


2024 - 2025 Major Map

Civic and Economic Thought and Leadership, BA

School/College: The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
LACELBA



Term 1 0 - 14 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
⚠ CEL 100: Great Ideas of Politics and Ethics (CIVI OR HU)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASU 101 or college-specific equivalent First-Year Seminar required of all first-year students. ASU Language Placement: Only true beginners are eligible for 101-level courses. All other students are required to take a placement exam, regardless of prior credit earned. Select your career interest area and play me3@ASU. Create a first draft resume.
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR			
ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR	3	C	
ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition			
LIA 101: Student Success in The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	1		
MAT 142: College Mathematics (MATH OR MA)	3	C	
Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of a language course at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent), including American Sign Language IV.	4	C	
Term hours subtotal:	14		
Term 2 14 - 30 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
⚠ CEL 200: Great Debates in American Politics (AMIT OR HU)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Activate your Handshake account and build out your profile Join a student club or professional organization.
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR			
ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR	3	C	
ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition			
Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of a language course at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent), including American Sign Language IV.	4	C	
Global Communities, Societies and Individuals (GCSI)	3		
Humanities, Arts and Design (HUAD)	3		
⚠ Complete ENG 101 or ENG 105 or ENG 107 course(s).			
Term hours subtotal:	16		
Term 3 30 - 44 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of a language course at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent), including American Sign Language IV.	4	C	
CEL Elective	3	C	
Humanities, Arts and Design (HUAD)	3		
Scientific Thinking in Natural Sciences (SCIT)	4		
⚠ Complete First-Year Composition requirement.			
⚠ Complete Mathematics (MATH) requirement.			
Term hours subtotal:	14		
Term 4 44 - 61 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes

 Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following:	4	C
* Completion of a language course at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent), including American Sign Language IV.		
Quantitative Reasoning (QTRS)	3	
Scientific Thinking in Natural Sciences (SCIT)	4	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (SOBE)	3	
Sustainability (SUST)	3	
Term hours subtotal:	17	

- See your academic advisor to explore **internship** opportunities.
- Secure a **part-time job** or **volunteer experience**.

Term 5 61 - 76 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 CEL 300: Debating Capitalism	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CEL 499 and additional CEL 484 internship hours may be used to satisfy the CEL elective requirement. • Explore graduate programs with faculty and your advisor.
Upper Division American Political Thought	3	C	
Upper Division Related Area Electives	3	C	
CEL Upper Division Elective	3	C	
American Institutions (AMIT)	3		
Term hours subtotal:	15		

Term 6 76 - 91 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 Upper Division Leadership and Statesmanship for the 21st Century	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop your professional online presence. • Use Handshake to research employment opportunities.
CEL 484: Internship	3	C	
Upper Division Related Area Electives	3	C	
Complete 2 courses:	6		
Upper Division Elective			
Term hours subtotal:	15		

Term 7 91 - 106 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 Upper Division Moral and Political Thought	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gather online references. • Update and polish your resume. • Apply to graduate programs.
CEL 475: Statesmanship and American Grand Strategy (HUAD OR HU)	3	C	
CEL Upper Division Elective	3	C	
Complete 2 courses:	6		
Elective			
Term hours subtotal:	15		

Term 8 106 - 120 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 CEL 485: Capstone Seminar in Civic and Economic Thought and Leadership	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete an in person or virtual practice interview. • Apply for full-time career opportunities.
 Upper Division Economic Thought and Political Economy	3	C	
Upper Division Elective	3		
Complete 2 courses:	5		
Elective			
Term hours subtotal:	14		

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Moral and Political Thought	American Political Thought	Economic Thought and Political Economy
CEL 320: Modern Political Thought: Origins and Debates about Modern Liberty (CIVI OR HU)	CEL 394: Debates in American Civic and Public Affairs	CEL 304: Classical to Modern Economic Thought

CEL 375: Politics and Leadership in the Age of Revolutions, 1776-1826	CEL 394: Democracy in America	CEL 345: Modern Economic Classics
CEL 394: Comparative Political Thought	CEL 394: Liberalism and Conservatism in America	CEL 350: Philosophy, Politics and Economics (SOBE OR SB)
CEL 394: Faith and Reason: The Trial of Galileo	CEL 394: Lincoln: Rhetoric, Thought, Statesmanship	CEL 394: The American Political Economy
CEL 394: Justice and Virtue	CEL 394: Race and the American Story	CEL 494: Adam Smith and Classical Political Economy
CEL 394: Medieval Political Thought	CEL 394: Union in Crises	
CEL 394: Russian Political Thought from Peter I to Putin	CEL 494: Arizona Politics & Constitution	
CEL 394: Women In Political Thought & Leadership	CEL 494: The American Constitution I	
CEL 420: Political Thought and Literature	CEL 494: The American Constitution II: Civil Liberties	
Leadership and Statesmanship for the 21st Century	Related Area Electives	
CEL 305: Classical Political Statecraft	AFR Upper Division Elective	
CEL 390: Leading a Life of Meaning: Liberal Learning and You	COM Upper Division Elective	
CEL 394: Civil-Military Relations in America	ECN Upper Division Elective	
CEL 394: Leadership and Service: Israel & the West Bank	HON Upper Division Elective	
CEL 394: Left and Right Around the World	HST Upper Division Elective	
CEL 394: Russian Political Thought from Peter I to Putin	JUS Upper Division Elective	
CEL 394: Sports and Leadership	PHI Upper Division Elective	
CEL 395: Leadership and Service Global Intensive Experience: India	POS Upper Division Elective	
CEL 481: Debating Globalism and Nationalism, Past and Present (G)	SGS Upper Division Elective	
CEL 494: Just War	SOS Upper Division Elective	
CEL 494: National Security Policy Design		
CEL 494: Political Leadership and Statesmanship		

- **Total Hours:** 120
- **Upper Division Hours:** 45 minimum
- **University Undergraduate Graduation Requirements**

Notes:

Mathematics Placement Assessment score determines placement in first mathematics course.

Please keep in mind that the applicability of a specific transfer course toward an ASU degree program depends on the requirements of the department, division, college or school in which you are enrolled at ASU. Transfer agreements that guarantee the completion of university level requirements do not necessarily meet college and major requirements. Please consult with an advisor for more information.

General Studies designations listed next to courses on the major map were valid for the 2024 - 2025 academic year. Please refer to the course catalog for current General Studies designations at time of class registration. General Studies credit is applied according to the designation the course carries at the time the class is taken.

