

**DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT**  
**POLITICAL SCIENCE** **(36 credits)**  
*Freshman and Transfers, Fall 2007*

**Core Requirements:**

Government 110	(Introduction to American Democracy)	_____ (4)
Government 120	(Research Methodology)	_____ (4)
<b>Total Core Requirements</b>		<b>(8)</b>

**Track Requirements:**

Government 201	(Statistics for Political Science)	_____ (4)
Government 276	(Introduction to Political Theory)	_____ (4)
<b>Total Track Requirements</b>		<b>(8)</b>

**Track Electives:**      \_\_\_\_\_ (4)      \_\_\_\_\_ (4)      \_\_\_\_\_ (4)      \_\_\_\_\_ (4)      \_\_\_\_\_ (4)

Must take at least one course each in American Politics, Comparative Politics, and International Relations:

***American Government***

204, 221, 223, 224, 233, 243, 244, 253, 280, 306, 312, 315, 335, 337,  
343, 346, 347, 348, 352, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 435, 436, 438

***Comparative Government***

203, 205, 266, 267, 281, 283, 367, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395  
467, 481, 483, 484, 485, 487

***International Relations***

261, 363, 384, 399, 418, 439, 461, 462, 463, 465

You may also choose from any course offered by the Department or from the following special opportunities. (See catalogue for more information)

Gov.	503/504	Washington Academic Seminar
Gov.	505	Studies in Government
Gov.	507	Government Study Trip
Gov.	509	United Nations Seminar
Gov.	521	Internship in Government (local)
Gov.	523/524/525	Washington DC Internship
Gov.	526/528/529	International Internship
Gov.	555*	Senior Thesis

<b>Total Elective Requirements</b>	<b>(20)</b>
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## TRACK A REQUIREMENT GROUPS

### AMERICAN GOVERNMENT

204	Women in American Politics	343	State Court Process and Policy
221	Executive Branch Politics: Public Administration	346	The American Presidency
224	American Politics and Policy	347	Legislative Process
233	American Politics and Institutions	348	Law, Race and Gender
243	American Constitutional Law	352	Constitutional Reform
244	Civil Liberties	355	American Parties and Politics
253	State and Local Government	356	Massachusetts Politics and Elections
280	Law, Public Policy, & Psychology	357	Urban Politics and Government
306	Women and Public Policy	358	Politics and the Media
312	Government & Politics of Puerto Rico	359	Race and Gender in U.S. Electoral Politics
315	Labor in American Politics	435	Race and Public Policy
335	Health Care Policy	436	Topics in Public Policy
337	Public Policy and Business	438	Environmental Policy and Politics

### COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT

203	Women in World Politics	387	Caribbean & Central American Politics
205	Women in African Politics	389	Politics of China
266	Topics in European Politics, Society and History	391	Canada: Multicultural Politics
267	Spain: Topics in History, Politics and Society	393	Politics of Mexico
281	Introduction to Comparative Politics	395	Politics of East European Transition
283	Third World Politics	467	Comparative Social Movements
367	Politics of Spain	481	Topics in Comparative Politics
383	African Politics	483	Politics of Europe
385	Politics of Former Soviet Republics	484	Women and Politics in Islam
		485	Politics of the Middle East
		487	Japan: Politics and Policy

### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

261	Theory and Practice of International Relations	461	Issues in International Relations
363	American Foreign Policy	462	Approaches to Foreign Policy and Diplomacy
384	U.S. & the Middle East	463	International Law and Organization
399	The Politics of Ethnic Conflict	465	Non-Governmental Organizations in World Politics
418	Terrorism and European Security		
439	Global & Environmental Threats in the 21st Century		

### SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES

555	Senior Thesis - should be taken in the <b>Fall of the Senior Year</b> for anyone with a G.P.A. of 3.0 overall and 3.4 in Government who is hoping to graduate with Honors in Government.)
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