Pre-Political Science Major – 2006-2007

Admission into the Political Science major is contingent upon successful completion of the requirements stipulated below. Students may declare a pre-Political Science major after they have completed at least two Political Science courses from the pre-major with at least a 2.6 UC grade-point average.

Once the preparation for the major is completed with a 2.6 UC GPA or higher, students may petition for admission into full major status and at that time may declare an optional emphasis. Admission to the pre-major does not guarantee admission to full major status.

To qualify for admission into full major status, students must complete Political Science 1, 6, 7, and 12 with a UC grade-point average of 2.6 or above. In addition, students must complete Economics 1 and 2 (or 109) and History 4A-B-C on a letter graded basis. Economics 1 and 2 (or 109) and History 4A-B-C are excluded from the pre-major grade-point average computation but are included in the overall major GPA.

Transfer and upper-division students should consult the undergraduate advisor about course substitutions.

Pre-Major

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Major Regulations

Prerequisites

Check the General Catalog for the prerequisites to all listed courses.

P/NP Grading Option

Not allowed for any major course, including those applied to the major from other departments, with one exception: Up to 4 units of Pol S 192 (P/NP required) may be applied to the major.

Substitutions

In the major requirements permissible only by petition to the department chair and dean.

Residence Requirements

At least 20 UD units in major while in residence at UCSB.

G.P.A. Requirements

At least 2.0 overall UC average in all upper-division major courses and all courses (Prep and UD) for the major, including courses in excess of minimum requirements.

Double Majors

With the approval of each department chairperson, up to a total of 8 units may be applied simultaneously to both UD majors.