

# POLITICAL SCIENCE/PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, BA/MPA

Campus: NYC, Westchester

Requirement	Credits
University Core Requirements (Undergraduate)	38-49
Major Requirements (Undergraduate)	33
Open Electives (Undergraduate)	38-49
Additional Graduate Courses for MPA	42
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>144</b>

## University Core Requirements (38-49 Credits)

See complete University Core (<https://catalog.pace.edu/undergraduate/university-core-curriculum/>) requirements.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>University Core</b>		
	Students in the Political Science major cannot use POL courses to fulfill the General Core requirement to take NSS courses. <sup>1</sup>	38-49
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>38-49</b>

<sup>1</sup> MAT 102 Mathematics for Life is the recommended course for political science majors to fulfill their fundamental math requirement.

## Major Requirements (33 Credits)

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Major Courses</b>		
Complete three of the following courses:		9
POL 101	Politics: Comparative Introduction	
POL 102	Public Myth and Ideologies	
POL 111	American Government and Political Institutions	
POL 114	Introduction to International Relations	
<b>Students must choose one course from each of the following subfields:</b>		
<i>American Politics &amp; Public Policy</i>		3
POL 118	State and Local Government	
POL 121	Democracy and the American Republic	
POL 201A	Campaign Politics	
POL 196C	Topic: Metropolis: Issues in Politics and Governments in the New York Metro Area	
POL 203C	Individual Liberties and the Bill of Rights	
POL 209	Leadership and Advocacy	
POL 220	Political Parties and Interest Groups	
POL 222	Issues in Public Policy	
POL 224	Public Opinion and Polling Methods	
POL 244	American Political Thought	
POL 245	Politics and Media	
POL 257	Latinx Politics in the United States	
POL 296R	Topic: Race and American Political Development	
POL 297M	Topics: Public Education, Policy, and Law	
POL 301G	Workshop: Presidential Leadership	
POL 301H	Workshop: Congress and Public Policy	
POL 301J	Workshop: Constitutional Law and Social Change	
POL 380A	Challenge Seminar: Democracy in America	
<i>Political Theory</i>		3
POL 196F	Special Topic: Twelve Big Ideas in Politics	

POL 208	Global Political Thought
POL 225	Global Justice
POL 241	Classical Political Thought
POL 242	Medieval Political Theory
POL 243	Modern Political Theory
POL 244	American Political Thought
POL 249	Feminist Political Theory
POL 258	Anarchism
POL 265	Politics in Literature
POL 297G	Topic: Political Consciousness - The Inward Journey Meets Transforming the World
<i>Comparative Politics / International Relations</i>	
<b>3</b>	
POL 196G	Topic: Immigration, Politics, and Justice
POL 203G	Politics Workshop: African Politics and Foreign Policy
POL 210	Comparative Political Systems
POL 212	Introduction to International Organizations
POL 213	Twenty-First Century Politics
POL 214	Revolution or Reform
POL 215	Chinese Politics
POL 219	International Political Economy and Globalization
POL 230	U.S. Foreign Relations
POL 233	Advanced International Relations
POL 247	International Law and Human Rights
POL 250	Gender and Politics
POL 270	Global Politics of Disarmament and Arms Control
POL 271	Environmental Politics
POL 272	Ocean Politics
POL 297T	Topics: Russian Foreign Policy
POL 302A	Politics Workshop: Comparative Government
POL 302J	Workshops: Sustainability and Sovereignty in the 21st Century
POL 302M	Workshop: Immigration, Race and Citizenship in the United States
POL 303A	Politics Workshop: International Organization
POL 303C	Politics Workshop: United Nations
POL 303D	Workshop: International Issues and Trouble Spots
POL 303F	Workshop: Freedom in the World
POL 303K	POL 303K Workshop: Topics in Political Science: Brazil
POL 303M	Topics: Migration Politics: From Displacement to Deportation
POL 322	Diplomacy
POL 310	Politics of Southeast Asia
POL 325	Conflict Analysis
POL 326	Reconciliation and Transitional Justice
POL 330	Politics of the Global City
POL 396A	Topic: Post-Communist Transitions in Eastern Europe and Central Asia

**Required Major Electives**

Select five POL courses at the advanced level (115 and above). All NYC students must take POL 240 as a major elective. At least one course must be completed at the 300-level. No more than 6 credits towards the major of Model UN, no more than 6 credits towards the major of internship and/or independent study for credit.<sup>1, 2, 3</sup>

**Total Credits****33**

NYC students must include POL 240 Applied Research Methods.

<sup>2</sup> No more than six credits of Model UN courses of POL 303A Politics Workshop: International Organization/POL 303C Politics Workshop: United Nations may be counted toward this major.

<sup>3</sup> No more than six credits in POL 393 Internship in Government and Politics and POL 395 Independent Study in Political Studies/Science may count toward the major.

## Open Electives (38-49 Credits)

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Open Electives</b>		<b>38-49</b>
UNV 101	First-Year Seminar: Introduction to University Community	1
Open Electives		37-48

## Public Administration MPA Courses (42 CREDITS)

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Public Administration Graduate Courses <sup>1</sup></b>		
PAA 601	Public Administration and its Environment	3
PAA 602	Organization Theory and Management	3
PAA 603	Economics of Government, Health Care and Nonprofit Entities	3
PAA 604	Budgeting and Financial Analysis	3
PAA 606	Research Design for Administrators	3
PAA 607	Applied Data Analysis	3
PAA required TRACK course <sup>2</sup>		3
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PAA graduate elective/specialization course <sup>2</sup>		3
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PAA 699	Capstone Project Seminar	3

<sup>1</sup> Students will take a minimum of 144 credits total combined for the BA and MPA degrees. Up to 18 graduate credits may be applied towards the 120 credits needed for the BA degree, while also helping to fulfill the 42 credits of requirements for the MPA program.

<sup>2</sup> For the MPA portion of the combined program, students can select between the 'Government Management,' 'Nonprofit Management' & 'Health Care Administration' tracks in the MPA, in consultation with undergraduate and graduate advisors. For eligible "elective/specialization" courses and the most up-to-date requirements for the MPA, contact the Public Administration department.