# List of POL courses listed on e-Curriculum (as of April 2016)

Legend: **American Politics course**: Political Theory course; **Comparative Politics course**: International Relations course; **Other (policy, inter-disciplinary, cross-departmental, etc. courses)**

## Introductory courses

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<td>POL 1001</td>
<td>Power &amp; Politics: Understanding the POL World</td>
<td>Introduces students to approaches used to study politics; students become familiar with sub-fields in Political Science &amp; philosophical assumptions underlying political inquiry.</td>
<td>POL and INTA required Core methods offering</td>
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<tr>
<td>POL 1010</td>
<td>Intro to American Politics</td>
<td>Introduces students to the American political system</td>
<td>POL and INTA required (INTA 3 of 4 intros)</td>
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<td>POL 1040</td>
<td>Intro to Political Theory</td>
<td>Traces the development of political theory from the classical era to the modern theory</td>
<td>POL and INTA required (INTA 3 of 4 intros)</td>
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<td>POL 1060</td>
<td>Intro to Comparative Politics</td>
<td>Introduces fundamentals of comparative government institutions and political processes.</td>
<td>POL, INTA students should plan to complete it.</td>
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<td>POL 1080</td>
<td>Intro to Int'l Relations</td>
<td>Builds a sophisticated understanding of contemporary international politics thru focus on war, peace, law and institutions</td>
<td>POL, INTA students should plan to complete it.</td>
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<td>POL 1090</td>
<td>Law, Politics and Society</td>
<td>Introduces students to the Legal Studies field; explores the role of law and the legal system in politics and society.</td>
<td>LSC Certificate course Intro for INTA students</td>
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## Upper-level (2000-4000 level) courses

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<td>2010</td>
<td>Public Opinion and American Politics</td>
<td>Teaches origins of modern public opinion polling and how it has evolved over time</td>
<td>POL majors; Public Opinion certificate, NO INTA majors</td>
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<tr>
<td>2011</td>
<td>Elections in America</td>
<td>Analyses American electoral system, political campaigns, and voting behavior.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<td>2012</td>
<td>Political Parties in America</td>
<td>Examines the roles of political parties in the American political system including selection of candidates, financing of campaigns, and mobilization of voters.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<td>2013</td>
<td>Democratic Citizenship</td>
<td>Surveys theories and premises of citizenship, as well as factors that challenge these concepts.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<td>2014</td>
<td>Sports and Politics</td>
<td>Analyzes the political and social impact of sport, including professional sports, intercollegiate athletics, and the Olympics.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<tr>
<td>2015</td>
<td>Women and Politics</td>
<td>Introduce the feminist approach to politics and political institutions; examines the status of women in the US from the colonial period to the present.</td>
<td>POL majors only; cross-listed WGS 2015</td>
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<td>2016</td>
<td>State and Local Government</td>
<td>Focuses on institutional structure of U.S. states and local governments; explores the history and development of state and local governments in the U.S. federal system.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<tr>
<td>2017</td>
<td>Government &amp; Politics of Ohio</td>
<td>Traces the history and traditions that shaped and formed the major political institutions of the State of Ohio and its party system.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<td>2018</td>
<td>Interest Group Politics and Lobbying</td>
<td>Discusses how interests groups organize themselves, mobilize supporters, and how they seek to influence policies in all branches and levels of government.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<td>2019</td>
<td>The American Presidency</td>
<td>Applies various concepts and methodologies to examine the institution of the American Presidency.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<td>2020</td>
<td>The American Congress</td>
<td>Introduces students to the constitutional structure of the US Congress and to the functions that the legislative body performs in the U.S. political system.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<td>2021</td>
<td>American Courts + Judicial Process</td>
<td>Examines the structure and functions of the state and federal judicial systems, civil and criminal procedure, and the legal profession.</td>
<td>POL majors only; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>2022</td>
<td>The Politics of Law and Religion in the U.S.</td>
<td>Explores the relationship between politics, law, and religion in the United States from the Founding period to the present.</td>
<td>POL majors only; cross-listed with religious studies</td>
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<td>2023</td>
<td>Media and Politics in America</td>
<td>Examines the theoretical and actual role of media in the United States, with a particular focus on media content as an influence on public opinion and behavior.</td>
<td>POL majors only; joined with JOUR 3035</td>
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<td>2026</td>
<td>Introduction to Public Administration</td>
<td>Introduces various approaches to public administration and its role within a democratic society, utilizing various political science concepts and methodologies.</td>
