

POLITICAL JOURNALISM, MINOR

Saint Louis University's political journalism interdisciplinary minor promotes skills in analysis of political phenomena and effective communication of ideas through a variety of platforms. The interdisciplinary minor is suitable for students interested in careers in journalism, public relations in governmental or political organizations, or work on political campaigns.

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Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
CMM 2100	Journalism: News Writing	3
CMM 2500	Media Lab	1
CMM 4100	Multiplatform Journalism	3
POLS 1100	Introduction to American Government	3
POLS 1600	Introduction to International Politics	3
Communication Elective Courses		
Select two of the following:		6
CMM 3060	Political Communication	
CMM 3110	Feature Writing	
CMM 3130	Editorial and Opinion Writing	
CMM 3420	Literary Journalism	
CMM 4160	Editing	
CMM 4420	Theory of Free Expression	
CMM 4470	Media and Politics	
Political Science Electives		
Select two of the following:		6
POLS 1510	Politics of Developing World	
POLS 2100	The American Constitution	
POLS 2140	The American Presidency	
POLS 2150	Race and Politics	
POLS 2160	Campaigns and Elections	
POLS 2200	U.S. State and Urban Politics	
POLS 2220	Urban Politics	
POLS 2520	Introduction to African Politics	
POLS 2530	Soviet and Post Soviet Politics	
POLS 2560	The Politics of Asia	
POLS 2570	Introduction to Latin American Politics	
POLS 2580	Politics of Mexico	
POLS 2590	Politics of the Middle East and North Africa	
POLS 2600	Introduction to International Political Economy	
POLS 2640	International Terrorism	
POLS 2660	Middle East/International Pol	
POLS 3100	Judicial Politics	

POLS 3130	Civil Liberties and Civil Rights
POLS 3140	Public Opinion and Mass Communication
POLS 3500	East Asian Political Economy
POLS 3600	Problems of Globalization
POLS 3620	International Organization and the Management of World Problems
POLS 3650	International Relations of Africa
POLS 3740	Capitalism, Racism, Patriarchy: Theorizing Structural Power
POLS 3850	Feminism in Action

Total Credits 25

Continuation Standards

Students in the Political Journalism minor must maintain a 2.00 GPA in Political Journalism coursework.