

# Political Science (POL SCI)

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## Courses

### **POL SCI 505. Urban Politics and Policy. 3 Credits.**

Structures and operations of city governments and their responses to policy issues such as education, employment, social welfare, housing, transportation, migration, racial discrimination, urban sprawl and social inequality.

P: gr st.

Spring.

### **POL SCI 516. Congress: Politics and Policy. 3 Credits.**

Legislative institutions and policies, emphasizing the U.S. Congress. The role of legislature in American politics; elections, representation, formal and informal legislative institutions and practices, leadership, interest groups and lobbying, and the role of legislatures in policy innovation. P: gr st. (S)

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### **POL SCI 606. State and Local Government. 3 Credits.**

The structure and operation of state and local governments and their administration of public policies and programs; emphasized issues of importance to each level, the interaction between levels, and Wisconsin as a case study.

P: graduate status.

### **POL SCI 610. Intergovernmental Relations. 3 Credits.**

The relations among the federal, state and local units of government; federalism, intergovernmental revenues and expenditures, intergovernmental policies and grants in-aid. P: gr st. (F)

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Fall Only.