## B.A. Political Science – Comparative Politics Concentration
### 2016-2017 Catalog

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How to use this program plan: Write the grade for the course that satisfies each requirement. If the student takes a course that is chosen from a list of possible courses, circle the course number taken in addition to writing the grade.

### General Education: (60 hours)

**GGC or Grade Course # & Title Transfer**

**Area A - Essential Skills: (9 hours) (“C” or better)**

- ENGL 1101 English Composition I
- ENGL 1102 English Composition II
- MATH 1001 Quantitative Skills & Reasoning or MATH 1111 College Algebra (or higher)

**Area B - Institutional Option (4 hours)**

- ITEC 1001 Introduction to Computing

**Area C - Humanities/Fine Arts (6 hours)**

- Select one from the following:
  - MUSC 1100/ARTS 1100/ENGL 2111, 2112, 2121, 2122, 2131, 2132/FILM 1005
  - Select one from the following:

**Area D – Natural Sciences, Math, Technology (11-12 hours)**

- Select one sequence from the following:
  - PSCI 1101K and PSCI1102
  - BIOL 1101K and BIOL 1102 or CHEM 1151K and CHEM 1152K
- Select one from the following:
  - ITEC 2110 Digital Media
  - ITEC 2120 Introduction to Programming

**Area E – Social Science (12 hours)**

- POLS 1101 American Government
- HIST 2111 or HIST 2112 U.S. History I & II
- Select one course:
  - HIST 2111 (if not used above)
  - HIST 2112 (if not used above)
  - HIST 1111 World History I
  - HIST1112 World History II
  - HIST 1121 Western Civ I
  - HIST1122 Western Civ II
- Select one of the following:
  - PSYC 1102/ANTH 1102/ECON2100

**Area F – Courses Related to the Program of Study (18 hours)**

**Grade of “C” or Better**

- POLS 2101 Introduction to Political Science
- POLS 2201 or POLS 2401
- POLS 2280 Research Methods
- Two social sciences not chosen in Area E
- (recommend a HIST sequence not taken in Area E)
- One semester of a foreign language

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### Additional Requirements (3 hours)

**Physical Education Requirement**

- Choices for Life (1 hour)
- Additional Physical Education (2 hours)

### Regents Requirements –

The requirements for US and Georgia History and Constitution can be satisfied by transfer credit of HIST 2111 OR 2112 and POLS 1101 from a University System of Georgia institution.

If not satisfied, the student should work with their adviser concerning the Georgia History and Georgia Government Exams or can complete the courses.

- US Constitution
- US History
- Georgia Constitution
- Georgia History

If the student is a transfer student with an intended major in Political Science, then the student can satisfy the Georgia Constitution content of POLS 1101 by taking POLS 4125 Georgia Government in their Program of Study.

**Program of Study (60 hours) Grade of “C” or Better Required Political Science Courses (18 hours)**

- POLS 3100 Comparative Politics
- POLS 3400 International Relations
- POLS 3450 Modern Political Theory
- POLS 4490 Senior Seminar

Select one from the following:

- POLS 4170 Congress
- POLS 4180 President
- POLS 4160 American Judicial Process

Select one from the following:

- POLS 4425 Political Negotiation/Conflict Res
- POLS 4990 Internship
- POLS 4989 Directed Research
- POLS 3550 Public Policy Process
- POLS 4700 Constitutional Law Power of Gov't

**Comparative Politics Electives (15 hours)**

Select 5 courses from the following:

- POLS 3200 Comparative Legal Systems
- POLS 3550 Public Policy Process
- POLS 4001 International Development
- POLS 4040 Comparative Foreign Policy
- POLS 4220 Topics in Comparative Politics
- POLS 4425 Political Negotiation/Conflict Res
- POLS 4990 Internship

**Additional Political Science/Outside Discipline Electives (15 hrs)**

Select all 3000/4000 level Political Science (POLS) courses or all 3000/4000 level courses from a non-political science discipline.

**General Electives (12 hours)**

- Any courses from the college catalog

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