

CLAS C&C

Chair: Pamela Bedore

Minutes—FINAL

4.6.2021, e-approved 4.9.2021.

**A. Chair Approvals**

2021-104	EEB 3895	Add Special Topic: Mammalogy
2021-105	HEJS 5397	Add Special Topic: Contemporary German Jewish Literature and Human Rights
2021-106	MCB 3895	Add Special Topic: Cell Biology and Genetics of Aging
2021-107	MCB 5895	Add Special Topic: Horizontal Gene Transfer, from mechanisms to outcomes

**B. Approved Proposals**

2021-108	DMD 3830/DRAM 3134/ENGL 3707	Revise Course (guest: Daniela Weiser)
2021-109	POLS 3606	Revise Course (guest: Paul Herrnson)
2021-112	EEB 5872	Add Course (guest: Mark Urban)
2021-113	EEB 5882	Add Course (G) (S) (guest: Mark Urban)
2021-114	URBN 1400	Add Course (G) (S) (guest: Phil Birge-Liberman)
2021-116	MATH	Revise Minor
2021-117	EEB 3244W	Revise Course (G) (S)
2021-118	GEOG 4000W	Revise course (G) (S)
2021-119	HRTS	Revise Minor
2021-120	HRTS	Revise Major
2021-110	MARN 4052	Add Course
2021-111	MARN 5052	Add Course
2021-121	MARN 5995	Drop Course
2021-122	POLS	Revise Major
2021-123	POLS	Revise Minor
2021-124	PP 5359	Add Course
2021-125	PP 5374	Add Course
2021-126	PP	Revise Minor
2021-128	WGSS 3269W	Add Course (G) (S)
2021-129	WGSS 1193	Revise Course (S)
2021-130	WGSS 3993	Revise Course
2021-131	Neuroscience	Revise Minor

**C. Tabled Proposals**

2021-115	URBN 3400E	Add Course (G) (S) (guest: Phil Birge-Liberman) <i>Tabled pending consultation about overlap with GEOG.</i>
2021-127	SOCI 2260	Add Course (S) <i>Tabled with invitation to proposer to join next meeting.</i>

**D. Announcements and Reminders**

- Only one CLAS C&C meeting left: 4.27.2021
- Updates on CLAS C&C Chair search

**2021-108      DMD 3830/DRAM 3134/ENGL 3707 Revise Course (guest: Daniela Weiser)**

*Current Copy:*

DRAM 3145. Film Writing  
(also offered as: ENGL 3707)

3 credits.

Prerequisites: Open to juniors or higher; instructor consent required.

Grading basis: Graded

Theoretical and practical work in the content and form of the fiction scenario.

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DRAM 3145. Film Writing  
(also offered as: **DMD 3830**, ENGL 3707)

3.00 credits.

Prerequisites: Open to juniors or higher, others with instructor consent.

Grading Basis: Graded

Theoretical and practical work in the content and form of the fiction scenario.

**2021-109      POLS 3606                      Revise Course (guest: Paul Herrnson)**

*Current Copy:*

POLS 3606. The Politics of Election Administration

3.0 credits

Prerequisites: POLS 1602

Grading Basis: Graded

An analysis of the politics of election administration. Topics include: the roles of state and local governments; the participation of candidates, political parties, and voters; convenience-voting options, new technologies, voter turnout, and voter errors; redistricting; voter suppression and voter fraud; and prospects for reform.

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POLS 3606. **How to Fix an Election?: The Politics of Election Administration in the United States**

3.0 credits

Prerequisites: POLS 1602

Grading Basis: Graded

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**2021-112      EEB 5872                      Add Course (guest: Mark Urban)**

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EEB 5872. Environmental Risk Assessment.

Three credits.

Prerequisite: Open to students in the Team-TERRA program; others with consent.

Grading Basis: Graded

An overview of understanding risks to ecosystems and ecosystem services across landscape scales, including how to predict and manage risks to food, energy, water, and ecosystems in the face of global change. Topics include working with stakeholders, identifying risks and objectives, quantifying risks, creating alternative mitigation strategies, and communicating them with stakeholders and the public.

*Vote: 21 yay, 1 nay, 0 abstentions*

**2021-113      EEB 5882                      Add Course (guest: Mark Urban)**

*Approved Copy:*

EEB 5882. Environmental Risk Practicum.

3 credits each for two semesters.

Prerequisite or Corequisite: EEB 5872; others with consent.

Grading Basis: S/U

Provides an opportunity for students to work together in diverse, interdisciplinary teams to conduct risk assessments for local partners. Student teams apply skills in stakeholder engagement and risk analysis, management, and communication from the Environmental Risk Assessment course to solve real-life problems through a service-learning component.

