

Graduate Learning Goals Report

The Graduate Learning Goals policy can be found at: <http://www.csus.edu/acaf/academic%20resources/policies%20and%20procedures/15-16fs-115%20graduate%20learning%20goals.pdf>

Curriculum Map						
Coursework	PLO 1 & 2	PLO 3	PLO 4	PLO 5	PLO 6	PLO 7
Govt 200	X	X	X	X	X	
Govt 280 and 270	X	X	X	X	X	
Govt 230 and 240	X	X	X	X	X	X
Govt 210 and 219	X	X	X		X	
Govt Electives	X	X	X	X	X	
Govt 500	X	X	X	x		

Institutional Graduate Learning Goal	Program Learning Outcome (PLO)	Assessment Plan			Action Plan
		Lines of Evidence			
		Direct	Indirect	Evaluation Parameters	
<i>Disciplinary Knowledge</i>	PLO 1: Students will demonstrate knowledge of theories and debates in at least one subfield in our program. These fields include International Relations, Political Theory, and California and its Political Environment. PLO 2: Students will also demonstrate knowledge of methods in Political Science.	Assignments in courses. Culminating experience	Alumni Survey	On-going, culminating experience, Follow up with Alumni	In progress
<i>Communication</i>	PLO 3: Students will demonstrate an ability to effectively communicate concepts and arguments relating to Political Science.	Assignments in courses. Culminating experience	Alumni Survey Communication between instructors and Grad. Coordinator.	Admission, On-going, culminating experience, Follow up with Alumni	In progress

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<i>Critical Thinking / Analysis</i>	PLO 4: Students will demonstrate an ability to describe, integrate and analyze major controversies in the field of Political Science.	Assignments in courses. Culminating experience	Alumni Survey	On-going, culminating experience, Follow up with Alumni	In progress
<i>Information Literacy</i>	PLO 5: Students will be able to obtain and analyze relevant information relating to Political Science and politics	Assignments in courses. Culminating experience	Alumni Survey	On-going, culminating experience, Follow up with Alumni	In progress
<i>Professionalism</i>	PLO 6: Students will demonstrate an understanding of the ethics of research in Political Science	Assignments in courses. Culminating experience	Communication between instructors and Grad. Coordinator.	On-going	In progress
<i>Intercultural / Global Perspectives</i>	PLO 7: Students will demonstrate and understanding of global political issues.	Assignments in courses.		On-going	In progress
<i>Research*</i>					

*Required for Doctoral Programs