

Curriculum (AY2024 and onwards)

The BSocSci Hons in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics is designed as a four-year course. Students are required to complete 134 academic units (AUs) for graduation.

The distribution of the courses of study and the number of academic units are shown below.

Curriculum Structure							
A. Major Requirements				B. Interdisciplinary Collaborative Core (ICC)		C. Broadening and Deepening Electives (BDE)	Total (AUs)
Core	Prescribed Electives	Interdisciplinary Special Topic Capstone (Core)	Grad Project* or Prescribed Electives	Common Core	Foundational Core		
45	34	4	8	17	10	16	134
15 Courses	10 Courses	1 Course		7 Courses	3 Courses		

Table A: Major Requirements (CORE and Major PE)

Major Requirements	91
<u>Core Courses (45 AU)</u> HE1001 Microeconomics I HE1002 Macroeconomics I HE2001 Microeconomics II HE2002 Macroeconomics II HE2003 Econometrics I HA2001 Philosophy, Politics, and Economics HA1001 Introduction to International Relations and Foreign Policy HY1001 Introduction to Philosophy MH1820 Introduction to Probability & Statistical Methods HA1011 Politics of Singapore HA1012 Fundamentals of Politics HY2002 Moral Philosophy HA1002 Introduction to Political Theory HA1003 Introduction to Public Administration and Policy HY2005 Political Philosophy	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3
<u>Compulsory capstone course (4 AU)</u> Interdisciplinary select topics in PPE	4
<u>Prescribed Elective (34 AU)</u> Students are to choose six (6) level 2000 or 3000 courses and four (4) level 4000 courses . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additionally, students on the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <u>Bipartite track</u> should take at least four MPEs from each of the two specialist disciplines, and one from the non-specialist discipline. ○ For example, if a student selects PPGA and Economics tracks, they will have to complete at least: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4 MPEs from HAxxxx courses - 4 MPEs from HExxxx courses - 1 MPEs from HYxxxx courses AND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fulfil at least 6 level 2000 and 3000 courses, and 4 level 4000 courses. • <u>Tripartite track</u> should take at least three MPEs from each discipline. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ For example, students on this track will have to complete at least: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 3 MPEs from HAxxxx courses - 3 MPEs from HExxxx courses - 3 MPEs from HYxxxx courses AND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fulfil at least 6 level 2000 and 3000 courses, and 4 level 4000 courses. 	34
Graduation Project* OR two (2) level 4000 prescribed electives	8

Table B: Interdisciplinary Collaborative Core (ICC)

ICC – Common Cores	17
CC0001 Inquiry and Communication in an Interdisciplinary World	2
CC0002 Navigating the Digital World	2
CC0003 Ethics & Civics in a Multicultural World	2
ML0004 Career and Entrepreneurial Development for the Future World	2
CC0005 Healthy Living & Well-being	3
CC0006 Sustainability: Social, Economy & Environment	3
CC0007 Science & Technology for Humanity	3
ICC – Foundational Cores	10
HW0208 Academic Communication in the Social Sciences (Effective Communication II)	2
Digital Literacy II – choose one from a pool of courses	3
Internship	5

Table C: Broadening and Deepening Electives (BDE)

BDE (Students may choose from the list of courses offered by NTU)	16
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***Note:**

1. Students must opt in to read Graduation Project.
2. To obtain Honours (Highest Distinction & Distinction), students must complete their graduation project.