PART I – NEW ACADEMIC PROGRAMS AND PROGRAM CHANGES

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

1. Request to change the requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science (General) in the Department of Political Science.
   a. Under the heading Requirements for the Bachelor of Arts Degree in Political Science (General) replace item 3. with the following:
      a. The following course (4 credits):
         PLS 200 Introduction to Political Science 4
      b. One of the following courses (3 or 4 credits):
         PLS 201 Introduction to Methods of Political Analysis 4
         PLS 202 Introduction to Data Analytics and the Social Sciences 3
      c. One of the following courses (3 or 4 credits):
         PLS 392 Special Topics in Political Science 3 to 4
         PLS 397 Analyzing and Visualizing Data in Politics 3
      d. One of the following courses (4 credits):
         PLS 422 Seminar in Political Science (W) 4
         PLS 481 Undergraduate Research Seminar 4
      e. Two of the following courses (6 credits):
         PLS 100 Introduction to American Politics 3
         PLS 140 Introduction to Comparative Politics 3
         PLS 160 Introduction to International Relations 3
         PLS 170 Introduction to Political Philosophy 3
      f. Complete a minimum of four courses in Political Science at the 300-400 level (12 credits):
         These courses may only count toward the 300-400 level requirement if completed a second time with the exception of PLS 397.
         PLS 392 Special Topics in Political Science 3 to 4
         PLS 397 Analyzing and Visualizing Data in Politics 3
         PLS 422 Seminar in Political Science (W) 4
         PLS 481 Undergraduate Research Seminar 4
      g. Only one of the following courses may count toward the 300-400 level requirement:
         PLS 494 Field Experience in Political Science 3 to 4
         PLS 495 Independent Study 1 to 6
      h. At least one courses is required from three of the following subfields: American Politics, Comparative Politics, International Politics, or Political Philosophy. These courses may meet the 300-400 level requirement.
         American Politics
         PLS 100 Introduction to American Politics 3
         PLS 301 American State Government 3
         PLS 302 Urban Politics 3
         PLS 304 Minority Politics 3
         PLS 310 Public Administration and Policy Making 3
         PLS 313 American Public Policy 3
         PLS 320 Judicial Politics 3
         PLS 321 Constitutional Law 3
         PLS 322 Comparative Legal Systems 3
         PLS 324 Congress 3
         PLS 325 The Presidency 3
         PLS 333 Public Opinion and Political Behavior 3
         PLS 334 Campaigns and Elections 3
         Comparative Politics
         PLS 140 Introduction to Comparative Politics 3
         PLS 342 Comparative Political Economy 3
         PLS 344 Politics of Developing Areas 3
         PLS 345 Religion and World Politics 3
         PLS 346 Middle East Politics 3
         PLS 347 Democratic Regimes 3
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2. Request to change the requirements for the **Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science-Prelaw** in the Department of Political Science.

a. Under the heading **Requirements for the Bachelor of Arts Degree in Political Science-Prelaw** replace item 3. with the following:

   a. Both of the following course (3 credits):
      - PLS 100 Introduction to American Politics | 3
      - PLS 200 Introduction to Political Science | 4
   b. One of the following courses (3 or 4 credits):
      - PLS 201 Introduction to Methods of Political Analysis | 4
      - PLS 202 Introduction to Data Analytics and the Social Sciences | 3
   c. One of the following courses (3 credits):
      - PLS 320 Judicial Politics | 3
      - PLS 321 Constitutional Law | 3
   d. One of the following courses (3 or 4 credits):
      - PLS 392 Special Topics in Political Science | 3 to 4
      - PLS 397 Analyzing and Visualizing Data in Politics | 3
   e. One of the following courses (4 credits):
      - PLS 422 Seminar in Political Science (W) | 4
      - PLS 481 Undergraduate Research Seminar | 4
   f. One of the following courses (6 credits):
      - PLS 140 Introduction to Comparative Politics | 3
      - PLS 160 Introduction to International Relations | 3
      - PLS 170 Introduction to Political Philosophy | 3
   g. Complete a minimum of three courses in Political Science at the 300 -400 level (12 credits). These courses may only count toward the 300-400 level requirement if completed a second time with the exception of PLS 397.
      - PLS 392 Special Topics in Political Science | 3 to 4
      - PLS 397 Analyzing and Visualizing Data in Politics | 3
      - PLS 422 Seminar in Political Science (W) | 4
      - PLS 481 Undergraduate Research Seminar | 4
   h. Only one of the following courses may count toward the 300-400 level requirement:
      - PLS 494 Field Experience in Political Science | 3 to 4
      - PLS 495 Independent Study | 1 to 6
   i. At least one courses is required from three of the following subfields: American Politics, Comparative Politics, International Politics, or Political Philosophy. These courses may meet the 300-400 level requirement.
      - PLS 140 Introduction to Comparative Politics | 3
      - PLS 342 Comparative Political Economy | 3
      - PLS 344 Politics of Developing Areas | 3
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PART II - NEW COURSES AND CHANGES

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

CSUS 464  Environmental and Natural Resource Policy in Michigan
Spring of every year. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Environmental Economics and Management. P: CSUS 200 or EEM 265 or approval of department.
State legislative process and its role in environmental and natural resource policy formulation. Influence of lobbying, citizen engagement and political factors.
SA: ESA 440, RD 440
Effective Spring 2019 Effective Summer 2022

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

GEO 453  Metropolitan Environments: Urban Forms and Land Uses
Spring of every year. Spring of odd years. 3(2-2) 3(3-0) P: GEO 221
Land use change, the physical fabric of the city, and the growth of regional centers in the American urban landscape. Issues associated with urban developments, practices and patterns in the 20th century and the resulting metropolitan form and function. Extensive use of geographic information software in spatial analysis. Land use change, the physical fabric of the city, and the growth of metropolitan centers in a global comparative context. Issues associated with urbanization and current urban pressures, including in the resulting metropolitan form and function.
Effective Fall 2017 Effective Summer 2022

GEO 829  Collection and Analysis of Drone Imagery
Fall of even years. Spring of odd years. 4(2-4) 3(3-0) P: GEO 324 or approval of department. RB: Advanced level remote sensing coursework.
Multi-platform, sensor data collection, pre-processing and analysis across differing subfields; fieldwork and analysis. Multi-platform, sensor data collection, pre-processing and analysis across differing subfields; fieldwork and analysis. Platforms: multiple types of quadcopters, vertical takeoff and landing (VTOL) systems; sensors to be utilized: multispectral, hyperspectral, thermal, red-edge, lidar.
Effective Spring 2021 Effective Fall 2022

HST 804  Advanced Research and Professional Development Seminar
Spring of every year. 3(3-0) P: HST 803
NEW Historical research techniques, methodologies, and professional development.
Effective Spring 2024

HST 901  Writing the Dissertation
Fall of every year. Spring of every year. 3(3-0) A student may earn a maximum of 9 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to graduate students in the College of Social Science or in the Department of History or in the History Major.
Effective Fall 2022

HDFS 860  Youth Policy and Positive Youth Development
Fall of every year. 3(3-0) Federal and state policies and their relationship to youth development. Prev: Federal and state policies and their relationship to youth development. New: Federal and state policies affecting developmental opportunities for youth. Policies contributing to or undermining positive youth development outcomes.
SA: FCE 860
Effective Fall 2010 Effective Fall 2022
HDFS 861  Community Youth Development
Positive Youth Development in Community Settings
Fall of every year. 3(3-0)
SA: FCE 861
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