

## POLITICAL SCIENCE

Career Exploration resources based on student and alumni success stories in Political Science professions and roles

### EXAMPLES OF INDUSTRIES YOU CAN ENTER:

- Government & Public Administration
- Law & Legal Services
- Public Policy & Policy Research
- International Affairs & Diplomacy
- Nonprofit & Advocacy Organizations

### SAMPLE CAREERS:

- Legislative or Policy Analyst
- Public Affairs Specialist
- Government Program Coordinator
- Campaign or Political Consultant
- International Relations Officer

### TRANSFERRABLE SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE:

- Critical analysis of political systems
- Research and data interpretation
- Policy analysis and evaluation
- Written communication
- Oral communication and debate
- Argumentation and persuasion
- Understanding of law and governance
- Global and comparative perspectives
- Ethical reasoning
- Problem-solving and strategic thinking

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### ***PREVIOUS INTERNSHIP / JOB HOST SITES FOR BOBCATS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE:***

- UCLA Law Fellows
- UCDC & UC Sacramento
- Capital Fellows
- The Maddy Institute
- Gov. Newsom's Office of External Relations
- LA County's DA Office
- CA State Assembly
- Assemblywoman Soria
- City of Visalia
- Congressman Adam Gray

### ***ADDITIONAL RESOURCES TO SUPPORT YOU IN GETTING READY FOR THE FIELD:***

- The Student Career Center
- Center for Analytic Political Engagement (CAPE)
- Political Science Honors Program
- Political Science Internships (Department Site)
- Pre-Law Resources & Merced Pre-Law Society
- Undergraduate Research & Faculty Mentorship
- UCDC/UCCS

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