<td>POL &amp; INTA majors, SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>2031</td>
<td>Environmental Policy</td>
<td>Analyzes the behavior and activities of national and global entities in the processes of making and implementing environmental policy.</td>
<td>POL &amp; INTA majors, SSTD certificate; cross-listed EVST 2031</td>
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<td>2035</td>
<td>Cybersecurity/Strategy and Policy</td>
<td>Examines U.S. and international efforts to develop strategies, policies, and organizations needed to secure the digital infrastructure.</td>
<td>POL &amp; INTA majors; SSTD and Cybersecurity certificates</td>
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<td>2036</td>
<td>Cyber Security and Social Responsibility</td>
<td>Surveys cyber environment, assesses cybersecurity practices in a responsible decision-making framework, and applies student creativity and insight to making socially responsible recommendations for policy situations.</td>
<td>POL &amp; INTA majors; Cybersecurity certificates</td>
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<td>2040</td>
<td>Development of Political Thought</td>
<td>Examines various political theories and develops ability to critically analyze these theories.</td>
<td>POL &amp; INTA majors</td>
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<td>2045</td>
<td>American Political Thought</td>
<td>Focus on various idealist and pragmatic philosophy and political thought that distinguish American Political Thought.</td>
<td>POL &amp; INTA majors</td>
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<td>2055</td>
<td>War! How to Use Politics to Advance Agenda</td>
<td>Introduces students to various strategies to achieve political outcomes that are advantageous to themselves and/or their organizations.</td>
<td>POL majors only; cross-listed PLAN 2055</td>
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<td>2063</td>
<td>Politics of China</td>
<td>Surveys modern and contemporary Chinese politics with focus on local and national policy-making and the Chinese party-state.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; AIST</td>
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<td>2064</td>
<td>Politics of South Asia</td>
<td>Analyzes the many forms of government and politics in South Asia, which includes India (emphasis), Pakistan, Bangladesh, Afghanistan, Sri Lanka, Nepal and Burma.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate; AIST</td>
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<tr>
<td>2065</td>
<td>Politics of Latin America</td>
<td>Analyzes the many forms of government and politics in Latin America and the major issues facing the region today.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors</td>
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<td>2066</td>
<td>Indian Politics and Society</td>
<td>Introduces India’s politics and its social and cultural mosaic, focuses on political institutions and processes depicting the Indian experience.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; AIST</td>
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<tr>
<td>2069</td>
<td>Politics of Developing Countries</td>
<td>Examines developing countries in light of modernization and globalization thru the themes of polity, economy and identity.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors</td>
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<td>2071</td>
<td>Politics of the Middle East</td>
<td>Analyzes the diverse forms of government and politics in the Middle East; focuses on regional conflicts, human rights and minority issues.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate; Middle Eastern Studies</td>
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<td>2072</td>
<td>Iran: Domestic Politics and Foreign Relations</td>
<td>Introduces students to the domestic politics and foreign policy of Iran with focus on its social and political institutions, and foreign relations.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate; Middle Eastern Studies</td>
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<td>2074</td>
<td>Politics of Russia</td>
<td>Surveys the political system of Russia with focus on its culture, social, and economic features, domestic institutions, political parties, and foreign relations.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; EUST</td>
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<td>2076</td>
<td>PoliSciFi: PoliSci thru Fiction and Film</td>
<td>Uses film and fiction to enable students to experience different worldviews; applies techniques for discourse and visual analysis.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors</td>
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<td>2077</td>
<td>Politics of Europe</td>
<td>Surveys governments in Europe, including their history, institutions, parties, classes and groups, and cultural patterns.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; EUST</td>
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<td>2078</td>
<td>Japan: Society, Gov’t and Economy</td>
<td>Uses interdisciplinary methods to introduce students to Japan’s society, politics, government, and economy.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; AIST 2078</td>
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<td>2080</td>
<td>America and the World</td>
<td>Examines the current U.S. role in world politics including the conduct of war, trade, and diplomacy; focuses on selected issues and policies.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>2081</td>
<td>Globalization and Politics</td>
<td>Examines the diverse approaches to studying politics; focuses on the foundational principles of research design and data analysis in political science.</td>
<td>Required POL&amp;INTA course Core methods offering</td>
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<td>2082</td>
