PPOL 100. Individual Action and Democratic Citizenship. 3 hours. 
Seeking to enhance understanding of the role of the individual as 
democratic citizen in shaping policy issues and outcomes in today's 
world. Course Information: Previously listed as PA 100. Individual 
and Society course.

PPOL 210. Introduction to Public Policy. 3 hours. 
Introduces students to public policy and the policy-making process. 
Course Information: Previously listed PA 210. US Society course.

PPOL 212. Evidence-Based Public Policy. 3 hours. 
Introduction to theories of the policy process, types of evidence that are 
used in policy-making, and barriers and criticisms to evidence-based 
policy-making including policy domains in health, education and the 

PPOL 230. Nonprofit Organizations and Civil Society. 3 hours. 
Introduction to the US nonprofit sector and examines the social, political, 
and economic impact of these organizations. Course Information: Previously 
listed as PA 230. Past course, and US Society course.

Provides a basic introduction to social welfare policies in the United States, 
examines the history of social welfare policies and programs in the US, 
and explores American cultural values and attitudes. Course Information: Previously 
listed as PA 231. Individual and Society course, and World Cultures course.

PPOL 232. International Development Policy. 3 hours. 
Provides a basic introduction to globalization and international 
development, and how public policy can shape and address them. 
Course Information: Previously listed as PA 232. Individual and Society 
course.

PPOL 240. Environmental Policy. 3 hours. 
Provides an introduction to environmental policy and teaches methods needed to understand, 
evaluate, design and implement environment policies, especially in the 
United States. Course Information: Previously listed as PA 240. US Society course.

PPOL 300. Urban Policy and Process. 3 hours. 
Basic structure of the policy process within the urban context 
including the nature of urban policy, its formulation, evaluation, and 
implementation. Emphasis on state and local policy development as it 
relates to urban areas. Course Information: Previously listed as PA 300. 
Field work required. Prerequisite: Admission to the BA in Public Policy 
or Urban Studies and college-level Microeconomics; or consent of the instructor.

PPOL 302. Policy Analysis II: Applications of Quantitative and 
Qualitative Methods. 3 hours. 
Provides an introduction to the available sources of data and tools for 
developing and conducting quantitative policy analyses, emphasis will 
be placed on practical utilization of these resources for the conduct of 
policy analysis work. Course Information: Prerequisite(s): PPOL 202; and 
sophomore standing or above.