Department of Political Science
Fordham University

MAJOR Advising Checklist

All majors must complete a minimum of 10 semester courses in political science including Introduction to Politics (POSC 1100). In addition, majors must complete at least one course at the 2000 or 3000 level from three of the following subfields:

a. American Politics
b. Political Theory
c. International Politics
d. Comparative Politics

In the junior or senior year, majors must complete a 4000-level seminar (or a tutorial, with departmental approval). The remaining five courses are electives to be chosen from any courses in political science above the 1000-level.

Seniors with a cumulative GPA of 3.3 or better may enroll in 5000-level graduate courses. Undergraduate credit is granted for such courses.

Checklist:

1 (ONE) Required Introductory Course:

☐ POSC 1100 Introduction to Politics

1 Course From 3 of these 4 subfields at the 2000 or 3000-level for a total of 3 (THREE) courses:

☐ American Politics
☐ Political Theory
☐ International Politics
☐ Comparative Politics

1 (ONE) 4000-level seminar (to be taken in Junior or Senior Year):

☐ 4000-level Seminar

5 (FIVE) Electives in Political Science above the 1000-level:

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(refer to Undergraduate Bulletin for courses & course descriptions)