

**SGPP Checklist: Bachelor of Arts– Political Science: International Relations Concentration**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ Catalog Year: \_\_\_\_\_

**Important POL Major Additional Requirements**

**Writing Requirement:** Students receiving a “B” or better in ENGL 102, 108, or 109H must complete 1 POL writing emphasis course with a “B or better. Students receiving a “C” or worse in ENGL 102, 108, or 109H must complete 2 POL writing emphasis courses and earn a “B” or better in 1 and a “C” or better in the other. Courses marked with an \* are writing emphasis courses.

**Major GPA:** A minimum 2.0 GPA is required for all major coursework.

**Major Upper Division:** A minimum of 18 units of upper division POL coursework is required.

**Residency Requirement:** A minimum of 18 units of the POL coursework must be taken at the University of Arizona.

**Math Requirement:** There are no DRC Math substitutions allowed in the POL major. It is highly recommended that you complete Math 107 or higher and/or SBS 200 before your junior year.

**Minor Required:** A minor or second major is required for the POL major.

**Fee:** All POL major students in junior or senior standing will be charged a \$450/semester differential tuition until they graduate.

**Course Time Limit:** Upper division electives are only eligible to be used in the major for up to 8 years. After 8 years, only 3 of these courses are able to be applied. Any additional electives will be considered obsolete and need to be retaken.

**Semester**

**Taken Grade SGPP Core Courses (16 units)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 200: Basic Economic Issues
- \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ SBS 200: Intro to Statistics for Social Sciences (*Pre-req- Math 107 or higher or 60+ score on the ALEKS PPL exam*)
- \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ POL 201: American National Government
- \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ **Concentration specific intro course:** POL 202: International Relations
- \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ **Choose one:** POL 203, 204, 206, or 209

**International Relations Concentration Electives (15 units)**

See back page for a list of approved concentration electives  
*Note: At least 9 units must be completed through UA*

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**Electives (9 units)**

See back page for a list of approved electives

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**Writing Requirement Checkbox**  
 Approved to double dip with POL electives

Option 1:  
 2nd Sem ENGL (B or better) \_\_\_\_\_  
 POL writing course (B or better) \_\_\_\_\_

Option 2:  
 POL writing course (B or better) \_\_\_\_\_  
 POL writing course (C or better) \_\_\_\_\_

**This is the complete list of the approved upper division electives that can be used in the Political Science major.**

- At least 5 of your 8 electives must come directly from the concentration list.
- All writing emphasis courses are designated with an asterisk- \*. Please always confirm this designation in the schedule.
- Please check the course schedule to see current course offerings, enrollment requirements, and availability.

**International Relations Concentration Electives:**

<b>POL/PA/LAS 312</b>	<b>U.S. - Latin America Relations: Trade, Security and Power</b>
<b>POL/MENA 344</b>	<b>Genealogies of ISIS*</b>
POL 360	International Political Economy*
POL 361	International Organizations
POL 365	Contemporary International Politics
<b>POL/PA/LAS 366</b>	<b>Armed Conflict and Peace building in Colombia</b>
<b>POL/GEOG 373</b>	<b>Political Geography*</b>
<b>POL/HIST/MENA 385</b>	<b>Intro to Political Islam</b>
POL/LAS 388	Immigration and Refugee Policy
<b>POL/AIS 403</b>	<b>Globalization and Indigenous People</b>
<b>POL/MENA 408A</b>	<b>Islamic Movements in the Contemporary Muslim World*</b>
POL 413	Human Security
POL 414	Diffusion & Contagion in World Politics*
POL 415	The Scientific Study of Civil Wars
POL 416	US Policy on the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict
POL/PA 417	Dictatorship: Could it Happen Here?
<b>POL/ANTH/HIST/MENA 417A</b>	<b>North African Societies: History, Culture &amp; Pol.*</b>
<b>POL/HIST/JUS/MENA 418</b>	<b>Historiography: Annals of the Arab-Israeli Conflict</b>
POL/PA 419	Terrorism and Counterterrorism
POL 424	Politics in the Digital Age
POL/PA 436	Violent Crime and Political Order*
POL/MENA 441	Arab-Israeli Conflict
POL 451	Russian Foreign Policy*
POL 454	Theories of International Relations
POL 455	American Foreign Policy
POL 456	International Law*
POL/CHN 460	US and China Relations in the Modern World
POL/GWS 461	Feminist IR Theories*
POL 462	Armed Conflict and Conflict Management
<b>POL/PA/SOC 463</b>	<b>Studies of Geopolitical Chessboard</b>
POL/EAS 464	International Relations of East Asia
POL/MENA 465	International Politics of the Middle East
POL 467	South Asian Culture and Foreign Policy
POL/PA 474	The Art of Diplomacy & Negotiation*
POL 478H	Intelligence Analysis: US Experience
POL/PA 479	Intelligence & US National Security
<b>POL/AFAS 482</b>	<b>African Americans and US Foreign Policy</b>
<b>POL/HIST/MENA 484</b>	<b>History of the Arab Israeli Conflict 1800-Present</b>
POL 485	National Security Policy
<b>POL/MEAN/RELI 496G</b>	<b>Islamic Law and Society</b>

