



What can I do with a major in **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Political Science majors develop a broad range of skills that prepare them for career paths in a variety of industries!

JOB TITLES

Common job titles for Political Science majors:

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| Activist or Organizer | CIA Analyst or Agent |
| Campaign Officer | Attorney |
| Congressional Office Staffer | Lobbyist or Activist |
| Foreign Service Officer | Policy Analyst |

INDUSTRIES

Common industries Political Science majors work in:

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| Politics | International Affairs | Nonprofits |
| Law | Government | Media |
| Business | Education | |

Transferable Skills

-  **Communication and Listening**
-  **Critical Thinking**
-  **Leadership and Initiative**
-  **Analytical Skills**
-  **Adaptability and Flexibility**

Employers

Employers who hire Political Science majors include:

-  **Deloitte**
-  **Amazon**
-  **Google**
-  **Vanguard**
-  **Booze Allen Hamilton**
-  **U.S. Military**
-  **U.S. Department of State**
-  **U.S. House of Representatives**

GET STARTED

- Research programs and coursework to focus on relevant specializations or concentrations of interest.
- Develop leadership skills and run for office in student clubs or organizations.
- Seek classes and experiences that will prepare you for strict job guidelines.
- Network with industry professionals (alumni, employers, etc.) and join related social or professional organizations.
- **Meet with a Liberal Arts Career Coach!**

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