*Vote: 21 yay, 1 nay, 0 abstentions*

**2021-114      URBN 1400/W                      Add Course (G) (S) (guest: Phil Birge-Liberman)**

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URBN 1400. Site and Sound: Understanding Cities Through Popular Music

3 credits

Prerequisites: None  
Grading Basis: Graded

Examination of urban issues and trends like race, gender, class, sexuality, place attachment, politics, economics, environmentalism, and social activism by interpreting the lyrics and videos of popular music. CA2. CA4.

URBN 1400W. Site and Sound: Understanding Cities Through Popular Music  
3 credits

Prerequisites: ENGL 1007 or 1010 or 1011 or 2011  
Grading Basis: Graded

**2021-116      MATH                                      Revise Minor**

*Current Copy:*

The requirements for this minor are 15 or more credits following one of three tracks:

- **Track 1.** Five courses chosen from List A; or
- **Track 2.** Five courses chosen from Lists A and B with at least two courses coming from List B. Note that all the courses in List B (except for [MATH 2710](#) or [2142](#)) have a prerequisite of a grade of “C” (2.0) or better in [MATH 2710](#) (or [2142](#)); or
- **Track 3.** [MATH 2141Q](#), [2142Q](#), [2143Q](#) and [2144Q](#).

**List A**

[MATH](#)  
[2110Q](#) (or [2130Q](#) or [2143Q](#)), [2210Q](#), [2410Q](#) (or [2420Q](#)), [3146](#), [3160](#) (or [3165](#)), [3170](#) (or [STAT 3965](#)), [3265](#), [3410](#), [3435](#), [3510](#), [3511](#), [3710](#); certain sections of [MATH 3094](#), [3795](#) and [3799](#) approved by the Department Head.

**List B**

[MATH](#)  
[2710](#) (or [2142](#)), [3150](#) (or [4110](#)), [3151](#), [3210](#), [3230](#) (or [4210](#)), [3231](#), [3240](#), [3250](#), [3260](#), [3330](#) (or [4310](#)), [3370](#).

The minor is offered by the [Mathematics Department](#)

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The requirements for this minor are 15 or more credits in one of the following two tracks:

**Track A:**

- MATH 2110Q and MATH 2210Q;
- One course from MATH 2410Q, MATH 2620, or MATH 2710; and
- At least two distinct MATH courses at the 3000-level or above. Each of these courses must be for three or more credits.

**Track B:**

- The advanced calculus sequence: [MATH 2141Q](#), [2142Q](#), [2143Q](#) and [2144Q](#).

The minor is offered by the [Mathematics Department](#).

**2021-117      EEB 3244W                  Revise Course (G) (S)**

*Current Copy:*

EEB 3244W. Writing in Ecology

2.00 credits

Prerequisites: ENGL 1007 or 1010 or 1011 or 2011; EEB 2208E or 2244E or 2244WE, or permission of the instructor.

Grading Basis: Graded

Critical engagement with primary research literature in ecology through written communication; skills in editing, revising and peer feedback.

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EEB 3244W. Writing in Ecology

3.00 credits

Prerequisites: ENGL 1007 or 1010 or 1011 or 2011; EEB 2208E or 2244E or permission of the instructor.

Grading Basis: Graded

Critical engagement with primary research literature in ecology through written communication; skills in editing, revising, and peer feedback.

**2021-118      GEOG 4000W                  Revise course (G) (S)**

*Current Copy:*

GEOG 4000W. Capstone Seminar in Geography

3.00 credits

Prerequisites: ENGL 1007 or 1010 or 1011 or 2011; open to junior or higher Geography majors, others by instructor consent.

Prerequisite or corequisite: one Geography course at the 3000 level or higher.

Grading Basis: Graded

Techniques for, and practice in, research, writing, citation, and data presentation in geography.

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GEOG 4000W. Capstone Seminar in Geography

3.00 credits

Prerequisites: ENGL 1007 or 1010 or 1011 or 2011; open to junior or higher Geography or **Geographic Information Science** majors, others by instructor consent.

Prerequisite or corequisite: one Geography course at the 3000 level or higher.

Grading Basis: Graded

Techniques for, and practice in, research, writing, citation, and data presentation in geography **and geographic information science**.

**2021-119      HRTS                      Revise Minor**

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This minor provides interdisciplinary instruction in theoretical, comparative, and historical perspectives on human rights through classroom courses, and valuable practical experience in the human rights field through a supervised internship. Fifteen credits at the 2000-level or above are required; at least three credits from Group A (Institutions and Laws or History, Philosophy, and Theory) and three credits from Group B (Applications and Methods); no more than six credits from Group C (Electives); and three credits from Group D (Internship). No more than six credits taken in any one department may be applied to this minor.

