

**MY DEGREE MAP
TROY UNIVERSITY**

College of Arts and Sciences Approved Academic Plan

Political Science Major—American Politics Concentration - Program Year 2013-2014

1 st Semester/Term 1-2	Hours	2 nd Semester/Term 3-4	Hours	3 rd Semester/T5	Hours
Troy 1101 University Orientation	1	ENG 1102/04 Comp/Mod English II	3	Select courses that have not been completed from the previous 2 semesters/ 4 terms or courses such as prerequisite courses or courses to be retaken	
ENG 1101/03 Comp/Mod English I#	3	BIO 1100 Principles of Bio and Lab	4		
MTH 1110 Finite Mathematics#	3	POL 2241 American National Government	3		
AREA II, Group 4 elective	3	ART 1133* or MUS 1131* DRA 2200	2		
ART 1133* or MUS 1131* or DRA 2200	2	IS 2241 Computer Concepts/Applications	3		
AREA IV, Group 2 elective**	3				
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15		
3 rd Semester/Term 1-2	Hours	4 th Semester/Term 3-4	Hours	3 rd Semester/T5	Hours
AREA II, Group 3 literature elective	3	AREA IV, Group 2 elective**	3	Select courses that have not been completed from the previous 2 semesters/ 4 terms or courses such as prerequisite courses or courses to be retaken	
AREA III, Continued, science elective	4	COM 2241 Fundamentals of Speech	3		
History Course from AREA IV	3	POL 2260 World Politics	3		
AREA IV, Group 2 elective**	3	Required 3000 level POL course	3		
Required 3000 level POL course	3	Course to apply in minor	3		
TOTAL	16	TOTAL	15		
5 th Semester/Term 1-2	Hours	6 th Semester/Term 3-4	Hours	3 rd Semester/T5	Hours
Approved Political Science Major elective	3	Approved Political Science Major elective	3	Select courses that have not been completed from the previous 2 semesters/ 4 terms or courses such as prerequisite courses or courses to be retaken	
Approved Political Science Major elective	3	Approved Political Science Major elective	3		
Course to apply in minor	3	Course to apply in minor	3		
Course to apply in minor	3	Free electives	3		
Free electives	3	Free electives	3		
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15		
7 th Semester/Term 1-2	Hours	8 th Semester/Term 3-4	Hours	3 rd Semester/T5	Hours
Approved Political Science Major elective	3	Approved Political Science Major elective	3	Select courses that have not been completed from	

Approved Political Science Major elective	3	Approved Political Science Major elective	3	the previous 2 semesters/ 4 terms or courses such as prerequisite courses or courses to be retaken
Approved Political Science Major elective	3	Approved Political Science Major elective	3	
Course to apply in minor	3	Course to apply in minor	3	
Free electives	3	Free electives	2	
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	14	
Minimum number of hours required for this degree:				TOTAL 120 Hours

*Indicates an international scope class (6 hours required)

**A sequence is required in either literature or history. Make selections from AREA II and IV accordingly.

Indicates courses which require approved placement scores

Courses in **BOLD** require a grade of C or above.

A **minimum** of 120 hours is required for all baccalaureate degree programs.

At least 50% of required coursework must be earned at a senior institution.

At least 25% of the credit hours required for the degree must be completed In residency with Troy University.

At least 12 semester hours of residency must be completed in each major field(s) of study.

A minimum GPA of 2.0 overall and in the major is required to graduate.

NOTE: Please consult the College of Arts and Sciences or current catalog for other requirements not covered in this document.

Approved by the AEC 01/14

General Studies: Political Science – American Politics/Public Administration Concentration (52 Hours)

Complete all 6 subrequirements

A: AREA I:

ENG-1101 Comp and Modern English I **3 hours**

ENG-1102 Comp and Modern English II **3 hours**

B. AREA II:

Group 1: Take COM 2241 Fundamentals of Speech 3 hours

Group 2: Select two courses from ART 1133, MUS 1131
or DRA 2200 4 hours

Group 3: Take three semester hours from the following: 3 hours

*ENG 2205, *ENG 2206, ENG 2211, ENG 2212,
ENG 2244, or ENG 2245

Group 4: Take three semester hours from the following: 3 hours

*CLA 2260 , *ENG 2205, *ENG 2206, ENG 2211,
ENG 2212, ENG 2244, ENG 2245, *FRN 1101,
*GER 1121, *GRK 1111, IDS 2200, *LAT 1131,
PHI 2203, PHI 2204, ANT 2280 or SPN 1141

C. AREA III:

Group 1: Take BIO 1100/L 100 General Biology w/Lab 3/1 hours

Group 2: **Take MTH 1110 Finite Math 3 hours**

Area III: CONTINUED Select one course with corresponding
lab: CHM 1142/L142, PHY 2252/L252,
SCI 2233/L233, SCI 2234/L234 3/1 hours

D. AREA IV:

Group 1: Take three hours from the following: HIS 1101, 3 hours
HIS 1102, HIS 1111, HIS 1112, HIS 1122
or HIS 1123

Group 2: Take nine semester hours from the following: 9 hours
ANT 2200, *ECO 2251, *ECO 2252, *GEO 2210,
HIS 1101, HIS 1102, HIS 1111, HIS 1112, HIS 1122,
HIS 1123, IDS 2200, PSY 2200, PSY 2210
or SOC 2275

E. AREA V:

Take the following courses:

IS 2241	Computer Concepts and Applications	3 hours
TROY 1101	University Orientation	1 hour
POL 2241	American National Government	3 hours
POL 2260	World Politics	3 hours

Political Science – American Politics/Public Administration Concentration
Program Year 2013-2014 (36 hours)

1. Take all of the following Political Science courses:

POL 3300	Foundations of Political Science	3 hours
POL 3330	Political Theory	3 hours
POL 3340	U.S. Government/Executive	3 hours
POL 3341	U.S. Government/Legislative	3 hours
POL 3342	U.S. Government/ Judicial	3 hours

2. Major Electives (15 hours)

Take 15 additional hours from the following: 15 hours
POL 3343, POL 3355, POL 3364, POL 4420, POL 4421,
POL 4422, POL 4423, POL 4424, POL 4432, POL 4451,
POL 4453, POL 4471 or POL 4472

Take an additional 6 hours of upper level (3000-4000) 6 hours
political science courses, as approved by your academic
adviser.

3. Select one 18 hour minor 18 hours

4. Free Electives (14 Hours)

Select fourteen hours of free electives 14 hours

