

BSSc (Hons) in Government & International Studies

Faculty of Social Sciences Bachelor of Social Sciences / Bachelor of Arts Programmes

Basic Programme Structure

Major	63 units
Required Courses (including Honours Project) Elective Courses	
General Education Courses	31 units
Free Elective Courses	30 units
Social Sciences Core Course	1 unit
Social Sciences Experiential Learning in Action	3 units
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	128 units

Individual Programme Structure –

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Major Required Courses		30 units
POLS 1005	Foundations of Political Science	3 units
POLS 2006	Introduction to Political Economy	3 units
POLS 2007	Introduction to Research Methods	3 units
POLS 2015	Government and Politics of Hong Kong	3 units
POLS 2017	Foundations of International Relations	3 units
POLS 2025	Foundations of Political Philosophy	3 units
POLS 3006	Statistical and Survey Methods for Political Science	3 units
POLS 3017	Government and Politics of China	3 units
POLS 4898-9	Honours Project	6 units

Major Elective Courses	33 units
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ELEVEN courses from the following list:

EURO 2007	The Political Economy of the European Union	3 units
EURO 2015	Model European Union	3 units
EURO 3205	Comparative Politics of Post-Communist Central Europe	3 units
EURO 4005	Current Issues of European Integration	3 units
POLS 2016	Social Movements and Contentious Politics	3 units
POLS 2205	European Politics and Society: French Political and Government System	3 units
POLS 2206	European Politics and Society: German Political Systems and Society	3 units
POLS 3206	Government & Politics of Japan	3 units
POLS 3225	Religion and Politics	3 units
POLS 3226	War and Peace	3 units

POLS 3227	Greater China: State and Society	3 units
POLS 3235	Comparative Democracies: The United Kingdom and The United States	3 units
POLS 3236	Gender and Politics	3 units
POLS 3237	Social and Political Developments in Contemporary China	3 units
POLS 3245	China and the World	3 units
POLS 4207	Comparative Public Administration	3 units
POLS 4225	Political Cultures & Economies in Transition	3 units
POLS 4226	Public Policy and Governance	3 units
POLS 4227	Security Studies	3 units
POLS 4236	Theories of International Relations	3 units
POLS 4237	Topics in Asian Politics	3 units
POLS 4245	Topics in Comparative & Global Politics	3 units
POLS 4246	Topics in European Politics	3 units
POLS 4247	Comparative Electoral and Party Politics	3 units
POLS 4255	Comparative Regionalism and Regionalization	3 units
POLS 4256	Comparative Authoritarianism and Democratization	3 units
POLS 4257	International and Global Justice	3 units
POLS 4265	Topics in Political Theory and Philosophy	3 units