

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BA DEGREE WITH A MAJOR IN:
International & Comparative Politics
 August 2017

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Category		# Credits	Specific Courses Required	Other
FirstBridge		8	Course offerings vary by semester.	Freshmen must take during their first semester.
Speaking the World	English	Up to 8	EN1010: College Writing EN2020: Writing & Criticism	Minimum grade of "C" required in each course. Placement above EN1010 or EN1020 or transfer from English-speaking university is possible.
	French	Up to 8	FR1100: Elementary French & Culture I FR1200: Elementary French & Culture II	Minimum grade of "C" required in each course. Placement above FR1100 or FR1200 is possible
Comparing Worlds		4	Courses coded GE100,GE115	Must simply pass course. Transfer is possible.
Mapping the World		4	Courses coded GE110,GE115	Must simply pass course. Transfer is possible.
Comparing Worlds OR Mapping the World		4	Courses coded GE100, GE110, GE115	Must simply pass course. Transfer is possible.
Modeling the World	Math	4	Any course coded GE120	Must simply pass course. Placement above or transfer is possible.
	Science	4	Any course coded GE130	Must simply pass course. Transfer is possible.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS – 48 credits (Minimum grade of "C-" required in each course.)

Course Number	Course Name (<i>prerequisites</i>)
PO1011	Foundations of Modern Politics
PO/PL2003	Political Philosophy
PO2015	Comparative Politics
PO2031	World Politics
PO2050	Political Analysis
PO3051	Global Political Economy (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/HI3054	20 th Century Diplomatic History (<i>sophomore standing</i>)
PO/LW3061	International Law (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO4090	Senior Seminar (<i>senior standing</i>)
Tracks are guidelines. Students select three related courses from one or two tracks, or any three courses in consultation with an ICP advisor.	
<i>World Politics</i>	
PO2012	Introduction to Political Geography & Geopolitics
PO3091 or PO4091	Topics, if appropriate (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/PL3021	Thinking the World: Cosmopolitanism & its Critics (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO2032	International Institutions
PO3033	International Politics of the Environment (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3035	Waters of the Globe (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3043	European Security: NATO, the EU Russia (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/HI3046	American Foreign Policy (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3052	Global Hotspots & Conflict Resolution (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/HI3060	War & Peace (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/CM3071	Representing International Politics (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3072	Politics of the Middle East (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/PL3076	Kant & Hegel & Beyond (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3078	War on Terrorism & Origins of Violence (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
<i>Development & Human Rights Track</i>	
PO/GS2005	The Political Economy of Developing Countries
PO3091 or PO4091	Topics, if appropriate (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3006	Politics of Latin America (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3022	Politics in Africa (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/GS3024	Politics of Human Rights (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3027	Politics in China (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3029	International Relations in Asia (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)

PO3033	International Politics of the Environment (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3035	Waters of the Globe (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
EC/PL/ PO3037	Multi-Disciplinary Perspectives on Political Economy (<i>EC2010 + PO1011 + PO2003</i>)
PO/LW3041	International Human Rights Law (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3052	Global Hotspots & Conflict Resolution (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3055	Politics in Russia & China (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3064	Scramble for African Oil (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3069	Democracy & Social Change (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/CM3071	Representing International Politics (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3072	Politics of the Middle East (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/LW4010	International Criminal Rights Law (<i>junior standing</i>)
<i>European & US Politics Track</i>	
PO2010	European Politics
PO3091 or PO4091	Topics, if appropriate (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3016	Ideas of Europe (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3026	The Politics of European Integration (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3031	Regulating Finance (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3034	Comparative Public Policy (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3043	European Security: NATO, the EU & Russia (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3045	Politics in Russia (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/HI3046	American Foreign Policy (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO/LW3050	European Union Law (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3053	Politics in France (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3057	Politics in Central & Eastern Europe (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)
PO3066	Billionaireswatch.org
PO3069	Democracy & Social Change (<i>PO1011 or junior standing</i>)

FREE ELECTIVES

Any courses desired – must complete a total of 128 credit hours to graduate.

HONORS

Departmental Honors are determined by the student's grade point average within the ICP major, according to ICP Departmental specifications.