-- No more than 2 of the bolded cross-listed courses can be applied as concentration electives

**Additional Electives:**

PA 344	Law and Public Policy
PA 403	Political Networks
PA 406	Bureaucracy, Politics, and Policy
PA 418	LGBTQ+, the Law, and Public Policy
PA 441	Women in the Justice System
PA 443	White Collar Crime: Law & Public Policy
PA/SOC 446	Crime and Public Policy
PA 482	Environmental Governance
POL 301	Methods of Political Inquiry
POL 309	The Judicial Process*
POL/SOC 315	Political Sociology
POL 323	Modern Political Theory*
POL/PA/PHIL 324	Law and Morality
POL 325	Foundations of Political Psychology
POL/AFAS/MAS 330	Minority Groups & American Politics*
POL 331	American Political Parties
POL/MAS 332	Politics of the Mexican-American Community*
POL 333	Latino Politics
POL/GWS 335	Gender and Politics*

**Additional Electives continued:**

POL 340	Politics in Advanced Industrialized States
POL/AFAS/LAS 345	Caribbean Politics
POL/LAS 347	Politics of Latin America
POL/ANTH/LAS 348	Drug Wars and Oil Fortunes in Latin America
POL/PA/LAS 356	Indigenous Resistance in Latin America: Democracy from Below
POL/LAS 364	Development in 20th Century Latin America
POL/HIST/JUS/MENA 377	Modern Israel
POL/GWS/HIST 386	Race/Gender: Genealogies, Formations, Politics*
POL/ANTH/HIST/MENA/RELI 389	Middle Eastern Ethnic & Religious Minorities*
POL 396H	Political Science Honors Special Topics Seminar
POL 397A	Advanced Model United Nations Workshop
POL 402	The Politics of International Development
POL 404	Experimental Political Science
POL 407	Congress and American Politics*
POL 408	Development of the American Presidency*
POL 409	Causes and Consequences of Public Opinion
POL/COMM 410	Struggle for the Presidency
POL/PA 420	Prohibition, Legalization, Regulation: Governing the Use and Abuse of Intoxicating Substances*
POL 421	Cyber Crime, Surveillance, and Privacy*
POL/ANTH 424A	Political Ecology
POL 427	Continental Political Theory*
POL 428	Problems in Contemporary Political Theory*
POL 430	Electoral Systems & Their Consequences
POL 431	Political Culture and the Dynamics of Change in American Society
POL/GWS 433	Feminist Political Theory*
POL 435	Elections and Voting Behavior
POL 437	Democracies Emerging and Evolving*
POL/PHIL 438	Philosophy of Law
POL 442A	European Politics and Society
POL 443	Russian Politics*
POL 444	Politics and Change: Perspectives through Film
POL 446	Comparative Political Elites*
POL/LAS 447	Latin American Political Development
POL 448	Politics of East and South Asia
POL 452	Politics in the European Union
POL/GER 459	German Politics
POL/EAS 466	Japanese and Chinese Nationalism
POL/AFAS 468	Government and Politics of Africa*
POL 469	Law and Social Change*
POL 470	Constitutional Law: Federalism
POL 471	Constitutional Law: Civil Liberties
POL 472	Law and Political Development
POL/RELI 475	Religion and the Law
POL 476	Women and the Law
POL/HIST/LAS 477	Comparative History of World Revolutions
POL/PA/HWRS/RNR 481	Environmental Policy
POL 483	Urban Public Policy
POL/ANTH/GEOG 488	Governing Science and Technology*
PA 391	Preceptorship
POL/PA 491	Preceptorship
POL/PA 399	Independent Study
POL/PA 399H	Honors Independent Study
POL/PA 499	Independent Study
POL/PA 499H	Honors Independent Study
POL/PA 393	Internship
POL/PA 393H	Honors Internship
PA 493	Internship
POL/PA 493H	Honors Internship
POL/PA 493L	Legislative Internship
POL/PA 498H	Honors Thesis