Group A

*A. Institutions and Laws*

[ANTH/HRTS 3230/W](#); [HIST/HRTS 3202](#); [HRTS 3050](#), [3055](#), [3200/W](#), [HRTS/POLS 3212](#), [HRTS 3420](#), [3428](#); [HRTS/SOCI 3831](#), [3837/W](#).

*B. History, Philosophy and Theory*

[ANTH/HRTS 3326](#); [ANTH/HRTS/LLAS 3327](#), [ECON 3128](#); [ENGL/HRTS 3631](#); [HIST/HRTS 3201](#), [3207](#), [3232](#); [HRTS/POLS 3042](#); [HRTS/PHIL 3220](#); [HRTS 3710](#).

Group B Applications and Methods

[BADM 3252](#) or [BLAW 3252/HRTS 3252](#); [BADM 3254](#) or [BLAW 3254](#) or [HRTS 3254](#); [DRAM/HRTS 3139](#); [ENGR 3257](#) or [HRTS 3257](#); [HRTS 3149/W](#), [3250/W](#), [3475](#), [3540](#); [POLS/HRTS 3256/W](#), [3430](#); [SOCI/HRTS 3835](#).

Group C Electives

Any HRTS course numbered 2000 or above; [ANTH/HRTS 3028/W](#), [3153W](#); [ANTH 3150/W](#); [ANTH/WGSS 3350](#); [ARTH/HRTS 3575](#); [DRAM/HEJS/HRTS 2203](#); [ECON 2445/HRTS/WGSS 3445](#); [ECON 2126](#), [2127](#), [3473/W](#); [EDCI 2100](#), [3100](#); [ENGL/HRTS 3619](#); [ENGL 3629](#); [GEOG 3240](#); [HDFS 3251](#); [HIST/AAAS 3531](#); [HIST/WGSS 3562](#); [HIST/HRTS/AFRA 3563](#); [HIST 3100W](#), [3418](#), [3570](#); [LLAS/HRTS 3221/HIST 3575](#); [LLAS 3271/POLS 3834](#); [NRE 2600E](#); [NURS 3225](#); [PHIL/HRTS 2170W](#), [3219/W](#); [PHIL 2215/W](#), [3218](#); [POLS/HRTS 3418/W](#); [3807](#); [POLS/WGSS 3249](#); [POLS 3672/WGSS 3052](#); [POLS 3211](#), [3214](#), [3240](#), [3255](#);

[POLS/ENGR/HRTS 3209](#); [SOC/AAAS 3222/HRTS 3573](#); [SOC/HRTS 3421/W](#), [SOC/2503/W](#), [3833](#); [SOC/HRTS/AFRA 3505](#), [3825](#); [WGSS/HRTS 2263](#); [WGSS 2255](#), [3105](#), [3257](#), [3269](#).

Group D Internship

[HRTS 4291](#)

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Group A

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[ANTH/HRTS 3230/W](#); [HIST/HRTS 3202](#); [HRTS 3050](#), [3055](#), [3200/W](#), [HRTS/POLS 3212](#), [HRTS 3420](#), [3428](#); [HRTS/SOCI 3831](#), [3837/W](#).

*B. History, Philosophy and Theory*

[ANTH/HRTS 3326](#); [ANTH/HRTS/LLAS 3327](#), [ENGL/HRTS 3631](#); [HIST/HRTS 3201](#), [3207](#), [3232](#); [HRTS/POLS 3042](#); [HRTS/PHIL 3220](#); [HRTS 3710](#).

Group B Applications and Methods

[BADM 3252](#) or [BLAW 3252/HRTS 3252](#); [BADM 3254](#) or [BLAW 3254](#) or [HRTS 3254](#); [DRAM/HRTS 3139](#); [ENGR 3257](#) or [HRTS 3257](#); [HRTS 3149/W](#), [3250/W](#), [3475](#), [3540](#); [POL/HR/TS 3256/W](#), [3430](#); [SOC/HRTS 3835](#).

Group C Electives

Any HRTS course numbered 2000 or above; [ANTH/HRTS 3028/W](#), [3153W](#); [ANTH 3150/W](#); [ANTH/WGSS 3350](#); [ARTH/HRTS 3575](#); [DRAM/HEJS/HRTS 2203](#); [ECON 2445/HRTS/WGSS 3445](#); [ECON 2120](#), [3473/W](#); [EDCI 2100](#), [3100](#); [ENGL/HRTS 3619](#); [ENGL 3629](#); [GEOG 3240](#); [HDFS 3251](#); [HIST/AAAS 3531](#); [HIST/WGSS 3562](#); [HIST/HRTS/AFRA 3563](#); [HIST 3100W](#), [3418](#), [3570](#); [LLAS/HRTS 3221/HIST 3575](#); [LLAS 3271/POLS 3834](#); [NRE 2600E](#); [NURS 3225](#); [PHIL/HRTS 2170W](#), [3219/W](#); [PHIL 2215/W](#), [3218](#); [POL/HR/TS 3418/W](#); [3807](#); [POL/HR/TS 3249](#); [POL 3672/WGSS 3052](#); [POL 3211](#), [3214](#), [3240](#); [POL/ENGR/HRTS](#)

