

**Political Science-Journalism Major Advising Form**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Total units required: 52Required upper division units: 42Required units to graduate: 120**Required Lower Division Courses: 10 units** (Prerequisites, corequisites and notes in parentheses)

Course	Units	Semester
<b>POLS 1</b> , Essentials of Government (POLS 150 may be taken in place of POLS 1)	3	
<b>JOUR 20</b> , Style for Media Writers (Corequisite: JOUR 30)	1	
<b>JOUR 30</b> , News Writing (Corequisite: JOUR 20)	3	
<b>JOUR 50</b> , Mass Media and Critical Thinking <u>OR</u> <b>JOUR 55</b> , Media Communication and Society	3	

**Required Upper Division Courses: 33 units** (Prerequisites, corequisites and notes in parentheses)

Course	Units	Semester
<b>POLS 170</b> , Public Policy and Development (Passing score on WPJ)	3	
<b>POLS 180</b> , California State and Local Government	3	
Select <u>one</u> of the following: <b>POLS 154</b> , Political Parties in America <u>OR</u> <b>POLS 155</b> , The Legislative Process <u>OR</u> <b>POLS 156</b> , Interest Groups <u>OR</u> <b>POLS 157</b> , Politics, Opinion and Participation <u>OR</u> <b>POLS 159A</b> , Campaigns and Elections <u>OR</u> <b>POLS 184</b> , Introduction to Urban Politics	3	
Select <u>one</u> of the following: <b>POLS 120A</b> , Constitutional Law <u>OR</u> <b>POLS 120B</b> , Constitutional Rights and Liberties	3	
Select <u>one</u> of the following: <b>POLS 130</b> , International Politics <u>OR</u> <b>POLS 131</b> , International Organization <u>OR</u> <b>POLS 135</b> , American Foreign Policy	3	
<b>JOUR 130A</b> , News Reporting I (Co-requisite with JOUR 130B; JOUR 20, JOUR 30)	3	
<b>JOUR 130B</b> , News Reporting II (Co-requisite with JOUR 130A; JOUR 20, JOUR 30)	3	
<b>POLS/JOUR 134</b> , War, Peace, and the Media	3	
<b>JOUR 135</b> , Public Affairs Reporting (Passing score on WPJ; JOUR 130A; JOUR 130B)	3	
<b>JOUR 153</b> , Mass Media Law and Regulation	3	
<b>POLS 195*</b> , Internship in Government (Passing score on WPJ, POLS 180 – can be taken concurrently) <u>OR</u> <b>JOUR 195*</b> , Internship (JOUR 130A; JOUR 130B) * Contact internship coordinator	3	

**Upper Division Elective Courses: 9 units**

Course	Units	Semester
<b>POLS</b>	3	
<b>POLS</b>	3	
<b>JOUR</b>	3	

**General Education Checklist**

Upper division GE: 9 units \_\_\_\_ Race and Ethnicity \_\_\_\_ Writing Intensive \_\_\_\_ Foreign Language \_\_\_\_

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