

POLITICAL SCIENCE MAJOR: AMERICAN POLITICS CONCENTRATION (BS PROGRAM)

Declaration of Major | 2014-2015 Catalog



EDGEWOOD COLLEGE

Name: _____ ID: _____

Major Advisor Approval: _____ Date: _____

Department Chair Approval: _____ Date: _____

Intended Graduation Month: January August May Intended Graduation Year: _____

THIS FORM IS TO ADD/DECLARE A MAJOR. IF YOU WISH TO DROP/REMOVE A PREVIOUSLY DECLARED MAJOR, YOU MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE MAJOR DECLARATION DROP FORM. THIS FORM IS AVAILABLE AT REGISTRAR.EDGEWOOD.EDU.

Forty-one to fifty credits, to include:

The Social Science Interdisciplinary Sequence (12 credits):

- SS 368 U Social Science Research Methods
- SS 369 Social Science Statistics
- SS 484 3KX Senior Social Science Seminar

Required courses:

- PS 262 J Introduction to the American Political Process
- PS 275 GJ Introduction to Comparative Politics
- PS 301 Political Ideas
- SS 371 2 Society in Action (3 credits)
OR
- SS 372 Field Experience 1-4 credit

Any 12 credits from the following:

- PS 342 American Foreign Policy
- PS 343 Constitutional Politics
- PS 350 Public Policy Process
- PS 351 Selected Issues in Public Policy
- PS 352 EJ Environmental Politics
- PS 353 Politics of Sprawl: Land Use & Transportation Policy
- PS 360 J Political Parties and Interest Groups
- PS 361 J The President and Executive Branch
- PS 362 J Congress and Legislative Politics
- PS 364 State and Local Politics
- PS 460 J Media and Politics
- PS 480 Seminar in Political Science

Four additional credits of any political science electives:

Transfer credit applied (including AP/CLEP/etc):

Course/Institution:

Policies:

Students majoring in the Social Science Department must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 in courses in their respective major.

If a student receives more than one grade below CD in major courses, he/she must repeat one of these courses (or an approved equivalent) and receive a grade of CD or above in order to successfully complete the major.

Courses required for the majors may not be taken Pass/Fail.

Twelve credits of the major must be earned at Edgewood College: at least four of those credits must be in the major discipline.

Majors should consult with their advisor about appropriate courses to fulfill their Math (M) and Information and Technological Literacy (I) requirements.