[3209](#); [SOCI/AAAS 3222/HRTS 3573](#); [SOCI/HRTS 3421/W](#), [SOCI 2503/W](#), [3833](#); [SOCI/HRTS/AFRA 3505](#), [3825](#); [WGSS/HRTS 2263](#); [WGSS 2255](#), [3105](#), [3257](#), [3269](#).

Group D Internship

[HRTS 4291](#)

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**2021-120      HRTS                      Revise Major**

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To complete the Major in Human Rights, students are required to complete an additional, primary major offered in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences or an additional degree program offered in another University School or College. For students completing a double major within the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, a minimum of 48 credits without overlap is required to earn both majors and students will receive one degree appropriate to their primary major.

For students completing a dual degree, at least 30 degree credits more than the degree with the higher minimum-credit requirement must be completed (a minimum of 150 credits) and students will receive a Bachelor of Arts in Human Rights along with another degree appropriate to their second program.

It is recommended that Human Rights majors declare their primary major by the end of their third semester.

**Recommended course:** [HRTS 1007](#)



## Requirements for the Major in Human Rights

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### Core Courses

#### *A. Institutions and Laws*

[ANTH/HRTS 3230/W](#); [HIST/HRTS 3202](#); [HRTS 3050](#), [3055](#), [3200/W](#), [HRTS/POLS 3212](#), [HRTS 3420](#), [3428](#); [HRTS/SOCI 3831](#), [3837/W](#).

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#### *C. Applications and Methods*

[BADM](#) or [BLAW](#) or [HRTS 3252](#); [BADM](#) or [BLAW](#) or [HRTS 3254](#); [DRAM/HRTS 3139](#); [ENGR](#) or [HRTS 3257](#); [HRTS 3149/W](#), [3250/W](#), [3475](#), [3540](#); [POLS/HRTS 3256/W](#), [3430](#); [SOCI/HRTS 3835/W](#).

#### *D. Elective Courses*

Any [HRTS](#) course numbered 2000 or above; [ANTH/HRTS 3028/W](#), [3153W](#); [ANTH 3150/W](#); [ANTH/WGSS 3350](#); [ARTH/HRTS 3575](#); [DRAM/HEJS/HRTS 2203](#); [ECON 2126](#), [2127](#), [3473/W](#); [ECON 2445/HRTS/WGSS 3445](#); [EDCI 2100](#), [3100](#); [ENGL/HRTS 3619](#); [ENGL 3629](#); [GEOG 3240](#); [HDFS 3251](#); [HIST/AAAS 3531](#); [HIST/WGSS 3562](#); [HIST/HRTS/AFRA 3563](#); [HIST 3100W](#), [3418](#), [3570](#); [LLAS/HRTS 3221/HIST 3575](#); [LLAS 3271/POLS 3834](#); [NRE 2600E](#); [NURS 3225](#); [PHIL/HRTS 2170W](#), [3219/W](#); [PHIL 2215/W](#), [3218](#); [POLS/HRTS 3418/W](#), [3807](#); [POLS/WGSS 3249](#); [POLS 3672/WGSS 3052](#); [POLS 3211](#), [3214](#), [3240](#), [3255](#); [POLS/ENGR/HRTS 3209](#); [SOCI/AAAS 3222/HRTS 3573](#); [SOCI/HRTS 3421/W](#); [SOCI 2503/W](#), [3833](#); [SOCI/HRTS/AFRA 3505](#), [3825](#); [WGSS/HRTS 2263](#); [WGSS 2255](#), [3105](#), [3257](#), [3269](#).

#### *E. Related Courses*

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#### *F. Capstone Course (Three credits)*

[HRTS 4291](#) or [HRTS 4996/W](#).

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## Core Courses

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### *B. History, Philosophy and Theory*

[ANTH/HRTS 3326](#); [ANTH/HRTS/LLAS 3327](#); [ENGL/HRTS 3631](#); [HIST/HRTS 3201, 3207, 3232](#); [HRTS/POLS 3042](#); [HRTS/PHIL 3220/W](#); [HRTS 3710](#).

### *C. Applications and Methods*

[BADM](#) or [BLAW](#) or [HRTS 3252](#); [BADM](#) or [BLAW](#) or [HRTS 3254](#); [DRAM/HRTS 3139](#); [ENGR](#) or [HRTS 3257](#); [HRTS 3149/W, 3250/W, 3475, 3540](#); [POLS/HRTS 3256/W, 3430](#); [SOCI/HRTS 3835/W](#).