<td>US Foreign Policy; Institutions, Process, and Policy</td>
<td>Examines historical and contemporary aspects of terrorism and insurgency warfare; focuses on contemporary cases.</td>
<td>P L&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>2084</td>
<td>Terrorism and Insurgency</td>
<td>Examines trends in religious identities, attitudes and political ideology, and voting behavior.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>2085</td>
<td>Economic Globalization</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; IHR, SSTD certificates</td>
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<td>2086</td>
<td>War and Security</td>
<td>Examines the current U.S. role in world politics including the conduct of war, trade, and diplomacy; focuses on selected issues and policies.</td>
<td>Required POL&amp;INTA course Core methods offering</td>
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<td>2087</td>
<td>Rising China in World Politics</td>
<td>Examines China's rise to international prominence and its implications for regional and global affairs; focuses on issues of energy, environment and security.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>2088</td>
<td>Global Gender Politics</td>
<td>Introduces students to scholarly and policy debates about globalization; examines analytical and normative perspectives and surveys contemporary cases.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>2089</td>
<td>Globalization and Politics</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>2090</td>
<td>America and Asia</td>
<td>Examines U.S. foreign policy and regional politics in Asia; covers political and economic engagement between America and Asia.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; AIST 2090</td>
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<td>2091</td>
<td>Global Gender Politics</td>
<td>Introduces how dominant approaches to global governance, global security, and global political economy are gendered and with what consequences.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; WIGS majors/ students; WGS2096</td>
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<td>2092</td>
<td>International Institutions</td>
<td>Introduces key concepts &amp; theories of int’l cooperation and examines instances of such cooperation through case studies and faculty-led study abroad.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>2093</td>
<td>International Institutions</td>
<td>Introduces the foundational principles of research design, collection and analysis of quantitative data in social science.</td>
<td>Required Gen Ed Course (QR) for POL&amp;INTA majors, joined with JOUR 3000C</td>
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<td>2094</td>
<td>Quant Research &amp; Data Analysis</td>
<td>Surveys int’l law, intergov’t and non-gov’t organizations; addresses global governance, the U.N. system, security, trade and development.</td>
<td>Required Gen Ed Course (QR) for POL&amp;INTA majors, joined with JOUR 3000C</td>
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<td>2095</td>
<td>Water Justice</td>
<td>Examines the diverse approaches to studying politics; focuses on the foundational principles of research design and data analysis in political science.</td>
<td>Required Gen Ed Course (QR) for POL&amp;INTA majors, joined with JOUR 3000C</td>
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<td>2096</td>
<td>Int'l Human Rights</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; SSTD certificates</td>
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<td>2097</td>
<td>Int'l Law and Organization</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>2098</td>
<td>Int'l Institutions</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>2099</td>
<td>Int'l Institutions</td>
<td>Examines the current U.S. role in world politics including the conduct of war, trade, and diplomacy; focuses on selected issues and policies.</td>
<td>Required POL&amp;INTA course Core methods offering</td>
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<td>2100</td>
<td>Int'l Politics</td>
<td>Examines the current U.S. role in world politics including the conduct of war, trade, and diplomacy; focuses on selected issues and policies.</td>
<td>Required POL&amp;INTA course Core methods offering</td>
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<td>2101</td>
<td>Int'l Relations</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>2102</td>
<td>Int'l Organizations</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>2103</td>
<td>Int'l Politics</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>2104</td>
<td>Int'l Relations</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>2105</td>
<td>Int'l Organizations</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>2106</td>
<td>Int'l Politics</td>
<td>Examines the history, theory and culture of human rights; examines political, ethical, and legal dilemmas in connection with human rights.</td>
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<td>3016</td>
<td>Polls, Elections, and American Politics</td>
<td>Examines public opinion and election polls in American politics, with emphasis on the measurement and interpretation of public opinion and election polls.</td>
<td>POL majors only</td>
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<td>3021</td>
<td>Constitutional Law: Federal System</td>
<td>Introduces constitutionalism, the allocation of judicial, legislative, and executive powers, and the division of authority between nations, states, and federal governments.</td>
<td>POL majors only; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>3022</td>
<td>Constitutional Law: Civil Rights + Liberties</td>
<td>Covers issues of criminal due process, life and death, discrimination and fundamental first amendment liberties.</td>
<td>POL majors only; SSTD and IHR certificates</td>
