

Summer 2023

Political Science

Undergraduate and Graduate Schedule of Classes

Comparative Politics

POLIT:300-501 (31657), 100% Online, Dr. Gelleny

June 5- July 9

This course is designed to introduce students to different forms of political systems and the methods used to compare them. The political systems of several nations will be compared to demonstrate the concepts.

Intro to Political Research

POLIT:301-501 (32020), 100% Online, Dr. Marcin

June 5- July 9

Introduction to the methods employed in contemporary political science research: research design, data collection and analysis, presentation and evaluation of findings.

Law & Society

POLIT:335-501 (31656), 100% Online, K. Hufgard

June 5- July 9

This course will examine how law constructs and constrains political conflict, and how legal institutions mediate, reinforce, and challenge existing power relationships.

Internship

POLIT:395-* (varies), Dr. Marion**

5 and 8 week sessions available

Provides students with experiential learning experiences in their field of study.

Policy Problems in Political Science

POLIT:480/580-501 (31660/31661), 100% Online, Dr. Coffey

July 10- August 13

Intensive study of selected problems in public policy.

Selected Topics in Pol Sci: Deliberation and Political Disagreement

POLIT:492/592-502 (31830/31831/31832/31833), MWF 12:30 p.m.-3:15 p.m., In-Person or 100% Online Real-time, Dr. Strachan

July 10- August 13

Democratic societies are characterized by commitment to deliberative processes to resolve conflicts and to develop policy recommendations. This course explores historical tensions between civil unrest and civility as ways to promote a more inclusive, stable version of US democracy. Students will learn various tactics associated with deliberative decision-making essential to both organizing and to governing. They will have the opportunity to practice these tactics as they discuss contemporary political issues.