### *D. Elective Courses*

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[HRTS 4291](#) or [HRTS 4996/W](#).

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**2021-110      MARN 4052      Add Course**

*Approved Copy:*

MARN 4052. Paleoceanography

3 credits

Prerequisites: CHEM 1126Q or CHEM 1128Q and PHYS 1202Q or 1402Q

Grading Basis: Graded

Exploration of how the geologic record, geochemical proxies and model simulations can be used to understand climate change at centennial and longer timescales, with an emphasis on oceanographic processes. Topics include global overturning circulation, carbon cycle dynamics, and feedback mechanisms that govern long-term climate variability.

**2021-111      MARN 5052      Add Course**

*Approved Copy:*

MARN 5052. Paleoceanography

3 credits

Prerequisite: Not open for credit to students who have passed MARN 4052.

Grading Basis: Graded

Exploration of how the geologic record, geochemical proxies and model simulations can be used to understand climate change at centennial and longer timescales, with an emphasis on oceanographic processes. Topics include global overturning circulation, carbon cycle dynamics, and feedback mechanisms that govern long-term climate variability.

**2021-121      MARN 5995      Drop Course**

**2021-122      POLS      Revise Major**

*Current Copy:*

Political Science serves students whose primary interest is in some phase of public affairs (law, politics, government service) or international relations (foreign service), in gaining a better understanding of the entire field of governmental organization and functions.

**Major Courses**

- A. A minimum of nine credits in Political Science 1000-level courses from the following subdivisions: Theory and Methodology ([POLS 1002](#)), Comparative Politics ([POLS 1202](#) or [1207](#)), International Relations ([POLS 1402](#)), and American Politics ([POLS 1602](#)). It is recommended that these courses be taken during the first two years of study.
- B. A minimum of 24 credits in Political Science numbered 2000 or higher (none on a pass-fail basis):

1. At least one course in four of the following six subdivisions (total of 12 credits):
  - **Theory and Methodology:** [POLS 2023](#), [2062](#), [2072Q](#), [2073Q](#), [3002](#), [3012](#), [3017](#), [3019](#), [3022W](#), [3030](#), [3032](#), [3042](#), [3062](#), [3072](#), [3082](#), [3672](#)
  - **Comparative Politics:** [POLS 2222](#), [3202](#), [3203](#), [3205](#), [3206](#), [3208](#), [3209](#), [3211](#), [3212](#), [3214](#), [3216](#), [3228](#), [3235](#), [3237](#), [3239](#), [3240](#), [3245](#), [3249](#), [3250](#), [3252](#), [3255](#), [3256](#)
  - **International Relations:** [POLS 3247](#), [3402](#), [3406](#), [3410](#), [3412](#), [3414](#), [3418](#), [3422](#), [3428](#), [3429](#), [3430](#), [3432](#), [3434](#), [3437](#), [3438W](#), [3442](#), [3447](#), [3457](#), [3462](#), [3464](#), [3472](#), [3476](#), [3710](#)
  - **American Politics:** [POLS 2607](#), [2622](#), [3600](#), [3601](#), [3602](#), [3603WQ](#), [3604](#), [3606](#), [3608](#), [3610](#), [3612](#), [3613](#), [3615](#), [3617](#), [3618](#), [3622](#), [3625](#), [3627](#), [3632](#), [3642](#), [3647](#), [3652](#), [3662](#), [3667](#), [3720](#), [3850](#)
  - **Public Administration, Policy and Law:** [POLS 2062](#), [3802](#), [3807](#), [3812](#), [3817](#), [3822](#), [3827](#), [3832](#), [3834](#), [3837](#), [3842](#), [3847](#), [3857](#)
  - **Race, Gender, and Ethnic Politics:** [POLS 3019](#), [3030](#), [3082](#), [3210](#), [3216](#), [3218](#), [3247](#), [3249](#), [3252](#), [3418](#), [3464](#), [3632](#), [3633](#), [3642](#), [3647](#), [3652](#), [3662](#), [3667](#), [3672](#), [3807](#), [3834](#), [3837](#)
2. Other 2000 level (or higher) Political Science courses totaling a minimum of 12 credits.
3. Students must take at least one 3 credit W course within the major. Advanced information literary exit requirements are incorporated into all W courses in the major, and students who successfully complete political science W courses will have met this requirement.

