

**FOUR YEAR PLAN**

# **POLITICS & LAW PRE-LAW TRACK**

**DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, POLITICS & LAW**  
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# PRE-LAW

## ABOUT

The SNU Politics and Law program strives to equip students to be thoughtful and knowledgeable voices and actors in the political, economic and social debates of the day. It has a dedicated pre-law track for students wishing to pursue a legal career. It aims to train students to think analytically and write effectively, two skills which are essential for law school and beyond. It also has a political science track for

those looking to work in any number of related fields, businesses and policy areas.

The program offers courses in the main areas of political science – American Government, Comparative Politics, International Relations, Intro to Law – and numerous electives that examine the political context in a variety of topics, such as sports and politics, nuclear weapons, East Asian politics, Constitutional law and American foreign policy.

## DEGREE PLAN

*\*\*The courses listed are for this specific program and are in addition to the general education courses required for all students. See the General Education brochure or go to [snu.edu/gen-ed](http://snu.edu/gen-ed) for more information on those courses.*

01

US History 1  
US History 2

02

Introduction to Political Studies  
Introduction to Law  
Logic  
Ethics  
State & Local Government\*

03

Internship  
Constitutional Law\*  
Constitutional Law\*  
Business Law\*

04

Legislative Process\*  
Judicial Process\*  
Sports Law\*  
Criminal Law\*

\*Denotes an elective, 24 elective hours total needed



“My freshman year our department visited the state capital building. It was the first time I was able to sit in a courtroom during a trial. I got to see what actually happens, how the prosecutor and defense attorney interact with the judge and witnesses, and how the judge controlled the courtroom.”

–Paydon Spencer

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