

2+2 Advising Guide for Political Science

Bradley University requires a minimum of 124 hours for graduation. A maximum of sixty-six of these may be transferred from a two year institution. The university also requires 40 junior/senior hours (classes 300 and above). To graduate with honors (*cum laude, magna cum laude or summa cum laude*) students must complete 60 hours at Bradley and have the appropriate GPA.

All students with a major from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (LAS) must complete the university core curriculum requirements, the College requirements, and the requirements of their major. Liberal Arts and Sciences requires that a minimum of 30 of the 40 junior/senior hours come from the College of LAS. Students seeking the Bachelor of Arts degree must complete the 201 or higher level course in a World Language. Students seeking the Bachelor of Science degree must complete 15 hours of math, natural science or computer science courses (including BCC requirements).

BRADLEY UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS

Listed below are Bradley's University core requirements for all students and the equivalent transfer courses from ICC. Note: classes marked *** may meet the requirements for multiple categories, but they can only count toward one Area of Inquiry requirement (e.g. HUM 125 can fulfill the Fine Arts (FA) or Humanities (HU) but not both). Further, some classes from ICC are the equivalent of a 300-level class at Bradley (e.g. ENGL 111 fulfills the C2 requirement). While the classes are accepted and the credits are earned, students completing these courses would not receive junior/senior credits from Bradley.

*Bradley University participates in the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI). Students who complete all IAI GECC requirements except for C1 901 will be able to complete their Bradley Core Curriculum requirements on successful completion of an approved Bradley W2 course.

Area of Inquiry (Hours)	BCC CODE	Approved Transfer Courses
Communication (9) Writing 1	W1	ENGL 110
Writing 2	W2	ENGL 111*
Speech	OC	COMM 110, 212
Fine Arts (3)	FA	ART 110, 142, 150***, 151***, 152***, DANCE 115; FILM 110; HUMAN 123***, 124***, 125***, 128***; INTST 132***, 133***; MCOMM 224; MUS 148, 149***, 150; THTRE 110, 111
Global Perspectives (3-6) ^ § Global Systems OR	GS	GEOG 116***, 118***; HIST 231; INTST

World Cultures	WC	130***, 134*** ART 150***, 151***, 152***; HIST 111***, 112***; HUMAN 123***, 124***, 125***, INTST 132***, 133***; LIT 120***, 124***, 250***; MUS 149***; PHIL 112***
Humanities (3-6) ^ §	HU	ARA 211; CHN 211; FR 211; GER 211; HIST 111***, 112***; HUMAN 123***, 124***, 125***, 129; INTST 132***, 133***; LIT 110, 111, 115***, 117, 119, 120***; 122, 124***, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 230, 250***; PHIL 110, 111, 112***, 115, 116; SPAN 211
Multidisciplinary Integration (3-6)	MI	HUMAN 123***, 124***, 125***, 128***; INTST 132***, 133***, 140***; LIT 115***; PHYSC 110***; SSC 110***, 111***
Natural Science (3-6) ^ §	NS	BIOL 110, 111, 114, 115, 150, 160, 161, 250; CHEM 110, 113, 115, 120, 130, 132, 220, 230; EASC 111, 116, 118, 250; PHYS 110, 120, 212, 213; PHYSC 110, 114
Quantitative Reasoning (3-6) ^ §	QR	BUS 203; MATH 110, 111, 122, 134, 135, 211, 222, 223, 224, 250
Social & Behavioral Sciences (3-6) ^	SB	POLSC 115, 122***, 124***

^ Students are required to take two additional courses from two different areas of inquiry (GS/SW, HU, NS, QR, SB); no more than two courses from the same area of study may count toward BCC requirements.

[§] To promote an even greater breadth of learning, students in the college of LAS take one more BCC course outside their major cluster area (LAS Out of Cluster requirement); this requirement is not covered by IAI.

Core Curriculum Core Practices		
REQUIRED: Writing Intensive **	WI	2 tags
RECOMMENDED: Integrative Learning	IL	2 tags

**W1 + W2 courses cannot be used to satisfy WI tag requirements. However, WI requirements are met by IAI.

It is generally recommended that, once students have registered for their required classes for the semester, they fill out their schedules with core requirements.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Listed below are the courses which are required for a major in the department which have a direct equivalent to Bradley. In some cases, ICC may have requirements for the Associate's degree which do not have a corresponding class at Bradley; in most cases, department elective credit is given. In other cases, the department at Bradley has a 100-200 level requirement which has no equivalent at ICC. Neither of these sets of classes are listed here.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

REQUIRED BU COURSES (ICC CODE)

30 hours required PLS courses; 15 hours 100-200 level requirements

PLS 105 - Intro to American Government (POLSC 115) PLS 205 - Intro to Comparative Politics (POLSC 124) PLS 208 - Fundamentals of International Relations (POLSC 122)