II. **POLS Departmental Learning Outcomes:**

I. KNOWLEDGE

Students will be able to show evidence of factual and/or theoretical knowledge in the three areas of the major:

- US politics
- Political theory
- Other countries’ systems of government/the international political system

II. RESEARCH

Students will be able to find information on politics in academic sources and use this information to support or evaluate an argument(s).

III. WRITING

Students will be able to express ideas and formulate arguments using written modes of communication common to political science.

IV. CITIZENSHIP

Students will be able to define and explain their own sense of citizenship.