### *Notes*

A W or Q may be substituted for the same numbered course. Cross-listed courses may only be counted once. All [POLS 2998](#) courses apply to the major and may count towards the subdivision requirement. The subdivisions assigned to these courses can be found at [polisci.uconn.edu](http://polisci.uconn.edu). [POLS 3995](#) courses may be counted towards part one only with the consent of the advisor. [POLS 2993](#), [3023](#), [3426](#), [3991](#), [3993](#), [3999](#), [4994](#), and [4997W](#) may not be counted towards part one. Interdepartmental (INTD and UNIV) courses may not be included in the 24 credits. No more than six credits of independent study and/or field work (of which no more than three credits may be for [POLS 3991](#)) can be counted toward the 24 credits.

### *Related Courses*

At least 12 credits in courses related to Political Science taken from one or more other departments. These courses must be numbered 2000 or higher and cannot be taken on a pass-fail basis. All 2000-level (or higher) courses in Anthropology, Economics, Geography, History, Human Rights, Philosophy, Public Policy and Sociology will meet this requirement. Any course within these departments that is cross-listed with POLS will count towards the major and not as a related. Certain other courses have been approved and are listed on [polisci.uconn.edu](http://polisci.uconn.edu). Courses not in the departments listed above or included on the pre-approved list may be approved as related courses at the discretion of the advisor.

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Political Science serves students whose primary interest is in some phase of public affairs (law, politics, government service) or international relations (foreign service), in gaining a better understanding of the entire field of governmental organization and functions.

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    - **Comparative Politics:** [POLS 2222](#), [3202](#), [3203](#), [3205](#), [3206](#), [3208](#), [3209](#), [3211](#), [3212](#), [3214](#), [3216](#), [3228](#), [3235](#), [3237](#), [3239](#), [3240](#), [3245](#), [3249](#), [3250](#), [3252](#), [3255](#), [3256](#)
    - **International Relations:** [POLS 2450](#), [3040](#), [3247](#), [3402](#), [3406](#), [3410](#), [3412](#), [3413](#), [3414](#), [3418](#), [3422](#), [3428](#), [3429](#), [3430](#), [3432](#), [3434](#), [3437](#), [3438W](#), [3442](#), [3447](#), [3457](#), [3462](#), [3464](#), [3472](#), [3476](#), [3710](#)
    - **American Politics:** [POLS 2602](#), [2607](#), [2622](#), [3600](#), [3601](#), [3602](#), [3603WQ](#), [3604](#), [3606](#), [3608](#), [3610](#), [3612](#), [3613](#), [3615](#), [3617](#), [3618](#), [3622](#), [3625](#), [3627](#), [3632](#), [3642](#), [3647](#), [3652](#), [3662](#), [3667](#), [3720](#), [3850](#)
    - **Public Administration, Policy and Law:** [POLS 2062](#), [3802](#), [3807](#), [3812](#), [3817](#), [3822](#), [3827](#), [3832](#), [3834](#), [3837](#), [3842](#), [3847](#), [3857](#)
    - **Race, Gender, and Ethnic Politics:** [POLS 2602](#), [3019](#), [3030](#), [3082](#), [3210](#), [3216](#), [3218](#), [3247](#), [3249](#), [3252](#), [3418](#), [3464](#), [3632](#), [3633](#), [3642](#), [3647](#), [3652](#), [3662](#), [3667](#), [3672](#), [3807](#), [3834](#), [3837](#)
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## **2021-123      POLS                      Revise Minor**

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Students must complete an introductory 1000-level course selected from among [POLS 1002](#), [1202](#), [1207](#), [1402](#), or [1602](#). At least one additional 1000-level course is recommended. Students must complete at least 15 credits of course work at the 2000's level or higher. [POLS 2998](#) courses apply to the minor and may count towards this subdivision requirement. The subdivisions assigned to these courses can be found at [www.polisci.uconn.edu](#). [POLS 3995](#) courses may be counted toward this distribution only with consent of the advisor. A W or Q course may be substituted for the same numbered course.

Of the 15 credits for the minor, nine credits (three courses) must be taken from three of the six disciplinary subdivisions as they appear below. Cross-listed courses may count only once towards this subdivision requirement.

### ***I. Theory and Methodology***

[POLS 2023](#), [2062](#), [2072Q](#), [2073Q](#), [3002](#), [3012](#), [3017](#), [3019](#), [3022W](#), [3030](#), [3032](#), [3042](#), [3062](#), [3072](#), [3082](#), [3672](#)

### ***II. Comparative Politics***

[POLS 2222](#), [3202](#), [3203](#), [3205](#), [3206](#), [3208](#), [3209](#), [3211](#), [3212](#), [3214](#), [3216](#), [3228](#), [3235](#), [3237](#), [3239](#), [3240](#), [3245](#), [3249](#), [3250](#), [3252](#), [3255](#), [3256](#)

