

BA PROGRAM IN PUBLIC POLICY MINOR REQUIREMENTS

Total credit hours required in PPOL: Students must take a minimum of **24 credit hours** to satisfy the total credit requirement for a PPOL minor. All courses must be completed with a C- or better in order to count towards and satisfy requirements for the minor.

Public Policy Core (8 credits): All PPOL minors are required to complete the following core courses:

- PPOL 1910 – Hard Choices in Public Policy
- PPOL 2000 – Analysis and Action in American Public Policy

All other Public Policy classes may be taken as electives.

Additional Coursework/Electives (16 credits): PPOL minors may satisfy remaining requirements via PPOL courses of their choosing. PPOL electives do not need to have the PPOL prefix to count towards elective and credit requirements for the PPOL minor. Courses on the pre-approved elective list can be attributed to elective credits. Non-PPOL electives, even if pre-approved, may not automatically appear as such on a degree audit; please contact a PPOL advisor once you have completed an approved course to request that it be moved on your degree audit. Also please note that students may not earn PPOL elective credit for a course, even if pre-approved, from the student's other major(s) or minor(s).

How to declare a minor: Students may declare a minor in PPOL by completing the “[Application to Declare Major/Minor](#)” form and submitting it to the Office of the Registrar.

Graduation: The Office of the Registrar verifies completion of PPOL minor requirements at the time of graduation. The credentials evaluator will look for at least 24 credits in the PPOL minor.