

Politics and Society Major – Law and Justice Option (Bachelor of Arts)

44 credits for major/128 credits for degree

Requirements for students entering 2017-2018

NAME: _____

ADVISOR: _____

Discovery Foundation Courses				
Description	Course	Source	Credits/Grade	Notes
First Year Writing (WS)	ENGL 401			Must be taken within first 32 credits
Quantitative Reasoning (QR)				Must be taken within first 32 credits
Inquiry Requirement (IQR)				Must be INQ 444 or INQ Attribute Must be taken within first 25 credits
Discovery Courses				
Description	Course	Source	Credits/Grade	Notes
Biological Science (BS)				One of the two sciences (BS or PS) must include a lab
Physical Science (PS)				One of the two sciences (BS or PS) must include a lab
Environment, Technology & Society (ETS)				
Historical Perspectives (HP)				
World Culture (WC)				
Fine & Performing Arts (FPA)				
Social Science (SS)				
Humanities (HUMA)				
Writing Intensive Requirements				
Description	Course	Source	Credits/Grade	Notes
ENGL 401: First Year Writing	ENGL 401			All undergraduates are required to complete 4 writing intensive (WI) courses, which must include ENGL 401 and three additional WI courses. All students must have a total of 4 WI courses!
WI course in major				
600/700 WI course				
Other WI course				
Foreign Language Requirement (see full policy on page 2)				
Description	Course	Source	Credits/Grade	Notes
Full year of elementary language OR One semester of an intermediate level language				Intermediate level language courses also fulfill the World Culture Discovery requirement. Language courses may not be taken pass/fail.

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Required Courses (24 credits)					
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Select one of the following:					
POLT 401: Politics and Society					
PHIL 436: Social and Political Philosophy					
POLT 402: American Politics and Government					
POLT 403: United States in World Affairs					
POLT 595: Smart Politics (WI)					
PS 407: Politics, Law and Contemporary Society					
PS 701: Senior Project and Interdisciplinary Seminar in Politics and Society (WI)					
Law and Justice (12 credits)					
Description		Course	Source	Credits/Grade	Notes
Select 3 of the following courses:					* May substitute HUMA 730: Special Studies (Great Trials)
HIST 600: Explorations (Great Trials)*	PS 501: Social and Political-Economic Theory				
HIST 679: Rights Revolution	PS 503: Political Theory and Historical and Social Context (WI)				
POLT 500: American Public Policy	PS 506: Civil Society and Public Policy				
POLT 507: Politics of Crime and Justice	PS 507: Justice Law and Politics				
POLT 513: Civil Rights and Liberties	PS 508: Supreme Court in US Society				
POLT 520: Politics, Justice and Morality	PS 512: People on the Move: Immigration and Refugee Policy in Global Perspective				
POLT 521: Rights and the Political Community	PS 515: NH Politics in Action				
POLT 701: Courts and Public Policy (WI)	PS 651: Selected Topics Politics and Society				
Politics and Society Electives (8 credits)					
Course		Source	Credits/Grade	Notes	
				Any POLT or PS courses	

Program Notes:

- All students must have at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA and major GPA.
- Senior Residency: students must complete their last 32 credits of the degree at UNH.
- Students may take any undergraduate courses as electives in order to earn a minimum of 128 credits.
- Courses applied to the major must be completed with a minimum grade of C-.
- Transfer students must take at least 28 credits in the major at UNH.
- Up to three courses may be used towards both the major and Discovery program.

Foreign Language Policy:

- Students who completed 2 or more years of a foreign language in high school cannot take the elementary level courses. If 5 or more years have elapsed since last taking the language, you may be able to take elementary level courses. Contact Academic Counseling for more information.
- Students interested in intermediate foreign language must take a placement test. Contact Academic Counseling for more information.