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# **5 lower division courses**

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|  | **Complete *four*****lower division** **courses** from 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60 |
|  | Political Science 10 Introduction to Political Theory |
|  | Political Science 20 World Politics |
|  | Political Science 30 Politics and Strategy |
|  | Political Science 40 Introduction to American Politics |
|  | Political Science 50 Introduction to Comparative Politics |
|  | Political Science 60 Diversity and Disagreement  **Complete *one* statistics course** |
|  | Political Science 6 Introduction to Data Analysis, Statistics 10 or 12, Economics 41 or Psychology 100A |

# **10 upper division courses frOM POLITICAL SCIENCE 104a TO 199 Select the courses from at least 4 of the 6 fields**

**3 courses for the Concentration Field Requirement**: Choose one of the six fields and take three courses from that field. The concentration field is printed on DARS for internal use by students, counselors and degree auditors. The concentration is not printed on the official transcript nor diploma.

**3 courses for the Distribution Field Requirement**: Take one upper division course in each of three different fields from outside the field of concentration.

**4 courses for the Elective Requirement**: Complete four upper division courses from

Political Science 104A to Political Science 199 in any field.

**10 TOTAL UPPER DIVISION COURSES**

# **UPPER DIVISION Political Science courses are organized into six fields**

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|  | 1. Political Theory (M111A to 119, 191A & M107) 2. International Relations (120A to 139, 191B) 3. American Politics (140A to 149, 191C, M191DC & M107, M114A, M114B, M115A, 120A, 120B, M120C, 121A, M121B, 171C) 4. Comparative Politics (150 to 169, 191D & M104) 5. Methods and Models (170A to 179, 191E & M105, 124C, 128A, 128B, 132A, M132B, 135, 141E, M142D, 166, M167C, 167D) |  |
|  | 1. Race, Ethnicity and Politics (M180A to 186, 191F & 143C) |  |
|  | Course descriptions are in the UCLA General Catalog |  |

**MULTIPLE LISTED COURSES BEGIN WITH “M” AND ARE JOINTLY OFFERED WITH ONE OR MORE DEPARTMENTS.** For example, Political Science **M**115C, Citizenship and Public Service, is the same as Civic Engagement **M**115. Enrolling in either course earns credit toward Political Science upper division requirements.

**VARIABLE TOPIC COURSES** – THESE COURSES MAY BE REPEATED AS LONG AS THE TITLE IS DIFFERENT. CONSULT THE SCHEDULE OF CLASSES FOR TOPICS TO BE OFFERED IN A SPECIFIC TERM.

* 121A STUDIES IN FORMULATION OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY
* 151C SPECIAL TOPICS IN AFRICAN POLITICS
* 119 – Theory
* 139 - International Relations
* 149 – American Politics
* 169 – Comparative Politics
* 179 – Methods and Models
* 186 – Race, Ethnicity & Politics

**VARIABLE TOPIC RESEARCH SEMINARS BY FIELD -** THESE COURSES MAY BE REPEATED AS LONG AS THE TITLE IS DIFFERENT. Each of the 6 fields offers seminars ranging from 191A to F.

* 191A – Theory
* 191B - International Relations
* 191C – American Politics
* 191D – Comparative Politics
* 191E – Methods and Models
* 191F – Race, Ethnicity & Politics

**COURSES THAT APPLY AS 1 OF 4 ELECTIVE REQUIREMENTS ONLY**

* 195CE – COMMUNITY AND CORPORATE INTERNSHIPS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE
* 199 – DIRECTED RESEARCH IN POLITICAL SCIENCE
* 191H RESEARCH DESIGN SEMINAR – REQUIRED PRIOR TO APPLYING FOR THE DEPARTMENAL HONORS PROGRAM
* 198 - HONORS RESEARCH IN POLITICAL SCIENCE REQUIRED FOR DEPARTMENTAL HONORS

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| All pre-major and major courses must be taken for a letter grade. |
| The 5 pre-major and 10 major courses respectively require an overall 2.0 grade point average.  The lowest passing grade is D- for the five lower division preparation courses and the ten upper division courses. The overall grade point average requirement is 2.0 for each category. |
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| 4) |  |  |  |  | 4) |
| 5) statistics |  |  |  |  |  |