

DEGREE PROGRAM OVERVIEW

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Bachelor of Arts

NSU-Broken Arrow

The Political Science-Public Administration major requires 36 hours of course work. At least 18 hours of advanced (3000 & 4000 level) courses are required in the political science major. At least eighteen hours of this major must be earned at NSU. A second major or minor may not be earned in Political Science. This degree is offered on both the Broken Arrow and Tahlequah campuses. At Broken Arrow this major requires that four courses be taken through Tulsa Community College (TCC) on the BA campus.

Required Courses (take these 18 hours)

POLS 2353 Intro. to Comparative Politics (TCC-POS2013)
POLS 2613 Intro. to Public Administration (TCC-POS2133)
POLS 2713 Intro. to State & Local Govt. (TCC-POS2103)
POLS 2813 Intro. to Political Theory (TCC-POS2033)
POLS 3083 Scope & Methods of Political Science
POLS 4733 U.S. Constitutional Law

Public Administration Courses (take these 15 hours)

POLS 4623 Public Policy Analysis
POLS 4633 Public Personnel Administration
POLS 4643 Administrative Theory
POLS 4653 Public Finance and Budget
POLS 4663 Administrative Law

TOTAL HOURS IN THE MAJOR: 36

At least 60 hours must be from a 4-year institution.

At least 80 hours must be in Liberal Arts & Sciences courses (marked with # symbol in NSU catalog).

Electives in Major (select 3 hours)

POLS 3513 Legislative Process
POLS 3543 American Presidency
POLS 3573 American Judicial Process
POLS 3743 Municipal Government
POLS 4343 International Law and Organizations
POLS 4543 Political Philosophy and the Law
POLS 4573 American Political Thought
POLS 4993 Public Service Internship
POLS 4000 Workshop
ECON 2113 Principles of Macroeconomics
ECON 2213 Principles of Microeconomics
SOC 3323 Social Statistics
OR BADM 3933 Business Statistics
SOC 4313 Social Research Methods
OR IS 3073 Quantitative Methods
BADM 4423 Business Statistics II

Total hours must include at least 40 hours in upper-division (3000 & 4000 level) courses.

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