Degree Options
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science
  General Political Science
  Global Politics
  Political Science Pre-Law

Minors
Political Science

Program Strengths
• Nationally recognized faculty have a wide range of research and teaching interests.
• Faculty members routinely lend their expertise to a broad range of local, state, and national government agencies and nongovernmental groups.
• The use of active learning approaches to instruction are used extensively, involving elaborate policy-making simulations, crisis-management simulations, and a highly accomplished Mock Trial Team.
• Our recent graduates have attended law school at Boston College, Gonzaga University, Indiana University, Northeastern University, University of Washington, American University, and University of San Francisco, and graduate school in public affairs at Texas A&M and American University. They have worked for the King County Prosecutor and the Inspector General’s Office at the U.S. Department of Justice.
• Paid and for Credit Internships in Government and NGO’s.
• Active Political Science Honors Chapter

Student Clubs
Mock Trial
Political Science
Political Science Honors Society
Pre-Law Society

Career Options
Government service  Marketing and sales
Public policy         Nonprofit
Regional planning    administration
Law                  Consultant
Campaign worker      Politics

Certification Requirements
POL S 101: American National Government
24 completed semester credits
2.0 GPA for general and global politics options
2.5 GPA for pre-law option

Suggested Classes for Freshmen
POL S 101: American National Government
POL S 102: Introduction to Comparative Politics
POL S 103: International Politics
UCORE requirements

Suggested Classes for Transfer Students
Meet with an advisor to determine which courses are needed.

Math Requirement
Any UCORE, most commonly:
  MATH 105: Exploring Mathematics
  MATH 212: Introduction to Statistical Methods
  PHIL 201: Elementary Logic

Core Courses
POL S 101: American National Government
POL S 102: Introduction to Comparative Politics
POL S 103: International Politics
POL S 201: Political Research Methods

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