Dual Advising System: CSU, Chico utilizes a dual advising system to help you graduate on time. Undergraduate students are provided support through the Academic Advising Programs office as well as a major department advisor. While Academic Advisors help answer questions regarding GE, campus policies and procedures, and general university questions, your major department advisor can help with questions regarding major coursework, internships, and course substitutions.

MAP: Please review the Major Academic Plan (MAP) created to guide you toward completing all the requirements of your degree in four years.

**Required Courses: 28 Units**

______ POLS 141  Introduction to International Relations
______ POLS 142  Introduction to Comparative Politics
______ POLS 331W Introduction to Research Methods (4 units)¹
______ POLS 345  War and Conflict
______ POLS 346  International Organizations and NGOs
______ POLS 347  Comparative Political Behavior
______ POLS 412  Comparative Political Institutions
______ POLS 434  Origins of Western Political Thought
______ POLS 441W Capstone in Comparative Politics and International Relations²

**Elective Courses: 21 Units**

______ POLS 102  Politics of the Developing World³
______ POLS 340A  Model United Nations
______ POLS 340B  Model United Nations
______ POLS 344  U.S. Foreign Policy
______ POLS 410  International Law
______ POLS 411  Political Economy
______ POLS 413  Political Development

¹ This class meets the Graduation Writing Assessment Requirement.
² This class meets the Upper Division Writing Requirement for the major
³ This class meets the Global Cultures Diversity Requirement for GE and is in the D1 Disciplinary Area (Individual/Society) for GE
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Two Courses Required: 6 Units

- POLS 141 Introduction to International Relations
- POLS 142 Introduction to Comparative Politics

Elective Courses: 14 Units Required

- POLS 102 Politics of the Developing World
- POLS 340A Model United Nations
- POLS 340B Model United Nations
- POLS 344 U.S. Foreign Policy
- POLS 345 War and Conflict
- POLS 346 International Organizations and NGOs
- POLS 347 Comparative Political Behavior
- POLS 410 International Law
- POLS 411 Political Economy
- POLS 412 Comparative Political Institutions
- POLS 413 Political Development
- POLS 414 Politics of Terrorism
- POLS 443 Politics of Europe
- POLS 444 Politics of Africa
- POLS 446 Politics of the Middle East
- POLS 449 Issues in Comparative Politics and International Relations
- POLS 489B Internship in International Relations

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4 These classes are in the Global Development Studies Pathway and meet the Global Cultures Diversity Requirement for GE and the Upper Division GE Requirement in UD-C (Arts-Humanities)
5 A semester of language meets the GE C2 Disciplinary Area (Humanities) requirement
6 This class meets the Global Cultures Diversity Requirement for GE and is in the D1 Disciplinary Area (Individual/Society) for GE