

Political Science

Major Academic Plan for B.A.

"Simple exchanges can break walls down between us, for when people come together and speak to one another and share a common experience, then their common humanity is revealed."

- Barack Obama



UCLA Study Abroad

HOW TO STUDY ABROAD



RESEARCH

Review your remaining UCLA degree requirements (GE, pre-major, major, minor, foreign language, & upper division units).



IDENTIFY

Find UCEAP courses and identify options that are comparable to your degree requirements. They do not have to be an exact match.



DISCUSS

If you have questions, meet the advisors at the International Education Office to review program details and locate syllabi.



PETITION

Meet with Political Science advisor or submit petition to apply study abroad coursework toward your degree requirements.

- * Pre-approvals are provided by the Political Science department. Therefore, you will know before your program starts whether you will be receiving credit for coursework.
- * Of note, all coursework you plan to take abroad and apply toward GE credit must be presented to your advising unit (i.e. Center for Academic Advising at the College, Honors, Athletics, Academic Advancement Program).
- * All UCEAP courses count toward upper division units; therefore, even if your department denies your petition, you will still make progress toward your degree.
- * Study abroad is possible as soon as the summer after your first year through the Fall after your senior year. If going after senior year, meet your major advisor to adjust your graduation term.

MAJOR SPECIFIC INFORMATION

Lower Division Major Prep	Yes. Major prep courses can be fulfilled abroad. There is no limit to the number of lower division courses that may be substituted.
Major Electives	Yes. Major courses can be fulfilled abroad. However, <u>no more than two</u> non-departmental courses can be applied toward the major.
List of Pre-Approved Coursework?	Yes. The Political Science department records pre-approved coursework on the course substitution database . Please visit the Political Science website to learn more.

HOW TO PETITION FOR ACADEMIC CREDIT

<u>STEP 1</u>	<u>STEP 2</u>	<u>STEP 3</u>
Identify UCEAP Program & Course Catalog	Gather Syllabi	Submit Petition Here

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