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<tr>
<td>3031</td>
<td>Sustainable Development</td>
<td>Explores the debates about sustainable development and current strategies for its implementation at the state, national, and international levels.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; course-listed EVST 3031</td>
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<tr>
<td>3032</td>
<td>Global Environmental Law &amp; Policy</td>
<td>Introduces fundamental legal and policy issues in environmental law at domestic and international levels.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; course-listed EVST 5101</td>
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<td>3033</td>
<td>Global Biodiversity, Law and Policy</td>
<td>Examines multiple areas of law dealing with constitutional, administrative, and international aspects of biodiversity and natural resource protection.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; cross-listed EVST 5101</td>
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<td>3034</td>
<td>Emergency Management Policy &amp; Administration</td>
<td>Surveys federal, state, and local efforts to manage man-made and natural disasters; examines policies to ensure homeland security.</td>
<td>POL majors only; SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>3037</td>
<td>Women and Global Issues</td>
<td>Examines effects of global issues such as poverty, war, and the environment on women and their responses in various contexts.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; IHR certificate; cross-listed WGS 3037</td>
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<tr>
<td>3041</td>
<td>Marx and the Marxist Tradition</td>
<td>Examines key ideas of Karl Marx's approach to politics, economics, and society.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; joined offering with PHIL</td>
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<tr>
<td>3042</td>
<td>Black Politics</td>
<td>Takes a historical look at black political thought and action (e.g., Garvey Movement, Civil Rights Movement, Black Power).</td>
<td>POL majors only; cross-listed AFST 3086</td>
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<td>3043</td>
<td>Citizenship and Terrorism</td>
<td>Compares and contrasts citizenship and terrorism; distinguishes between individual and socialized obligations and discusses their ethical and moral aspects.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors, SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>3044</td>
<td>Social &amp; Political Philosophy</td>
<td>Studies the proper relationships between individuals, groups, and governments; focuses on natural, moral, or legal rights of individuals.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors; cross-listed PHIL 3021</td>
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<td>3046</td>
<td>State Theory</td>
<td>Examines the historical development of the nation state and focuses on its characteristics and the challenges that it faces today.</td>
<td>POL&amp;INTA majors, SSTD certificate</td>
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<td>3012</td>
<td>Multicultural Politics and Women's Rights</td>
<td>Explores questions and practices of culture(s) and women's basic individual rights; consider different political solutions to women's dilemmas.</td>
<td>POL majors only; cross-listed WGS 3012</td>
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<tr>
<td>3060</td>
<td>Comparative Political Analysis</td>
<td>Studies various forms of rule throughout history and around the globe; examines different types of rule and their social, economic and ideological foundations.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors</td>
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<tr>
<td>3061</td>
<td>Knowledge is Power</td>
<td>Studies politics and policies related to education in the U.S. and the world; re-examines key concepts such as power, democracy, citizenship, and equality.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors</td>
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<tr>
<td>3062</td>
<td>Global Religion and politics</td>
<td>Examines issues of war and peace, political stability, democratic freedoms and oppressions through the lens of religion.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; IHR certificate</td>
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<tr>
<td>3063</td>
<td>Politics on Film</td>
<td>Uses classic and contemporary American and international films to engage with various freedoms, leadership, propaganda, ideology and others.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors</td>
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<td>3069</td>
<td>South Asian Women: Politics, Culture, Identity</td>
<td>Examines how women have affected and been affected by politics in South Asia with primary focus on India, Pakistan, and Bangladesh.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; Cross-listed with WGS; AIST</td>
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<td>3076</td>
<td>Politics of the European Union</td>
<td>Surveys EU politics and explores its unique political system; discusses its inter-governmental and supra-national characteristics.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; joined with EUST 5001</td>
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<td>3080</td>
<td>Approaches to International Politics</td>
<td>Discusses core actors and dynamics of international politics; examines competing theories used to explain contemporary policies.</td>
<td>Required SSTD course; POL and INTA majors</td>
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<tr>
<td>3081</td>
<td>Politics of Global Economic Affairs</td>
<td>Examines various aspects of global economic activity, on welfare, distributional consequences, and security implications of the globalized world economy.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors</td>
