Politics and the Media
3700:502:001  MWF  3:20 – 4:10 p.m.  Stephen Brooks
3700:502:601 (Columbus DL)  MWF  3:20 – 4:10 p.m.  Stephen Brooks
3700:502:602 (DL)  MWF  3:20 – 4:10 p.m.  Stephen Brooks
Examination of relationships between the press, the news media and political decision makers.

Global Public Health Threats
3700:513:001  TTh  3:15 – 4:30 p.m.  Terrence O'Sullivan
An introduction to comparative global biological and public health security policy. Topics include: infectious disease outbreaks, bioterrorism, and potential "nano-terrorism."

Wealth and Power Among Nations
3700:514:001  TTh  1:45 – 3:00 p.m.  Karl Kaltenthaler
Studies relationship between politics and economy; mesh theoretical perspectives with exploration of the key empirical issues. Topics include: trade, relations, unions, finance, development, aid, sanctions.

Methods of Policy Analysis
3700:542:800  TTh  5:10 – 6:25 p.m.  James Holland
Examines variety of methods available for analyzing public policies. Techniques of cost benefit analysis, evaluation research quasi-experimentation are covered as well as consideration of ethical questions in policy analysis, the practical problems facing policy analysts.

Political Scandals and Corruption
3700:543:001  TTh  10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  Nancy Marion
This course will provide information on major political scandals, including media coverage, public opinion, the role of special prosecutors, and the impacts of scandals.

Al Qaeda
3700:545:001  TTh  9:15 – 10:30 a.m.  Karl Kaltenthaler
This course explores the causes and consequences of Al Qaeda’s terrorism. Students will weigh different explanations for why individuals join and participate in terrorist groups.

Supreme Court & Const Law
3700:561:800  MW  6:40 – 7:55 p.m.  Thomas Watkins
Interpretation of the U.S. Constitution by the U.S. Supreme Court with emphasis on federal judicial, legislative and executive power, separation of powers, federalism, and states’ rights.

Campaign Management I
3700:570:800  Wed  5:20 – 7:50 p.m.  Daniel Coffey
3700:570:680 (Columbus DL)  Wed  5:20 – 7:50 p.m.  Daniel Coffey
Reading, research and practice in campaign management decision making.

Voter Contact and Elections
3700:573:001  MWF  2:15 – 3:05 p.m.  Daniel Coffey
Theoretical and practical approaches to gaining votes in all types of political campaigns.
American Interest Groups
3700:575:100 MWF 8:50 – 9:40 a.m. James Holland
Reading and research on the development, structure and function of interest groups in the United States.

Lobbying
3700:577:800 Mon 5:20 – 7:50 p.m. Stephen Brooks
Examines the lobbying profession in the political process. Topics include theories of lobbying, tools of lobbying, the lobbying process, and types of lobbying.

The Challenges of Police Work
3700:581:001 MWF 1:10 – 2:00 p.m. David Licate
3700:581:800 TTh 6:40 – 7:55 p.m. TBA
Analysis of various political dimensions underlying the study of politics and policing in the context of police reform, crime, and the community.

Const. Problems in Crim Just
3700:583:001 MWF 12:05 – 12:55 p.m. Phillip Marcin
Analyzes Supreme Court policy-making regarding problems of criminal justice, including search and seizure, self-incrimination, right to counsel, jury selection, and post-appeal prisoner rights.

ST: National Battleground
3700:592:800 Tues 5:20 – 7:50 p.m. John Green/
3700:592:681 (Columbus DL) Tues 5:20 – 7:50 p.m. Gerald Austin
Politics does not end with elections—in fact, it just begins. This course will follow national and Ohio politics after the 2014 election, following the activities of the White House, Congress, the major political parties and interest groups.

ST: Legislative Strategy & Drafting
3700:592:801 Tues 4:25 – 6:25 p.m. William Batchelder
Topics of substantial current importance or specialized topics with political science.

Scope and Theories of Political Science
3700:600:800 Th 5:20 – 7:50 p.m. Ronald Gelleny
3700:600:681 (Columbus DL) Th 5:20 – 7:50 p.m. Ronald Gelleny
Emphasis on the nature, scope and content of political theory; theory construction and validation in political science.

Research Methods in Political Science
3700:601:800 Tues 6:40 – 9:10 p.m. Namkyung Oh
Prerequisite: 600 or permission. Techniques of quantitative research methodology in political science; utility and limitations of quantitative analysis.

Seminar in Security Studies
3700:612:800 Wed 5:20 – 7:50 p.m. Karl Kaltenthaler
The aim of the course is to introduce graduate students to the study of national security politics and policy.

Campaign & Election Law
3700:655:801 MW 5:10 – 6:30 p.m. William Rich
Examines the legal environment for political campaigns. Topics include historical background, legal foundation, voting rights, filing requirements, campaign finance and political advertising.