Many Political Science students express an interest in law and related fields. Majors often go on to pursue careers as lawyers, paralegals, and policy analysts.

POLS majors are required to take three introductory POLS courses, eight upper division POLS courses, and four upper division related courses to complete the POLS degree. The sample curriculum below is intended to provide an example of a course of study one might take if interested in pursuing law. These are suggested courses only. They are meant only as a tool to guide the student towards a career in the Law and Legal Careers.

### Sample Curriculum

| Introductory Courses | POLS 1002: Introduction to Political Theory  
POLS 1602: Introduction to American Politics  
POLS 1402: Introduction to International Relations |
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| Major Courses       | POLS 3418: International Organizations and Law  
POLS 3072: Political Protest and Ideology  
POLS 3214: Comparative Social Policy  
POLS 3633: Race and Policy  
POLS 3807: Constitutional Rights and Liberties  
POLS 3802: Constitutional Law  
POLS 3817: Law and Society  
POLS 3822: Law and Popular Culture |
| Related Courses     | HRTS 3200: International Human Rights Law  
PHIL 3226: Philosophy of Law  
SOCI 2301: Criminology  
SOCI 3823: Sociology of Law |
| Additional Curricular and Extracurricular Activities | Law Society  
Moot Court  
Mock Trial  
Internships at law firms, Judicial Branch, CT Attorney General*  
Study Abroad* |

*may earn academic credit for these experiences