

# AMERICAN POLITICS AND POLICY - MINOR

## Overview

The Minor in American Policy and Politics provides students with opportunities to examine the structures, processes and institutions of the United States government, critically assessing public policies, political behavior and the intersection of power dynamics in American society.

## Program Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
POLS 206	American National Government	3
POLS 209	Introduction to Political Science Research <sup>1</sup>	3
POLS 233	Politics and Policy in the United States	3
Select two of the following:		6
COMM 302/JOUR 302	The Mass Media and Politics	
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POLS 304	Latino Politics in the United States	
POLS 314	Interest Groups	
POLS 315	Political Parties	
POLS 316	Urban Politics	
POLS 319	The American Presidency	
POLS 320	Race and Politics in the United States	
POLS 340/PSAA 340	Public Administration	
POLS 342	Politics and Bureaucracy	
POLS 355	United States Constitutional Development	
POLS 359	American Political Thought	
POLS 375	Campaigns and Elections	
POLS 413	American Foreign Policy	
POLS 435	Voting Behavior	
POLS 447	National Security Policy	
POLS 475	Government and the Economy	
<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

<sup>1</sup> Must be taken before or as a co-requisite with 300- or 400-level courses.

Must make a grade of C or better in all courses.

A minimum of 6 hours at 300- to 400-level.