

Bachelor in Political Sciences : General

The bachelor's in political sciences offers:

- > An introduction to the various **sub-fields in political science**: international relations, European studies, comparative politics, public administration and political theory;
- > An opening to other fields in humanities: sociology, history, geography, law, economics, etc.;
- > A solid **training in methods**: formalization, statistics, methods, and seminars;
- > A strong emphasis on **multilingual training**: the program includes two mandatory language courses, readings in English in Blocs 1 and 2 and courses in English in Bloc 3. The program can be followed in its bilingual (FR/NL or FR/ANG) or trilingual (FR/NL/ANG) version;
- > An **international opening**: international exchanges of 1 semester or 1 year in Bloc 3, and international profile of Faculty and students.

Bloc 1 | BA-POLI

Cours obligatoires - Bloc1

DROI-D103	Introduction au droit, y compris les aspects sociologiques du droit Julien PIERET (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
HIST-B115	Histoire de l'Epoque contemporaine Pieter LAGROU (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [lecture: 48h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
LANG-D103	Anglais I Christel VAN RANST (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [lecture: 24h, tutorial classes: 36h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨️ English
PHIL-D101	Introduction à la philosophie dans ses rapports avec les sciences politiques et sociales Jean-Yves PRANCHERE (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
POLI-D103	Politique mondiale Julien JEANDESBOZ (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
POLI-D205	Questions d'actualité politique Jean-Michel DE WAELE (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [practical work: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
SOCA-D102	Sociologie générale Pierre LANNOY (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [lecture: 36h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
SOCA-D173	Formalisation pour les sciences sociales et politiques Matteo GAGLILOLO (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [lecture: 24h, tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French

Cours optionnels

Module Français - Anglais

An alternative chosen from the two following

Français

POLI-D101 (optional)	Introduction à la science politique Pascal DELWIT (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [lecture: 30h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
POLI-D104 (optional)	Approches méthodiques de questions politiques Romain Weikmans (Coordinator) ⌚ 5 crédits [tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French

or

POLI-D107
(optional)

Anglais

[Introduction to Political Science](#) | Luca TOMINI (Coordinator)

5 credits [lecture: 24h] first term English

POLI-D108
(optional)

[Methodical approaches of political issues](#) | Martin DELEIXHE (Coordinator)

5 credits [tutorial classes: 24h] second term English

Module Français - Néerlandais

An alternative chosen from the two following

HIST-S101
(optional)

Français

[Introduction à l'histoire globale du capitalisme](#) | Kenneth BERTRAMS (Coordinator)

5 credits [lecture: 36h] second term French

POLI-D102
(optional)

[Histoire de la pensée politique I](#) | Jean-Yves PRANCHERE (Coordinator)

5 credits [lecture: 24h] second term French

or

POLI-D106
(optional)

Néerlandais

[Geschiedenis van het politieke denken I](#) | Michel HUYSSSEUNE (Coordinator)

5 credits [lecture: 24h] second term Dutch

POLI-D109
(optional)

[Politieke, sociale en economische transformaties](#) | Michel HUYSSSEUNE (Coordinator)

5 credits [lecture: 24h] second term Dutch

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Bloc 2 | BA-POLI

Cours obligatoires

- DROI-D203 **Droit public** | Julien PIERET (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 48h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
- ECON-D210 **Economie politique générale** | Gani ALDASHEV (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h, tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
- HIST-D202 **Histoire des relations internationales** | Christophe WASINSKI (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
- LANG-D203 **Anglais II** | Andrew EDGEL (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 48h, personal assignments: 12h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨️ English
- POLI-D207 **De l'Etat à l'Union européenne** | François FORET (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
- POLI-D301 **Sociologie politique interne** | Frédéric LOUAULT (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
- STAT-D103 **Eléments de statistique** | Catherine VERMANDELE (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h, tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French

Module Français-Anglais

An alternative chosen from the two following

Français

- POLI-D208 (optional) **Introduction à la recherche en sciences politiques** | Jean-Benoît PILET (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French

Séminaire à choisir

One course chosen from the following

- POLI-D202 (optional) **Exercices de théorie politique** | Justine LACROIX (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
- POLI-D310 (optional) **Questions de science politique interne** | François FORET (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
- POLI-D322 (optional) **Exercices de relations internationales** | Christophe WASINSKI (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French

or

Anglais

POLI-D213 (optional) **Introduction to Research in Political Science** | Emilie VAN HAUTE (Coordinator)
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h, tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 English