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<tr>
<td>3082</td>
<td>Alignment and Alliances in IR</td>
<td>Examines the theoretical literature on alignment and alliances; uses NATO to explain contemporary security policies.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; SSTD certificate; EUST</td>
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<tr>
<td>3083</td>
<td>China and the World</td>
<td>Examines China's rise to international prominence and its implications for regional and global affairs.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; AIST</td>
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<tr>
<td>3084</td>
<td>International Relations of East Asia</td>
<td>Provides an overview of IR in East Asia with emphasis on the post-Cold War period; focuses mostly on cases in Northeast Asia (China, Japan, the Koreas, Taiwan).</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; SSTD course; AIST 3084</td>
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<tr>
<td>3085</td>
<td>American Grand Strategy</td>
<td>Considers 20th century American grand strategy toward Europe and discusses implications for future politics in Asia.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; SSTD certificate</td>
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<tr>
<td>3086</td>
<td>Security and Conflict in Asia</td>
<td>Examines security and conflict in contemporary Asia; discusses social, political, and military aspects of security and conflict in the region.</td>
<td>POL and INTA majors; SSTD certificate; AIST 3086</td>
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<td>Regional Politics in Asia</td>
<td>Examines social, economic, political, and security issues aspects of politics in Asia, and the role of regional entities and external powers.</td>
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<td>Ethics, Violence, and War</td>
<td>Examines ethical, moral, and legal dilemmas that arise in contexts of political violence and warfare.</td>
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<td>3090</td>
<td>International Conflict</td>
<td>Examines causes, conduct and dynamics of international conflict, as well as challenges for conflict management and resolution in the 21st century.</td>
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<td>War and Security</td>
<td>Examines means, methods, and motives for violence in IR; focuses on the causes of war, the effects of armed forces; and their implications for contemporary security.</td>
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<td>Nuclear Proliferation and Arms Control</td>
<td>Examines the core issues in nuclear proliferation and arms control and their challenges in particular regions of the world.</td>
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<td>4004</td>
<td>Feminist Methods &amp; Methodologies</td>
<td>Examines feminist research practices, focusing on methodological and epistemological questions across various disciplines.</td>
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<td>Individual Work: American Politics</td>
<td>Allows POL majors to pursue in depth a special interest in American Politics. Research plan, faculty approval and UG Director’s authorization required.</td>
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<td>Campaign Comm &amp; Women in Elective Politics</td>
<td>Examines the campaign communication strategies used by and for women who have sought or who are seeking elective office in the United States.</td>
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<td>4040</td>
<td>Individual Work: Political Theory</td>
<td>Allows POL&amp;INTA majors to pursue in depth a special interest in Political Theory. Research plan, faculty approval and UG Director’s authorization required.</td>
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<td>4041</td>
<td>International Women’s Human Rights</td>
<td>Focuses on women’s rights struggles in various parts of the world; examines the use of these rights by different movements.</td>
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<td>Individual Work: Comparative Politics</td>
<td>Allows POL&amp;INTA majors to pursue in depth a special interest in Comparative Politics. Research plan, faculty approval and UG Director’s authorization required.</td>
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<td>4063</td>
<td>Presidential Rhetoric</td>
<td>Examines the roles of public communication in American presidency and the impact of a president’s rhetoric.</td>
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<td>4080</td>
<td>Individual Work: International Relations</td>
<td>Allows POL&amp;INTA majors to pursue in depth a special interest in International Relations. Research plan, faculty approval and UG Director’s authorization required.</td>
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<td>Internship Practicum</td>
<td>Allows POL&amp;INTA majors to pursue in depth a special interest thru Internships. Research plan, faculty approval and UG Director’s authorization required.</td>
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<td>Senior Thesis I</td>
<td>Designed for POL&amp;INTA majors to complete senior thesis under faculty supervision. Proposal, faculty and UG Director’s approval required (Part 1)</td>
<td>5000 required. “In progress” grade assigned prior completion of the project.</td>
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<td>5001</td>
<td>Senior Thesis II</td>
<td>Designed for POL&amp;INTA majors to complete senior thesis under faculty supervision. Proposal, faculty and UG Director’s approval required (Part 2)</td>
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<td>5111</td>
<td>Politics and the Public</td>
<td>Surveys the role of citizens in the political process with focus on participation in American national elections.</td>
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<td>5115</td>