### ***III. International Relations***

#### **POLS**

[3247](#), [3402](#), [3406](#), [3410](#), [3412](#), [3414](#), [3418](#), [3422](#), [3428](#), [3429](#), [3430](#), [3432](#), [3434](#), [3437](#), [3438W](#), [3442](#), [3447](#), [3457](#), [3462](#), [3464](#), [3472](#), [3476](#), [3710](#)

### ***IV. American Politics***

#### **POLS**

[2607](#), [2622](#), [3600](#), [3601](#), [3602](#), [3603WQ](#), [3604](#), [3606](#), [3608](#), [3610](#), [3612](#), [3613](#), [3615](#), [3617](#), [3618](#), [3622](#), [3625](#), [3627](#), [3632](#), [3642](#), [3647](#), [3652](#), [3662](#), [3667](#), [3720](#), [3850](#)

### ***V. Public Administration, Policy and Law***

[POLS 2062](#), [3802](#), [3807](#), [3812](#), [3817](#), [3822](#), [3827](#), [3832](#), [3834](#), [3837](#), [3842](#), [3847](#), [3857](#)

### ***VI. Race, Gender, and Ethnic Politics***

#### **POLS**

[3019](#), [3030](#), [3082](#), [3210](#), [3216](#), [3218](#), [3247](#), [3249](#), [3252](#), [3418](#), [3464](#), [3632](#), [3633](#), [3642](#), [3647](#), [3652](#), [3662](#), [3667](#), [3672](#), [3807](#), [3834](#), [3837](#)

The minor is offered by the [Political Science Department](#).

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[POLS 2023](#), [2062](#), [2072Q](#), [2073Q](#), [3002](#), [3012](#), [3017](#), [3019](#), [3022W](#), [3030](#), [3032](#), [3042](#), [3062](#), [3072](#), [3082](#), [3672](#)

#### ***II. Comparative Politics***

#### **POLS**

[2222](#), [3202](#), [3203](#), [3205](#), [3206](#), [3208](#), [3209](#), [3211](#), [3212](#), [3214](#), [3216](#), [3228](#), [3235](#), [3237](#), [3239](#), [3240](#), [3245](#), [3249](#), [3250](#), [3252](#), [3255](#), [3256](#)



### **III. International Relations**

POLS 2450, 3040 3247, 3402, 3406, 3410, 3412, 3413, 3414, 3418, 3422, 3428, 3429, 3430, 3432, 3434, 3437, 3438W, 3442, 3447, 3457, 3462, 3464, 3472, 3476, 3710

### **IV. American Politics**

POLS 2602, 2607, 2622, 3600, 3601, 3602, 3603WQ, 3604, 3606, 3608, 3610, 3612, 3613, 3615, 3617, 3618, 3622, 3625, 3627, 3632, 3642, 3647, 3652, 3662, 3667, 3720, 3850

### **V. Public Administration, Policy and Law**

POLS 2062, 3802, 3807, 3812, 3817, 3822, 3827, 3832, 3834, 3837, 3842, 3847, 3857

### **VI. Race, Gender, and Ethnic Politics**

POLS 2602, 3019, 3030, 3082, 3210, 3216, 3218, 3247, 3249, 3252, 3418, 3464, 3632, 3633, 3642, 3647, 3652, 3662, 3667, 3672, 3807, 3834, 3837

The minor is offered by the [Political Science Department](#).

**2021-124      PP 5359                      Add Course**

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PP 5359 Crisis Management

3.00 credits

Prerequisites: Not open for credit to students who have passed PP 5397 when offered as “Crisis Management.”

Recommended preparation: PP 5361.

Grading Basis: Graded

Overview of types and characteristics of crises, their impacts and challenges, and strategies for managing them. Topics include emergency management policy and doctrine, incident management systems, individual preparedness, and community resilience.

**2021-125      PP 5374                      Add Course**

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PP 5374. Topics in Financial Management

3 credits.

Prerequisites: None. Not open for credit to students who have passed PP 5397 when offered as “Topics in Governmental Financial Management.”

Grading Basis: Graded

Synthesizes the lessons in public sector financial management as they apply to the professional practice of the chief financial officer. Combines research literature, expert testimony, professional association position papers, cases, documentaries and discussion in order to expose students to the subject matter and the decision demands of leaders in this field.

**2021-126      PP                              Revise Minor**

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This minor provides an overview of public policy processes and the design, management, and evaluation of public policies and programs. The Minor requires either 15 credits at the 2000-level or above, or 12 credits at the 2000-level or above plus PP 1001.

Requirements

Students choose 15 credits of Public Policy courses in consultation with their academic advisors. PP 1001 is the only 1000-level course that meets the course requirement. PP/URBN 2100; ECON 2328/W, 2431, 2439, 2456, and Public Policy graduate courses can be used to meet this requirement.

Prospective students should contact Eric Brunner of Public Policy.

