

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-ST. LOUIS  
AND  
SOUTHWESTERN ILLINOIS COLLEGE

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS LEADING TO BACHELOR OF ARTS IN

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**FIRST SEMESTER**

**SWIC**

ENG 101 English Comp I (3)  
POLS 150 Intro to Americ Gov (3)  
\*Foreign Language 101 (4)  
MATH 111 Liberal Arts Math (4)  
Humanities (general) (3)

**UMSL Equiv.**

*Approved Elective*  
*Pol Sci 1100*  
*Lang 1001*  
*Math 1020*  
*Gen Ed*

**SECOND SEMESTER**

**SWIC**

ENG 102 English Comp II (3)  
Humanities (fine arts) (3)  
Life Science (4)  
Foreign Language 102 (4)  
Social Science (3)

**UMSL Equiv.**

*Eng 1100*  
*Gen Ed*  
*Gen Ed*  
*Lang 1002*  
*Gen Ed*

Hours: (17)

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**THIRD SEMESTER**

**SWIC**

Humanities/Non-west Culture (3)  
SPCH 151 Fund of Pub Speak (3)  
Physical Science (4)  
Foreign Language 201 (4)  
POLS 262 Am Gov: State&Loc(3)

**UMSL Equiv.**

*Gen Ed/CD*  
*Com 1040*  
*Gen Ed*  
*Lang 2101*  
*Pol Sci 2300*

**FOURTH SEMESTER**

**SWIC**

POLS 270 Internat. Relations (3)  
\*\*Approved Elective (3)  
HLTH 151 Health (2)  
Approved Elective (3)  
Approved Elective (3)

**UMSL Equiv.**

*Pol Sci 1800*

Hours: (17)

Hours: (14)

**FIFTH SEMESTER**

**UMSL**

ENG 3100 Advanced Expository Writing (3)  
POL SCI 2000 Political Analysis (3)  
+Political Science Elective (3)  
+2000/3000 Level Electives (6)

**SIXTH SEMESTER**

**UMSL**

+Political Science Electives (6)  
+2000/3000 Level Electives (9)

Hours: (15)

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**SEVENTH SEMESTER**

**UMSL**

Political Science Elective (3)  
+2000/3000 Level Political Science Electives (6)  
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**EIGHTH SEMESTER**

**UMSL**

POL SCI 3950 Senior Seminar in Political Science (3)  
Additional Electives to complete 120 hours (7+)

Hours: (15)

Hours: (10+)

**NOTE: See back of page for additional information.**

## **DEGREE NOTES:**

\* It is **strongly** recommended that **all** foreign language proficiency courses (12 hrs- FL 101, 102, 201) be completed at SWIC or at UMSL. If the proficiency sequence is incomplete at time of transfer, students will be required to take the UMSL Foreign Language Placement exam before being permitted to take additional foreign language courses.

\*\* Approved Elective courses should always be chosen based on your major and the transfer institution.

+ Courses to be selected in consultation with student's UM- St. Louis faculty advisor.

Minimum of 120 hours required for the BA in Political Science

Students completing an AA/AS degree from SWIC that includes the IAI approved general education core will be allowed transfer credit of more than 64 hours only if the additional lower division credits are applicable to the baccalaureate degree or are prerequisites for upper division courses in the major.

Maximum of 60 hours may transfer without AA/AS degrees

Please seek advisement from your SWIC Counselor for assurance of completion of the Associate Degree

**Students living in the Illinois counties of Madison, Monroe, St. Clair, and Jersey are eligible for the in-state tuition rate.**

## **CONTACT INFORMATION:**

**NOTE: IT IS IMPORTANT TO CONTACT THE UM-ST. LOUIS TRANSFER COORDINATOR EACH SEMESTER**

Maya Scruggs, UM-St. Louis Transfer Coordinator, 225 MSC, 314-516-5873 or mms966@umsl.edu.

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