

Stony Brook University
Department of Political Science
Undergraduate Summer 2023 Courses

POL 101.30

World Politics

SBC: GLO; SBS

Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):

None

Instructor:

Jason Rose

Session:

Session I

Dates:

5/22/2023 to
7/3/2023

Location:

ONLINE

Mode/Time:

Asynchronous

Course Description:

Analysis of the basic concepts and issues of international relations in the contemporary international system. The behaviors of states and their decision makers are considered according to various models of national and international conflict. The relationship between the characteristics of nations and their foreign policies is studied on a comparative basis.

POL 102.30

Intro to American Government

SBC: SBS; USA

Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):

None

Instructor:

Jacob Martin

Session:

Session I

Dates:

5/22/2023 to
7/3/2023

Location:

ONLINE

Mode/Time:

Asynchronous

Course Description:

What the informed citizen and specialist should know about the organization of American government, including the Constitution and what it means today, the Congress, political parties, pressure groups, growth of the Presidency, the Supreme Court, judicial review, federalism, separation of powers, and the Bill of Rights.

POL 102.01

Intro to American Government

SBC: SBS; USA

Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):

None

Instructor:

Daniella Alva

Session:

Session II

Dates:

7/10/2023 to
7/19/2023

Location:

MELVILLE
LBR W4525

Mode/Time:

Mon/Wed
1:00PM-
4:25PM

Course Description:

What the informed citizen and specialist should know about the organization of American government, including the Constitution and what it means today, the Congress, political parties, pressure groups, growth of the Presidency, the Supreme Court, judicial review, federalism, separation of powers, and the Bill of Rights.

POL 103.30 **Intro to Comparative Politics**
SBC: SBS **Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):**
None
Instructor: **Session:** **Dates:** **Location:** **Mode/Time:**
Asha Session II 7/10/2023 to ONLINE Asynchronous
Venugopalan 7/19/2023
Course Description:
Analysis of political institutions and processes in the contemporary world, emphasizing the interaction of political structures and processes in a variety of political settings.

POL 201.30 **Intro to Stat Methods/Pol Science**
SBC: QPS **Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):**
Methodology requirement
Instructor: **Session:** **Dates:** **Location:** **Mode/Time:**
Pei-Hsun Hsieh Session I 5/22/2023 to 7/3/2023 ONLINE Asynchronous
Course Description:
Elementary statistical methods in empirical political science, focusing on the analysis of public opinion, survey research designs, sampling, and probability. The course considers the application of descriptive and inferential statistics to testing hypotheses on various political issues. May not be taken for credit after AMS 102, ECO 320, PSY 201, or SOC 202.
Note: Offered as POL 201 and POL 501

POL 311.30 **Intro to International Law**
SBC: N/A **Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):**
Comparative and International Relations
Instructor: **Session:** **Dates:** **Location:** **Mode/Time:**
Juliette Passer Session I 5/22/2023 to ONLINE Asynchronous
7/3/2023
Course Description:
Casebook approach to standard introductory course in international law, including the following topics: state jurisdiction and responsibility, individuals, international organization, and use of force.
Note: Offered as POL 311 and POL 530

POL 313.30 **Problems of Intnat'l Relations**
SBC: SBS+ **Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):**
Comparative and International Relations
Instructor: **Session:** **Dates:** **Location:** **Mode/Time:**
Jason Rose Session II 7/10/2023 to ONLINE Asynchronous
7/19/2023
Course Description:
Analysis of the international system, its characteristic forms, and the principal forces making for conflict and adjustment. Examination of some prevalent analytical concepts, of major current problems and developments, and of prospects and alternatives for the future.