<td>Polls, Elections, and Public Opinion</td>
<td>Studies public opinion and election polls in American politics, with emphasis on the measurement and the interpretation of public opinion and polls.</td>
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<td>5123</td>
<td>U.S. Media Policy Research and Reporting</td>
<td>Students conduct academic research on important topics: the First Amendment, freedom of the press, media ethics, media credibility and audience perception, reporting routines, media convergence and business models.</td>
<td>Capstone, POL majors; joined offering with the JOUR grad program.</td>
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<td>5131</td>
<td>Global Health and Diplomacy</td>
<td>Discusses modern diplomacy, public health and disease. Focuses on mal-distribution of resources, war, culture, infectious diseases, disasters and their impact on populations</td>
<td>Capstone, POL &amp; INTA Majors; joined offering with College of Medicine (PH/PH 8075)</td>
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<td>5132</td>
<td>Architecture and Politics of Built Space</td>
<td>Examines the political forces that shape the built environment and architectural practices; investigates how architecture embodies operations of power</td>
<td>Capstone, POL and INTA Majors; joined offering with ARCH (no UG ARCH class)</td>
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<td>5136</td>
<td>Intergovernmental Relations</td>
<td>Studies relations between federal and state governments and how various institutions have responded to crises or implemented their political agendas.</td>
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<td>5161</td>
<td>Power and Democracy</td>
<td>Studies the concept of power in political science and addresses questions about who rules, how rule is exercised and distributed, and what are its effects.</td>
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<td>5164</td>
<td>South Asia and the World</td>
<td>Studies how South Asia is ruled today focusing on political violence, colonial legacy, nationalism, economic development and alignments.</td>
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<td>5165</td>
<td>Women and Sustainable Development</td>
<td>Focuses on women, politics and policies in the developing countries and their participation in economic development and a sustainable environment.</td>
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<td>5168</td>
<td>Nation, Race, Identity</td>
<td>Focuses on theoretical and philosophical writings on nationalism, race, racism and ethnicity as the latter have been driving forces in the political world today.</td>
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<td>5176</td>
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<td>Surveys literature on themes and theories of recent developments in European politics.</td>
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<td>5177</td>
<td>Europe vs America: Challenges in TA Relations</td>
<td>Examines the changing political, economic, and cultural relations between Europe and the US; examines political systems; public policies and foreign policy positions. May include a study abroad trip to Brussels and the Hague.</td>
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<td>5180</td>
<td>International Cooperation</td>
<td>Examines key concepts, theories, variations and instances of international cooperation. May include a study abroad trip to Brussels and the Hague.</td>
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<td>5181</td>
<td>Inequalities &amp; Resistances in the Global IPE</td>
<td>Examines the production of and resistances to global inequalities through critical, esp. feminist, perspectives on the global int’l political economy (IPE).</td>
<td>Capstone, POL&amp;INTA majors, cross-listed with WGS 4181</td>
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<td>5183</td>
<td>China and America: Challenges and Opportunities</td>
<td>Examines U.S.-China relationship with emphasis on contemporary world affairs and foreign policies on a range of pressing issues.</td>
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<td>5184</td>
<td>International Crisis Decisionmaking</td>
<td>Examines competing models of decision-making and the particular dynamics of international crises. Involves research and a multi-week simulation.</td>
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- **POL7010** Pro-seminar in American Political Institutions (4 credits)
- **POL7011** Pro-seminar in American Political Behavior (4 credits)
- **POL7012** Pro-seminar in Political Parties (4 credits)
- **POL7015** Pro-Seminar in Public Opinion and Public Policy (4 credits)
- **POL7019** Pro-seminar in American Executive Politics (4 credits)
- **POL7020** Pro-seminar in Legislative Politics (4 credits)
- **POL7026** Politics of Plan Implementation (4 credits)
- **POL8010** Research Seminar in American Politics (4 credits)

Also any of the INTA Honor Honors Courses listed below are acceptable (4 credits)

List of 7000-level courses approved for Dept High Honors Capstone for INTA majors (subject to instructor’s approval):

- **POL7042** Cosmopolitanism (4 credits)
- **POL7060** Proseminar in Comparative Politics (4 credits)
- **POL7068** Identity Politics in Comparative Perspective (4 credits)
- **POL7069** Democracy and development (4 credits)
- **POL7080** Proseminar in International Relations Theory (4 credits)
- **POL7081** Field Seminar in Security Studies (4 credits)
- **POL7082** Proseminar in International Security (4 credits)
- **POL7083** Pro-Seminar in International Political Economy (4 credits)
- **POL7084** Contemporary International Law (4 credits)
- **POL7091** Critical Perspectives on War, Peace, and Security (4 credits)
- **POL8060** Research Seminar in Comparative Politics (4 credits)
- **POL8080** Research Seminar in International Relations (4 credits)