

Law and Constitutional Studies Major Degree Plan

Minimum GPA for Admission: 3.0, USU; 3.0, Career
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Minimum Grade Accepted: C in major courses

This is a sample plan. It outlines University and major requirements in very general terms. While there are requirements that are sequential, many are flexible and do not need to be completed exactly in the order listed. Students should always check with their faculty and professional advisors to be sure they are meeting the requirements appropriately. To make an appointment with a professional advisor, call (435) 797-3883.

Freshman Year (30 credits)

Fall Semester (15 credits)	
POLS 1100 (BAI) United States Government and Politics.....	3
ENGL 1010 (CL1) Introduction to Writing: Academic Prose	3
University Studies Breadth courses.....	6
Elective course(s).....	3

Spring Semester (15 credits)

POLS 2300 Introduction to Political Theory	3
University Studies Breadth courses.....	6
Quantitative Literacy (QL) course.....	3
Elective course(s).....	3

Complete the CIL exams by the end of the Freshman Year.

Sophomore Year (30 credits)

Fall Semester (15 credits)	
POLS 3120 Law and Politics.....	3
POLS 3170 Law and Economics.....	3
ENGL 2010 (CL2) Intermediate Writing: Research Writing in a Persuasive Mode	3
University Studies Breadth course	3
Elective course(s).....	3

Spring Semester (15 credits)

POLS upper-division elective (U.S. Government and Politics) courses	6
Communications Intensive (CI) course.....	3
Elective courses	6

Junior Year (30 credits)

Fall Semester (15 credits)

POLS 4120 American Constitutional Law	3
POLS upper-division elective course.....	3
Quantitative Intensive (QI) course.....	3
Depth Humanities and Creative Arts (DHA) course.....	3
Elective course(s).....	3

Spring Semester (15 credits)

POLS 3320 The Foundations of American Constitutionalism (3 cr) or POLS 4130 Constitutional Theory (3 cr) or POLS 4140 Political Organizations (3 cr).....	3
POLS upper-division elective course.....	3
Depth Life and Physical Sciences (DSC) course	3
Elective courses	6

Senior Year (30 credits)

Fall Semester (15 credits)

POLS 5140 Law, Politics, and War	3
POLS upper-division elective course.....	3
Communications Intensive (CI) course.....	3
Elective courses	6

Spring Semester (15 credits)

POLS 5130 Law and Policy.....	3
Upper-division elective courses.....	6
Elective courses	6