Replace the MA in Political Science, Thesis Plan with the following combined MA in History and Politics, Political Science Concentration, Thesis Plan.

Justification: This change has been forced upon us by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

MASTER OF ARTS IN HISTORY and POLITICAL THOUGHT
POLITICAL SCIENCE CONCENTRATION
THESIS PLAN*

HISTORY AND POLITICAL THOUGHT CORE 6 SCH
HIST 5380 Historiography
PSCI 5370 Political and Historical Thought

CONCENTRATION – POLITICAL SCIENCE 18 SCH

Required course:
PSCI 5301 Advanced Methods of Social Research

Four (with Cognate Field Option) or Five (without Cognate Field Option)
courses chosen from:
PADM 5375 Survey of Public Administration and Public Affairs
PADM 5382 Public Policy Development and Implementation
PSCI 5303 American Political Institutions
PSCI 5308 American Political Behavior
PSCI 5309 Mexican Politics and Government
PSCI 5311 Constitutional Law
PSCI 5326 The Judicial Process
PSCI 5330 Seminar in Political Philosophy
PSCI 5340 Comparative Politics
PSCI 5345  Topics in Area Studies
PSCI 5350  Ethnic Politics
PSCI 5360  American Foreign Policy
PSCI 5368  Seminar in International Politics
PSCI 5372  Topics in International Politics
PSCI 5373  Advanced Seminar in Latin American Politics
PSCI 5385  Political Science Internship
PSCI 5390  Special Problems in Political Science
PSCI 5110-5610  Directed Research in Political Science

Optional Cognate Field: One course selected from:
HIST 5301  Problems in American History
HIST 5302  The West in American History
HIST 5305  Civil War and Reconstruction
HIST 5310  Problems in World History
HIST 5315  Seminar in Twentieth-Century U.S. History
HIST 5320  Problems in Latin American History
HIST 5324  Seminar in U.S. Women's History
HIST 5325  Seminar in Mexican History
HIST 5330  Seminar in European History
HIST 5340  Seminar in Asian History
HIST 5355  Seminar in the History of Religion
HIST 5360  Seminar in Border History

THESIS
PSCI 5398  Thesis
PSCI 5399  Thesis

TOTAL  30 SCH

* For the Thesis Plan the Thesis Defense serves as the comprehensive exam.
1 May be repeated when the course topic changes.
2 Course may be repeated up to a maximum of 6 SCH.

Note: See COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES - UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES for information on the combined BA/MA degree in Political Science.

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