Ethics and Public Policy, BA

Academic Plans

Four-Year Graduation Plan

The following checkpoints list the minimum requirements students must complete by certain semesters in order to stay on the university’s Four-Year Graduation Plan. Courses in the major are those required to complete the major.

Before the third semester begins: at least one course in the major.

Before the fifth semester begins: at least three courses in the major.

Before the seventh semester begins: at least seven courses in the major and at least 90 s.h. earned toward the degree.

Before the eighth semester begins: at least nine courses in the major.

During the eighth semester: enrollment in all remaining coursework in the major, all remaining GE CLAS Core courses, and a sufficient number of semester hours to graduate.

Sample Plan of Study

Sample plans represent one way to complete a program of study. Actual course selection and sequence will vary and should be discussed with an academic advisor. For additional sample plans, see MyUI.

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GE CLAS Core: Natural Sciences with Lab 4
GE CLAS Core: World Languages Third Level Proficiency or elective course 4 - 5
Elective course 1

Hours 16-17

Spring

PHIL:1636 or PHIL:2603 | Principles of Reasoning: Argument and Debate or Introduction to Symbolic Logic | 3 |
POLI:3111 or POLI:1501 | American Public Policy or Introduction to American Foreign Policy | 3 |
Major: sociology foundation (law, sociology and criminology) course | |
GE CLAS Core: World Languages Fourth Level Proficiency or elective course | 4 - 5 |
Elective course | 3 |

Hours 16-17

Third Year

Fall

Major: economics foundation course | 3 - 4 |
GE CLAS Core: Natural Sciences without Lab | 3 |
GE CLAS Core: Quantitative or Formal Reasoning | 3 |
Elective course | 3 |
Elective course | 3 |

Hours 15-16

Fourth Year

Fall

Major: field of specialization course | 3 |
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GE CLAS Core: Historical Perspectives | 3 |
Elective course | 3 |
Elective course | 3 |

Hours 15

Spring

Major: field of specialization course | 3 |
GE CLAS Core: Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts | 3 |
Elective course | 3 |
Elective course | 3 |
Elective course | 3 |

Hours 15

Degree Application: apply on MyUI before deadline (typically in February for spring, September for fall)

Hours 15

Total Hours 122-130

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a Sustainability must be completed by choosing a course that has been approved for Sustainability AND for one of these General Education areas: Natural Sciences; Quantitative and Formal Reasoning; Social Sciences; Historical Perspectives; International and Global Issues; Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts; or Values and Culture.

b Students who have completed four years of a single language in high school have satisfied the GE CLAS Core World Languages
requirement. Enrollment in world languages courses requires a placement exam, unless enrolling in a first-semester-level course.

c Students may use elective courses to earn credit towards the total s.h. required for graduation or to complete a double major, minors, or certificates.

d GE CLAS Core courses may be completed in any order unless used as a prerequisite for another course. Students should consult with an advisor about the best sequencing of courses.

e Please see Academic Calendar, Office of the Registrar website for current degree application deadlines. Students should apply for a degree for the session in which all requirements will be met. For any questions on appropriate timing, contact your academic advisor or Graduation Services.