

B.A. in Constitutional Democracy

36 credit hours (54 max.), Grade of C- or higher in all major coursework

Student Name: _____ Student ID: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Catalog Year: _____ Minor or Additional Major: _____ Advisor: _____

I. Required Common Curriculum Coursework (15 credit hours)

CNST DEM 2450: Intellectual World of the American Founders Semester: _____ Grade: _____

CNST DEM 2100: Revolutionary Transformation of Early America Semester: _____ Grade: _____

CNST DEM 2455: Constitutional Debates Semester: _____ Grade: _____

CNST DEM 2120: Young Republic Semester: _____ Grade: _____

CNST DEM 4400: History of American Law Semester: _____ Grade: _____

Honors sections of 2450 and 2455 are taught each fall, and non-Honors sections of these classes are taught in the spring. Honors sections of 2100 and 2120 are taught each spring, and non-Honors sections in the fall. 4400 is offered each fall.

II. Concentration Area Coursework (15 credit hours)

Students must take a minimum of 15 hours of coursework in a single concentration area in the Constitutional Democracy major. The 15 hours of concentration area coursework must include:

- At least nine (9) hours of coursework at the 3000-level or higher
- Courses in at least two separate disciplines (e.g., if a student has taken four History U.S. & the World concentration area electives, they must take a fifth course in Political Science)

Indicate concentration area and specific courses below:

____ U.S. & the World ____ Politics & Policy ____ Law & Institutions ____ Social & Political Thought

Concentration Area (any level): _____ Semester: _____ Grade: _____

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Concentration Area 3000/4000-level: _____ Semester: _____ Grade: _____

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*Students may petition the B.A. director to have up to three-credit hours of coursework not listed as an approved class for their concentration area count toward fulfilling this requirement. See democracy.missouri.edu/undergraduate/ba for a list and descriptions of all Concentration Area courses.

III. Experiential Learning Requirement (3 credit hours)

Experiential Course: _____ Semester: _____ Grade: _____

*A course cannot be used to satisfy both an experiential and a concentration area requirement. A list of experiential courses approved for the BA can be found at democracy.missouri.edu/undergraduate/ba. Students can petition the degree director to have courses not on this list apply toward the major.

IV. Thesis/Capstone Requirement (3 credit hours)

Students can fulfill the thesis/capstone requirement for the major in one of two ways

CNST DEM 4996: Thesis in Constitutional Democracy Semester: _____ Grade: _____

or

Additional 4000-level course in concentration area: _____ Semester: _____ Grade: _____



(List courses already completed and courses to be completed)

Ed = General Education, G = Graduation, B = Basic Skills, O = course may be used for other degree requirements

All General Education and Graduation requirements must be met with a grade of C- or better (except for the American Gov./History requirement)

	Department/Course #	Semester		Department/Course #	Semester
ENGLISH 1000 OR EQUIVALENT ^{Ed, B}			MATH 1100/1120, 1160, 1180 ^{Ed, B}		
WRITING INTENSIVE I (1000+) ^{Ed, O}			MATH REASONING PROFICIENCY ^{Ed, B, O}		
WRITING INTENSIVE II (3000+) ^{G, O}			CAPSTONE ^{G, O}		
AMERICAN GOVERNMENT OR HISTORY ^{Ed, B, O}			DIVERSITY REQUIREMENT (DI) ^O		

FOREIGN LANGUAGE (GENERALLY 12-13 HOURS; MUST BE IN THE SAME LANGUAGE) ^B

Department/Course #	Semester	Department/Course #	Semester	Department/Course #	Semester	Department/Course #	Semester

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE FOUNDATION (BREADTH OF STUDY AND DEPTH OF STUDY) REQUIREMENTS

(List courses already completed and courses to be completed)

— Arts and Science Foundation courses satisfy the MU Distribution of Content requirement for an Arts and Science degree —

(if student is pursuing a second non-A&S degree and/or transfers to another division, check with the appropriate advisor concerning courses meeting MU Distribution of Content requirement)

	DEPARTMENT AND COURSE NUMBER	SEMESTER/ GRADE	CREDIT HOURS	TOTAL HOURS	
AREA 1 — BIOLOGICAL, PHYSICAL, AND MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES 9 hours minimum covering at least 2 of 3 categories (must include 1 science lab). Examples include Biological : biology, biological anthropology; Physical : chemistry, geology, physics; Mathematical : mathematics, statistics.					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consult the A&S Advising website for courses that meet A&S Foundation requirements One non-A&S course can count toward the 2000 level or higher course requirement Only one non-A&S course may be counted in each of the four areas Courses in the major department may not be used to fulfill A&S Foundation (Breadth of Study and Depth of Study) requirements 30 of the last 36 hours must be taken as MU courses In order to graduate, students must have the following Grade Point Averages (GPAs): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2.0 cumulative GPA 2.0 major GPA 2.0 minor GPA 2.0 GPA in the final 30 hours 2.0 GPA in the final 60 hours
AREA 2 — BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES 5 hours minimum. Examples include anthropology (excluding biological anthropology), psychology and sociology.					
AREA 3 — SOCIAL SCIENCES 9 hours minimum covering at least 2 subjects. Examples include economics, geography, history and political science.					
AREA 4 — HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS 12 hours minimum covering at least 3 subjects. Examples include appreciation of art, music or theatre; classical humanities; creative and performing arts; foreign civilizations; history of art, music or theatre; literature; philosophy; and religious studies.					

Three 2000 level or above Arts & Science approved courses (minimum 9 hours) must be distributed in at least two of the four areas listed above. One course must be an MU course.

List courses _____

In order to graduate, students must complete a minimum of (A) 120 hours of degree applicable credit (including major, foundation courses, general education, minor [optional], and electives) including (B) 30 hours numbered 3000 or above. You will receive an e-mail stating progress toward requirements A and B. This information is also available at 107 Lowry Hall a few weeks after filing this graduation plan.