

## Sample Course Listing

Business Administration Major with a Political Science (Pre-Law) Minor (recommended for Business Majors rather than the Pre-Law Minor) This program utilizes the Pre-Law Concentration designed for Political Science Majors (see attachment) to provide a strong liberal arts background for Business Majors considering law school. It also avoids double counting problems due to the overlap between the Business major and the Pre-Law minor. A PS Minor requires at least 18 to 20 credits of Political Science courses with no more than two 100 level courses and at least one 300 level.

### **Year 1 – Fall**

EN 101 English	4
ID 111 Justice	4
Modern Language	4
BA 101 Business	3
Freshman Seminar	1

### **Year 1 – Spring**

EN 102 English	4
PS 110 Law & Legal Process	4
Modern Language	4
BA 201 Fin. Accounting	3

### **Year 2**

PS 101 Am. Politics	4
Science	4
PS 220 Con. Law	4
BA 202 Man. Accounting	3
BA 340 Marketing	3

### **Year 2**

BA 230 Legal Envir.	3
Science	4
EC 210 Economics	3
ID 222 Pluralism	4
PS 280 Int. Model UN	2

### **Year 3 Study Abroad**

Law course	
Humanities/Writing	
Fine Arts	
Political Theory/Philosophy	

### **Year 3 On Campus**

EC 211 Economics	3
PS 340 Judiciary (4th Yr.?)	4
MA 140/141 Statistics	4
BA 367 Oper. Management	3
BA 380 Prin. Finance	3

### **Year 4**

BA 395 Policy	3
BA 362 Human Res.	3
BA 363 Organiz. Beh.	3
BA 369 Man Info Sys	3
PS 245/330 Pol. Theory	4

### **Year 4**

PS 340 Judiciary (3 <sup>rd</sup> Yr.?)	4
MA 145/146 Quant. Models	4
BA 370 Internship	3
PS 324 Intern class	2
Elective	4

Business Majors can combine a Business and a Pre-Law Internship by working with the legal departments of a business or in a law firm serving business clients. The internship class meets spring/evenings and is taught by a practicing attorney with experience in criminal, civil and corporate law. Constitutional Law is taught every fall and students could opt to take it in Junior or Senior year, depending upon Study Abroad. It is a demanding course that helps students determine their interest and aptitude for the study of law. Two Political Theory courses ( PS/PL 245 and PS 330) alternate in the fall semester and Judiciary is taught every other spring—'05, '07.

## Attachment

Pre-Law and Political Theory Concentration—a minimum of 20 credits of the 40 required for the major from the following:

PS 110 Law and the Legal Process  
PS 220 Constitutional Law  
PS 245 Political Thought  
PS 340 The Judiciary  
PS 330 American Political Thought

### Internship Required

PS 324 Pre-Law Internship (2 credits for placement plus 2 for classroom component)

## Note

Since all PS majors take American Politics, it is not included in the concentration. It is, however, recommended for Business majors who may need a review of the governmental system before taking PS 220 Constitutional Law and political theory courses. HS 118 is also good background for Con. Law. If PS 340 Judiciary is not available, PS 360 The Congress is the 300 level spring course that alternates with it. Law students find that understanding Congress helps them learn such arcane fields as tax law, because it illuminates legislator's motivations for writing the law as they did.