Un séminaire à choisir

One course chosen from the following

POLI-D203 (optional) **Exercices in international relations** | Christophe WASINSKI (Coordinator)
⌚ 5 credits [tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 English

POLI-D214 (optional) **Exercices in Political Theory** | Martin DELEIXHE (Coordinator)
⌚ 5 credits [tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 English

Module Français - Néerlandais

An alternative chosen from the two following

Français

HIST-D201 (optional) **Histoire politique contemporaine de la Belgique** | Serge JAUMAIN (Coordinator)
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French

POLI-D201 (optional) **Histoire de la pensée politique II** | Justine LACROIX (Coordinator) and Paul MAGNETTE
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 French

or

Néerlandais

POLI-D209 (optional) **Geschiedenis van het politieke denken**
⌚ 5 credits [personal assignments: 144h] 📅 first term 🗨 Dutch

POLI-D212 (optional) **Geschiedenis van België**
⌚ 5 credits [personal assignments: 144h] 📅 second term 🗨 Dutch

Cours de deuxième langue - Niveau I

A total of five credits chosen from the following

GERM-B260 (optional) **Allemand I / Deutsch I** | Barbara OBST
⌚ 5 credits [language practice: 36h] 📅 first term 🗨 German

LANG-D213 (optional) **Néerlandais I** | Eva DE MESMAEKER (Coordinator), Elke SMETS and Evie TOPS
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 48h, practical work: 12h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨 Dutch

LANG-D230 (optional) **Espagnol I** | Emilie RIKIR (Coordinator)
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 48h, practical work: 12h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨 Spanish



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Bloc 3 | BA-POLI

Cours obligatoires

- LANG-D303 **Anglais III** | Christel VAN RANST (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 48h, personal assignments: 12h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨 English
- POLI-D204 **Introduction à l'Etude de la Mondialisation et du développement** | Jacinto Cuvi (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French
- POLI-D302 **Politique économique** | Benoît BAYENET (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 36h] 📅 second term 🗨 French
- POLI-D305 **Régimes politiques comparés** | Jean-Benoît PILET (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 French
- POLI-D306 **Introduction to International Relations** | Elisa LOPEZ LUCIA (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 English
- POLI-D307 **Introduction to Political Communication** | Pietro Castelli Gattinara (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 English
- POLI-D323 **Introduction to EU Politics** | Nathalie BRACK (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 English
- STAT-D204 **Analyse quantitative** | Catherine VERMANDELE (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h, tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 French

Cours à choisir

An alternative chosen from the two following

Français

- POLI-D311 **Introduction à l'étude des politiques publiques et aux enjeux de l'administration publique**
 (optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French
- POLI-D316 **Vie politique en Belgique** | Pascal DELWIT (Coordinator)
 (optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 French

or

Néerlandais

- POLI-D317 **Belgisch federalisme**
 (optional) ⌚ 5 credits [personal assignments: 144h] 📅 first term 🗨 Dutch
- POLI-D320 **Bestuur en beleid**
 (optional) ⌚ 5 credits [personal assignments: 144h] 📅 second term 🗨 Dutch

Cours de deuxième langue - Niveau II

A total of five credits chosen from the following

- GERM-B132** (optional) **Allemand II** | Barbara OBST (Coordinator)
 5 credits [language practice: 36h] 📅 second term 🗨 German
- LANG-D315** (optional) **Néerlandais II** | Eva DE MESMAEKER (Coordinator), Elke SMETS and Evie TOPS
 5 credits [lecture: 48h, practical work: 12h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨 Dutch
- LANG-D330** (optional) **Espagnol II** | Emilie RIKIR (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 48h, practical work: 12h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨 Spanish

Cours optionnels

A total of five credits chosen from the following

- GENR-D301** (optional) **Genre : Histoire, Arts et représentations** | Valérie PIETTE (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French
- GEOG-F210** (optional) **Géographie de l'Europe** | Gilles VAN HAMME (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French
- INFO-D203** (optional) **Analyse exploratoire et visualisation de données** | Matteo GAGLILOLO (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 36h] 📅 second term 🗨 French
- PHIL-B320** (optional) **Philosophie politique** | Thomas BERNS (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French
- SOCA-D304** (optional) **Démographie** | Jean-Michel DECROLY (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 24h, tutorial classes: 12h] 📅 first term 🗨 French
- SOCA-D313** (optional) **Sociologie du travail et Chaire FGTB** | Meike Brodersen (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 36h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨 French
- TRAN-F201** (optional) **Introduction aux enjeux de la durabilité** | Wouter ACHTEN (Coordinator) and Chiara ARMENI
 5 credits [lecture: 24h, project: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French