

# HONORS SPECIALIZATION IN POLITICS, PHILOSOPHY, AND ECONOMICS – POLITICS AND PHILOSOPHY CONCENTRATION (PPE-P)

The PPE program is a selective program that prepares students for professional and graduate programs and leadership roles in politics, law, public policy, economics and business. The PPE program has two streams: PPE-E is a module with concentration in Economics, PPE-P is a module with concentration in Politics and Philosophy. Enrollment in the program is limited. Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance. Below is a suggested breakdown of coursework by year of study.

FIRST YEAR: 5.0

Students must complete first-year requirements with no failures, Student must also achieve an average of at least 75% with no mark under 70% in 3.0 principle courses which must include Economics 1021A/B and Economics 1022A/B; Political Science 1020E; and 1.0 Philosophy course at the 1000-level\*

Student must also have an MCV4U or equivalent credit or take Calculus 1000A/B, Calculus 1500A/B, Mathematics 0110A/B, or Mathematics 1225A/B.

Course	Credit	Check
Economics 1021A/B <i>Principles of Microeconomics</i> *	0.5	
Economics 1022A/B <i>Principles of Macroeconomics</i> *	0.5	
Political Science 1020E <i>Introduction to Political Science</i> *	1.0	
Course(s) in Philosophy at the 1000-level*	1.0	
Calculus 1000A/B <i>Calculus I</i> ** or Calculus 1500A/B <i>Calculus I for the Mathematical Sciences</i> ** or Mathematics 0110A/B <i>Introductory Calculus</i> ** or Mathematics 1225A/B <i>Methods of Calculus</i> **	0.5	
Elective or Other	0.5	
Elective or Other	1.0	

\*Students can enter the module if they have completed the calculus requirement and 2.0 of the required 3.0 principal courses. Students must complete the remaining 1.0 principal course within 12 months after entering the module

\*\*Engineering and Science students may substitute Applied Math 1413 for Calculus 1000A/B or 1500A/B

SECOND YEAR: 5.0

Students must achieve a 70% average with nothing under 60% in modular courses to progress

Course	Credit	Check
PPE 2200F <i>Introduction to Politics, Philosophy, and Economics</i>	0.5	
Economics 2150A/B <i>Intermediate Microeconomic Theory I</i>	0.5	
Economics 2151A/B <i>Intermediate Microeconomic Theory II</i>	0.5	
Course from Philosophy 2700F/G (recommended), 2200F/G, 2202F/G, or 2500F/G	0.5	
Course from Philosophy 2700F/G (recommended), 2200F/G, 2202F/G, or 2500F/G	0.5	
Political Science 2237E <i>Introduction to Political Theory</i>	1.0	
Elective or Other	0.5	
Elective or Other	1.0	

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THIRD YEAR: 5.0

Students must achieve a 70% average with nothing under 60% in modular courses to progress

Course	Credit	Check
Course from Politics, Philosophy, or Economics*	1.0	
Course from Politics, Philosophy, or Economics*	1.0	
Political Science 3324F/G <i>Introduction to Research Methods in Political Science</i>	0.5	
Elective Or Other	0.5	
Elective or Other	1.0	
Elective or Other	1.0	

\*Credits must be from at least two of the three PPE disciplines (Political Science, Philosophy, and Economics). Political Science and Philosophy credits must be numbered 2200 and above: Economics courses should be numbered 2100-2199.

FOURTH YEAR: 5.0

Students must achieve a 70% average with nothing under 60% in modular courses to complete the program

Course	Credit	Check
PPE 4100E <i>Senior Research Seminar in Politics, Philosophy, and Economics</i>	1.0	
Course from Politics or Philosophy 3000-4999*	1.0	
Course from Politics or Philosophy 3000-4999*	1.0	
Elective or Other	1.0	
Elective or Other	1.0	

\*Students must earn at least 2.0 credits in Political Science or Philosophy numbered 3000 and higher

NOTE: Many of the intermediate and upper-level courses that can count towards this module have prerequisites. Students should carefully plan their programs of study accordingly.

**For breadth, essay, and residency requirements, please refer to the Western Academic Calendar.**

***You are responsible for the accuracy and completeness of your program***