PUBLIC AFFAIRS CERTIFICATE

The Public Affairs certificate is for those interested in government careers and requires courses in public policy and public administration.

About this Program

- **College:** Liberal Arts and Sciences (http://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/colleges-schools/UGLAS/)
- **Credits:** 15 | Completed with minimum grades of C
- More Info (http://polisci.ufl.edu/undergraduate/programs/public-affairs-certificate/)
- Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) (https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/uf.oipr4918/viz/UFStudentLearningOutcomesCertificatesOnly/StudentLearningOutcomes/?publish=yes)

Certificates must contain at least nine credits of coursework that are unique to that program out of all other certificates and minors.

Department Information

The Department of Political Science provides a high-quality educational program for undergraduate students as well as a rigorous honors program. The department also offers a highly selective graduate education ranging from innovative MA programs to a comprehensive PhD program.
Website (https://polisci.ufl.edu/)

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Curriculum

- Combination Degrees
- International Relations Certificate
- Political Campaigning Certificate
- Political Science
- Public Affairs Certificate

Credits earned toward the certificate also count toward the political science major.

Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
PAD 3003	Introduction to Public Administration (a core course in public administration)	3
PUP 3002	Current Controversies in Public Policy (a core course in public policy)	3
Select three 3000/4000-level courses from one of the following:		9
	The policy process (e.g., bureaucratic politics)	
	A substantive policy area (e.g., health politics and policy or politics and ecology)	
Total Credits		**15**

Students are encouraged to serve an internship in government and to complete an honors thesis in the area of public affairs.