POL 317.30 **American Election Campaigns**
Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):
SBC: SBS+ American Government, Law, and Public Policy; Political Behavior and Political Psychology
Instructor: **Session:** **Dates:** **Location:** **Mode/Time:**
Harry Applestein Session II 7/10/2023 to 7/19/2023 ONLINE Asynchronous

Course Description:
The politics of presidential nominations through primaries, caucuses, and conventions; the conduct of presidential general election campaigns; mass media coverage and opinion polling; the citizen's involvement in campaign politics; voter attitudes toward parties, candidates, and issues; and the interpretation of electoral outcomes.

POL 323.30 **U.S. Congressess**
Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):
SBC: SBS+ American Government, Law, and Public Policy; Political Behavior and Political Psychology
Instructor: **Session:** **Dates:** **Location:** **Mode/Time:**
Nicle Huffman Session II 7/10/2023 to 7/19/2023 ONLINE Asynchronous

Course Description:
An examination of the most powerful legislative institution in America. The historical background of Congress is examined along with its internal organization, rules, and relationship to the rest of government and to the world outside Washington.

POL 332.30 **Politics of Criminal Due Proc**
Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):
SBC: SBS+ American Government, Law, and Public Policy
Instructor: **Session:** **Dates:** **Location:** **Mode/Time:**
R. Stephanie Good Session I 5/22/2023 to 7/3/2023 ONLINE Asynchronous

Course Description:
A survey of the procedural steps through which a criminal case passes commencing with the initial investigation of a crime, covering the laws and court rules governing arrest, search and seizure, bail and fair trial, and concluding with the unconditional release of an offender.

POL 346.30**Political Psychology****Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):****SBC:** SBS+

Political Behavior and Political Psychology; Political Behavior and Political Psychology; Political Behavior and Political Psychology; Political Behavior and Political Psychology

Instructor:Maggie
McDonnell**Session:**

Session I

Dates:

5/22/2023 to 7/3/2023

Location:

ONLINE

Mode/Time:

Asynchronous

Course Description:

Focus on the application of psychological concepts and measures to political behavior. Course topics include attitude measurement, stability and change, obedience to authority, learning theory, attention and problem solving, personality correlates of political activity, and stress and aggression.

POL 347.30**Women and Politics****Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):****SBC:** DIV, SBS+

American Government, Law, and Public Policy; Political Behavior and Political Psychology; American Government, Law, and Public Policy; Political Behavior and Political Psychology

Instructor:

Victoria Smith

Session:

Session I

Dates:5/22/2023 to
7/3/2023**Location:**

ONLINE

Mode/Time:

Asynchronous

Course Description:

Analysis of the role of women in current American politics -- their electoral participation, office seeking, and political beliefs -- and policy issues that have special relevance to women. The course traces the history of American women's political involvement and the historical trajectory of gender-related policy from the mid-19th century to today. This course is offered as both POL 347 and WST 347.

POL 353.30**Contemporary Race Relations in American Politics****Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):****SBC:**

American Government, Law, and Public Policy; Political Behavior and Political Psychology

Instructor:

Romeo Gray

Session:

Session II

Dates:7/10/2023 to
7/19/2023**Location:**

ONLINE

Mode/Time:

Asynchronous

Course Description:

Introduces students to the dynamics of race/ethnicity in United States and specifically examines the role of race/ethnicity in American politics. To help students understand different perspectives on the topic, this course utilizes an interdisciplinary approach that incorporates theoretical frameworks, survey data, and commentary to understand concepts of race and identity.

POL 367.30

Mass Media in American Politic

SBC: SBS+

Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):

American Government, Law, and Public Policy; Political Behavior and Political Psychology

Instructor:
Hillary Style

Session:
Session II

Dates:
7/10/2023 to
7/19/2023

Location:
ONLINE

Mode/Time:
Asynchronous

Course Description:

Competing theories of the power of the press are tested by examining the literature on mass media effects on what the public thinks and what the public thinks about. Various explanations of why news organizations behave as they do are also assessed. Conflicts between freedom of the press and such values as privacy, national security, and the right to fair trial are discussed. The relationships between freedom of the press and the public's right to know are also explored.
