

Politics and Business

Undergraduate Specialization in Politics & Business

Honours only

This specialization (developed in partnership with the Arts and Business programme and the Department of Economics) allows students to study the interaction between business and politics both at the domestic as well as the international level combining courses in economics as well as both general and specialized courses in political science.

Required courses

- PSCI 101 or 110 or 100 or 150
- ECON 101 and ECON 102
- PSCI 231 Government and Business
- PSCI 255 Comparative Political Economy or PSCI 283 International Political Economy
- PSCI 300 Foundations of Political Economy
- Two of: PSCI 331, 334, 350, 387, 402, 403, 428, 455, 485

Additional related courses

- International business and development
- Topics in politics and business
- The state and economic life
- Politics of international trade
- Public policy
- Globalization
- Global governance

MA in Political Science (Focus on Political Economy)

Over ten Political Science faculty members study political economy from a wide variety of perspectives and across different geographical contexts from the domestic and regional levels (North America, Latin America, East Asia, and the Middle East) to the global level examining a wide range of related issues.

Faculty research interests

- Government-business relations
- International development and global inequality
- Political economy of social policy and the welfare state
- Politics of economic reform
- Politics of global finance and money
- Politics of international trade and investment
- International economic institutions (WTO, IMF, World Bank, FSB)
- The relationship between the environment and the economy
- Corporate social responsibility

Related graduate courses

- Government and Business
- International Business and Development
- The State and Economic Life
- Advanced Topics in Political Economy
- Politics of International Trade
- Governance of Global Economy
- International Political Economy
- Global Environmental Governance
- Governing Global Food and Agriculture
- Political Economy of International Finance
- Emerging Economies in Global Governance
- Middle East Political Economy
- Chinese Political Economy

Politics and Business Checklist

PSCI 101 or 110 or 100 or 150* PSCI _____	PSCI _____ above 100 level	ECON 101 Intro to Microeconomics <i>Fulfills Social Science breadth requirement #3</i>	Elective _____
PSCI _____ any course level	PSCI _____ above 100 level	ECON 102 Intro to Macroeconomics <i>Fulfills Social Science breadth requirement #4</i>	Elective _____
PSCI 231 Government & Business	PSCI _____ above 100 level	Humanities _____	Elective _____
PSCI 255 or 283 Comparative Political Economy International Political Economy	PSCI _____ above 100 level	Humanities _____	Elective _____
PSCI _____ Two of 331 334 350 387 402 403 428 455 485	PSCI _____ above 100 level	Languages & Cultures _____	Elective _____
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PSCI _____ above 100 level <i>Fulfills Social Science breadth requirement #1</i>	PSCI _____ above 100 level	Transdisciplinary Studies _____	Elective _____
PSCI _____ above 100 level <i>Fulfills Social Science breadth requirement #2</i>	PSCI 300 Foundations of Political Economy	Fine, Performing & Communications Arts _____	Elective _____
PSCI _____ above 100 level	PSCI 4 _____ <i>Any course level if fulfilled by the "two of" requirement</i>	Elective _____	Elective _____
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* Do not double count courses. Each course may only be used in one box

* For information only. It is the student's responsibility to check UG calendar requirements