



University of Kentucky

Political Science

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ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

The University of Kentucky is home to more than 70 nationally ranked programs, including more than 25 programs in the top 20. This major public research university consistently ranks among the top institutions for quality and value in the U.S. In addition, the University of Kentucky's diverse student population represents 117 countries, every state in the US, and every county in Kentucky.

POLITICAL SCIENCE DEGREE

The Political Science major is offered as a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree and prepares students for issues of power, conflict, and justice. Students will study theories of government and the development of political systems along with the role of groups and individuals within the political process. With this understanding, students will begin to explain why governments and people behave the way they do and see how changes to a government system will alter the behavior in the future. The Department of Political Science at the University of Kentucky offers a wide range of courses spanning the sub-fields of American Politics, Comparative Politics, and International Relations. Specific subjects include: political processes, judicial behavior, political theory, international conflict, political behavior, comparative institutions, public administration, women in politics, constitutional law, and state and local government. A Political Science degree from the University of Kentucky will prepare students for career opportunities including:

- Public Administration
- International Affairs Specialist
- Journalism
- Law Enforcement
- Teachers/Professors
- Lawyers or Judges
- Legislative Staff Members
- Political Analyst
- Politicians
- Public Policy Researchers
- Campaign Management
- News Correspondents

STUDENT SUPPORT RESOURCES

- A&S Liaison to assist with questions and support while at UK. Contact: Megan Koshurba (WeChat: Meko225).
- The University of Kentucky has an experienced Chinese alumnus who will personally assist all students (at no charge) with the application process and provide personal guidance to all students.
- Professional advisors assigned to all students to help students determine degree requirements.
- Students who wish to enhance their English speaking and reading abilities have the opportunity to enroll in English intensive courses to better their knowledge of the language.
- International Center provides support to Chinese students while attending the University of Kentucky and beyond.
- A well-established and award winning Confucius Institute.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- All students participating our partnership with an Arts & Sciences major will be awarded the Arts & Sciences International Excellence Scholarship in the guaranteed amount of \$1,000 during their undergraduate studies.
- All students are eligible for consideration for the University of Kentucky transfer student scholarship. Please see <http://www.uky.edu/financialaid/scholarship-transfer-students> for scholarship details and application information. The deadline for receipt of admission application, transcript, and scholarship application is normally in early June. Contact us for the exact deadline.
- The College of Arts & Sciences offers scholarships housed in the Dean's Office. Please see <https://www.as.uky.edu/scholarships> for information about these scholarships along with the online application. There is only one application for all the scholarships and you are placed in the candidate pool for any scholarship you qualify for.



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肯塔基大学简介

肯塔基大学开设70多个全美排名领先的学位课程，其中超过25个位列前20名。作为一所主要的公立研究型大学，肯塔基大学在美国大学的教学品质和性价比方面名列前茅。除此之外，肯塔基大学的学生群体多元，学生们来自全球117个国家，美国50个州和肯塔基州的120个县。

政治学专业

政治学专业以文科学士学位或理科学士学位授予，本专业关注权利、冲突和司法等议题。在学习政府理论和政治系统发展的同时，学生会理解在政治进程中集体和个人发挥的作用。有了这些理解后，学生能够开始解释为什么政府和个人会有某种行为，为什么政府系统的变化会改变未来的行为。肯塔基大学政治学系的课程涉及领域广泛，如美国政治细分领域、比较政治学和国际关系。课程主题包括：政治进程、司法行为、政治理论、国际冲突、政治行为、比较机构、公共管理、政治中的女性、宪法以及国家和地方政府。肯塔基大学政治学专业毕业生的就业方向包括：

- 公共管理专家
- 国际事务专家
- 新闻业专业人员
- 执法工作者
- 教师/教授
- 律师或法官
- 立法委员助理
- 政治分析师
- 政治家
- 公共政策研究员
- 竞选经理
- 新闻记者

学生支持资源

- 文理学院联络员会协助解答问题和在校期间提供支持。联络员：Megan Koshurba（微信号：Meko225）。
- 肯塔基大学经验丰富的中国校友会在申请过程当中帮助所有学生并提供个人指导建议（无偿）。
- 所有学生均分配一位专业指导顾问，帮其决定自己的达到学位要求课程。
- 希望提高英语口语和阅读能力的学生可以参加英语强化课程以增强语言能力。
- 国际中心为中国学生在肯塔基大学就读期间和其他方面提供支持。
- 还有一所完善成熟的著名孔子学院作为强大后盾。

奖学金

- 所有选择我们与文理学院联办专业的学生在本科学习期间均会获得1000美元的文理学院国际卓越奖学金。
- 所有学生都有资格参加肯塔基大学转学奖学金的评选。奖学金具体内容和申请信息请见<http://www.uky.edu/financialaid/scholarship-transfer-students>。入学申请、成绩单和奖学金申请书接收截止日期一般在6月初。请联系我们咨询实际截止日期。
- 文理学院奖学金由院长办公室管理。奖学金具体内容和申请信息请见<https://www.as.uky.edu/scholarships>。所有奖学金，一次申请即可；申请后你将入选符合资格的奖学金。