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Composite Major in History and Political Science								
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Degree Requirements for the BA Composite Major in History and Political Science

- 1. **Hours Required:** A minimum of **120** semester credit hours (SCH): 45 hours must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation" section of this catalog.
- 2. **University Core Curriculum: 42** SCH as outlined in the suggested plans and as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation."
- 3. **MATH Elective: 3** SCH selected from any math course above the level of College Algebra. MATH 1342, Introductory Statistics, strongly recommended.
- 4. **Foreign Language: 6** SCH in one language.
- 5. Social/Behavioral Science Elective: 3 SCH selected from HIST 3350/3351.
- 6. History Major: 33 SCH including HIST <u>2321</u>, <u>2322</u>, 3303, <u>3302</u>, <u>4310</u>; Non-US HIST, select 6 SCH chosen from HIST <u>3301</u>, <u>3320</u>, <u>3330</u>, <u>3342</u>, <u>3392</u>, <u>3393</u>, <u>3394</u>, <u>4302</u>, <u>4320</u>, <u>4330</u>, <u>4340</u>, or <u>4391</u>; Chronological U.S. History, select 6 SCH chosen from HIST <u>4316</u>, <u>4317</u>, <u>4318</u>, <u>4366</u>, <u>4367</u>, or <u>4368</u>; Thematic U.S. History, select 6 SCH chosen from HIST <u>3370</u>, <u>3380</u>, <u>3385</u>, <u>4364</u>, or 4390.
- 7. **Political Science Major:** 33 SCH including PSCI 3301, 3313, 3314, 4311, and 4351. American Politics, select 3 SCH from PSCI 3320 or 4320. Comparative Politics, select 3 SCH from PSCI 3305 or 3310. International Relations select 3 SCH from PSCI 4335 or 4340. Comparative/ International Politics Elective, choose 3 SCH from PSCI 3308, 3340, 4309, or 4321 (when the topic is Comparative or International); this requirement may also be filled by the "second" or unused course in the Comparative Politics or International Relations required course sequence. Political Science Electives, 6 SCH choose any two Upper Division (or higher for BA/MA students) PSCI courses not used for any other requirement.
- 8. **Geography: 3** SCH designated as GEOG <u>1303</u>.
- 9. **BA/MA Option:** See Combined BA/MA Programs in this section.

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COMPOSITE MAJOR IN HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE

Following is one suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their advisor each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment. Students are responsible for reviewing the Program of Study Requirements.

^{**}See Appendix C for approved list of minors and requirements.

FALL	тррепата	e for approved list of lillion	HOURS	SPRIN	G		HOURS
FRESHMAN YEAR				FRESHMAN YEAR			
ENGL	1301	English Composition I	3	ENGL	1302	English Composition II	3
MATH	1314	College Algebra	3	MATH		Math Elective ¹	3
HIST	1301	The U.S. to 1877	3	HIST	1302	The U.S. Since 1877	3
PSCI	2305	American National Govt	3	PSCI	2306	American State Govt	3
GEOG	1303	General World Geography	3			Visual/Performing Arts*	3
						Activity or Wellness*	1
Total			15			•	16
SOPHOMORE YEAR			SOPHO	OMORE	YEAR		
HIST	2321	World Civ. to 1648	3	HIST 23	322	World Civ. since 1648	3
ENGL		Survey of Literature*	3	COMM	[Communication ³	3
PSCI	3301	Research Methods Soc Sci	3	HIST		Chronological U.S. History ⁶	3
		Natural Science*	4			Natural Science*	4 3
		Foreign Language ²	3			Foreign Language ²	3
Total			16				16
JUNIOR YEAR			JUNIO	R YEAF			
HIST	3303	Historical Methods	3	HIST		Chronological U.S. History ⁶	3
HIST	3302	Texas History	3	HIST		Non-US History ⁷	3
PSCI	3313	Classical Pol.Philosophy	3	PSCI	3314	Modern Political Philosophy	3 3 3
PSCI		American Politics ⁴	3	PSCI		International Relations ⁸	
PSCI		Advanced PSCI Elective ⁵	3	PSCI		Advanced PSCI Elective ⁵	3
Total			15				15
SENIO	SENIOR YEAR SENIOR YEAR		R				
PSCI	4311	Constitutional Law	3				
PSCI		Comparative Politics ⁹	3	PSCI	4351	Senior Seminar in PSCI	3
PSCI		Intl/ Comp. PSCI Elective 10	3			Social/ Behavioral Science ¹²	3*
HIST		Non-US History ⁷	3	HIST	4310	Intellectual History	3
HIST		Thematic U.S. History ¹¹	3	HIST		Thematic U.S. History ¹¹	3
Total		·	15			-	12

TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 120

Note: See information on the combined BA/MA in History and Political Science.

^{*}See Appendix A Core Curriculum and Optional Course Information.

¹Math elective, select 3 SCH from any math course above the level of <u>College Algebra</u>. MATH <u>1342</u>, Introductory Statistics, strongly recommended.

² All 6 SCH must be in the same foreign language.

³Communication, select 3 SCH from ENGL <u>2311</u>, HUM <u>2301</u> or SPCH <u>1311</u>.

⁴ Upper Division American Politics, Choose between PSCI <u>3320</u> or PSCI <u>4320</u>.

⁵ Any Upper Division (or higher for BA/MA students) PSCI course not used for any other requirement.

⁶ Chronological U.S. History, select 9 SCH from HIST <u>4316</u>, <u>4317</u>, <u>4318</u>, <u>4366</u>, <u>4367</u> or <u>4368</u>.

⁷ Non-U.S. History, select 12 SCH from HIST <u>3301</u>, <u>3320</u>, <u>3330</u>, <u>3392</u>, <u>3393</u>, <u>3394</u>, <u>4302</u>, <u>4320</u>, <u>4330</u>, <u>4340</u>, <u>4341</u>, <u>4342</u>, or 4391.

⁸ Upper Division International Relations. Choose between PSCI 4335 or PSCI 4340.

⁹ Upper Division Comparative Politics. Choose between PSCI <u>3305</u> or PSCI <u>3310</u>.

¹⁰ International/ Comparative Politics Elective. Choose from PSCI <u>3308</u>, PSCI <u>3340</u>, PSCI <u>4309</u>, or PSCI <u>4321</u> (when the topic is comparative or international); this requirement may also be filled by the "second" or unused course in the Comparative Politics or International Relations required course sequence.

¹¹ Thematic U.S. History, select 6 SCH from HIST <u>3370</u>, <u>3380</u>, <u>3385</u>, <u>4364</u> or <u>4390</u>.

¹² Social/Behavioral Science elective, select 3 SCH from HIST 3350 or 3351.