

## POLITICAL SCIENCE (120 credits)

### 8 Semester Graduation Plan

Students are responsible for reviewing and tracking their own progress toward degree requirements. This plan is provided as a general guideline. It DOES NOT reduce the importance of careful discussions between a student and his or her academic advisor and the use of the Degree Progress Report.

#### IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

1. A minimum of 30 Core/General Education credits must be completed from the required seven areas.
2. A minimum of 120 credits with at least 45 upper-level credits are required to graduate. Upper-level courses are numbered from 3000 to 4999 at Purchase College.
3. A minimum of 60 credits outside of your board of study are required to graduate. These courses have a 3-letter prefix other than that of your major.
4. A maximum of 4 credits of Physical Education can be applied to the degree.

#### Year 1

Fall Semester		
Course		Credits
FRS1030	Freshman Seminar	1
WRI1110	College Writing (Basic Comm Core)	4
Core	Humanities Group Core	4
Elective	Elective	3
POL1570	Intro. to US Politics	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Spring Semester		
Course		Credits
Core	Natural Science	4
Core	Social Sciences or Math	4
POL2***	US or Comp Pol/Int'l Relations course	4
Elective	Elective	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>

#### Year 2

Fall Semester		
Course		Credits
Core	Social Sciences or Math Core	3
Core	Languages and Cultures Group Core	4
POL 3***	US or Comp Pol/Int'l Relations course	4
Elective	Elective	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Spring Semester		
Course		Credits
ECO****	Economics Elective	4
Core Elect	General Education Core Elective	4
POL2170	Political Theory I <or>	4
POL2180	Political Theory II	
Elective	Elective	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>16</b>

#### Year 3

Fall Semester		
Course		Credits
3000/4000	Upper-Level Elective	4
3000/4000	Upper-Level Elective	4
POL3***	US or Comp Pol/Int'l Relations course	4
POL3880	Junior Seminar	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>16</b>

Spring Semester		
Course		Credits
3000/4000	Upper-Level Elective	4
3000/4000	Upper-Level Elective	3
POL3500	US or Comp Pol/Int'l Relations course	4
3000/4000	Upper-Level Elective	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>

#### Year 4

Fall Semester		
Course		Credits
SPJ4990	Senior Project	4
POL3***	US or Comp/IR course	4
3000/4000	Upper-Level Elective	3
Core	Art Core	3
POL4885	Senior Seminar I	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Spring Semester		
Course		Credits
SPJ4991	Senior Project	4
3000/4000	Upper-Level Elective	4
3000/4000	Upper-Level Elective	3
Core	Health/Wellness Core	1
POL4890	Senior Seminar II	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>13</b>