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Requirements

Students choose 15 credits of Public Policy undergraduate or graduate courses in consultation with their academic advisors. One course from the following list may be used to meet this requirement: PP/URBN 2100; ECON 2201, 2211Q, 2311Q, 2328W, 2431, 2439, and 2456.

Prospective students should contact Catherine Guarino, Program Director, Department of Public Policy.

**2021-128      WGSS 3269W                              Add Course (G) (S)**

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WGSS 3269W. Gender, Sexuality, and Social Movements  
3 credits

Prerequisite: ENGL 1007 or 1010 or 1011 or 2011

Recommended preparation: Any 1000 or 2000 level WGSS course

Grading Basis: Graded

Examination of social movements as related to intersections of gender, race, sexuality, disability, class, nationality, ethnicity. May include related topics such as capitalism, democracy, globalization, economic justice, the environment, health, sexual freedom.

**2021-129      WGSS 1193                  Revise Course (S)**

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WGSS 1193. Foreign Study  
1.00 - 6.00 credits | May be repeated for credit.  
Prerequisites: None.  
Grading Basis: Graded

May be repeated for credit. Consent of program director required, normally before the student's departure

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WGSS 1193. **International** Study  
1.00 - 6.00 credits | May be repeated for credit.  
Prerequisites: None.  
Grading Basis: Graded

May be repeated for credit. Consent of program director required, normally before the student's departure

**2021-130      WGSS 3993                  Revise Course**

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WGSS 3993. Foreign Study  
1.00 - 6.00 credits | May be repeated for credit.  
Prerequisites: None.  
Grading Basis: Graded

May be repeated for credit. Consent of program director required, normally before the student's departure. May count toward the major with consent of the director.

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WGSS 3993. **International** Study  
1.00 - 6.00 credits | May be repeated for credit.  
Prerequisites: None.  
Grading Basis: Graded

May be repeated for credit. Consent of program director required, normally before the student's departure. May count toward the major with consent of the director.

## **2021-131      Neuroscience                  Revise Minor**

### *Current Copy:*

Graduate courses in PSYC or PNB may be counted with permission of the neuroscience minor advisor. The additional courses should be selected in consultation with a neuroscience advisor in psychology or physiology and neurobiology and may include a lab course that was not used to fulfill the lab requirement. Up to three credits of independent study (PNB 3299; PSYC 3889, 3899; COGS 3589) may be counted towards the minor with permission of the neuroscience minor advisor, provided that the research has a strong neuroscience component. A maximum of six credits may overlap with a major or another minor.

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Graduate courses in PSYC or PNB may be counted with permission of the neuroscience minor advisor. The additional courses should be selected in consultation with a neuroscience advisor in psychology or physiology and neurobiology and may include a lab course that was not used to fulfill the lab requirement. Up to three credits of **undergraduate research or** independent study (**PNB 3296**, 3299, **4296**; PSYC 3889, 3899; COGS 3589) may be counted towards the minor with permission of the neuroscience minor advisor, provided that the research has a strong neuroscience component. A maximum of six credits may overlap with a major or another minor.

## **C.      Announcements and Reminders**

### *One Meeting Left!*

The CLAS C&C has only one meeting left in AY20/21: 4.27.2021. Please submit agenda items by Weds, 4.21.2021.

Summer planning for AY 21/22 might include looking through grad and undergrad catalogs for:

- Numbering
- Level
- Gen ed
- Up-to-date description and title
- Correct use of reserve numbers (xx80-xx99)

### *CLAS C&C Chair Search*

Applications for the CLAS C&C Chair position are closed. We are still seeking committee members to conduct the interview process. Please email Bedore if you are willing to serve.

**ATTENDANCE:**

Fumilayo Showers	AFRA
Matthew McKenzie	AMST/HIST/MAST
César Abadia	ANTH/HRTS
Rebecca Bacher	CLAS Dean's Office
Evelyn Tribble	CLAS Dean's Office
Stephen Stifano	COMM
Richard Langlois	ECON
Paul Lewis	EEB
Debs Ghosh	GEOG
Jean Crespi	GSCI
Beth Russell	HDFS
Maureen Croteau	JOUR
Sara Johnson	LCL
Jon Sprouse	LING
Anne Gebelein	LLAS
Heidi Dierssen	MARN
Guojun Gan	MATH
David Knecht	MCB
Vernon Cormier	PHYS
John Redden	PNB
Evan Perkoski	POLS
Ken Dautrich	PP
Rob Henning	PSYC
Lendra Friesen	SLHS
David Weakliem	SOCI
Victor Hugo Lachos	STAT
Ariana Codr	WGSS
<i>Guests:</i>	
Phil Birge-Liberman	URBN
Paul Herrnson	POLS
Mark Urban	EEB
Danielle Weiser	DRAM