLST 499 Capstone | POLS 305: Gender and Politics | GLST 499 Capstone | |
| ELECTIVE COURSES | POLS 201: Careers in Public Service | | POLS 201: Careers in Public Service | |
| | POLS 314 The American Presidency | POLS 315: Congress and the Presidency | POLS 312: Interest Groups and Collective Action | POLS 305: Gender and Politics |
| | POLS 317: Judicial Power and Processes | POLS 321: Public Budgeting | POLS 316: State and Local Politics and Policy | POLS 313: The United States Congress |
| | POLS 318: Campaigns and Elections | POLS 334: Peace Studies | POLS 319: Political Behavior and Public Opinion OR POLS 324: Ethics and Public Policy | POLS 325 American Public Policy |
| | POLS 340: Politics and the Environment (Not offered Spring 2024) | POLS 401: Constitutional Law | POLS 328 United States Foreign Policy | POLS 329: International Law and Organizations |
| | POLS 35X: International Relations of (area) (Not offered Spring 2024) | POLS 404: Political Leadership | POLS 330: Political Sociology | POLS 335: Politics and Film (not offered fall 2023) |
| | POLS 431 Education Policy and Politics | POLS 432: Faces of Public Policy OR POLS 332: Politics of Neurodiversity OR POLS 345: Science and Public Policy | POLS 402: Civil Rights and Civil Liberties | POLS 362 Law, Politics and Society OR POLS 360: Contemporary Issues in Law and Policy |
| | Additional IR course offered Spring 2024 | (Not offered Spring 2024) POLS 490: Geography | POLS 35X: International Relations of (area) | POLS 426: Politics of Developing Countries |
| | Up to 3 additional sections or courses | Up to 3 additional sections or courses | Up to 3 additional sections or courses | Up to 3 additional sections or courses |
| | MPA COURSES | | MPA 500: Mission Based Organizations in the Public Sector | MPA 503 Policy Analysis and Program Evaluation |
| | | MPA 501 Public Management and Organizational Behavior | MPA 504 Analytical Methods in the Public Sector | MPA 501 Public Management and Organizational Behavior |
| | | MPA 502 Public Policy Making Process | MPA 506 Public Budgeting | MPA 502 Public Policy Making Process |
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| | | | | MPA 507 Human Resource Administration |
| | | | | MPA 5XX Elective |
| | | | | MPA 692 Internship |

PLEASE NOTE: The information above is provided for planning purposes only. Please consult the current course offerings schedule for actual course offerings in a given semester. The catalog of courses offered during a specific semester depends on variable circumstances including budget, enrollment, and faculty availability.