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POWER AND AMERICAN POLITICS
BRIANNA MACK
MWF 10:00–10:50
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MWF 2:10–3:00

PG 261 SECTION 1
AMERICAN POLITICS AND MASS MEDIA
BRIANNA MACK
MWF 11:00–11:50

PG 279 SECTION 1
CONDUCT OF POLITICAL INQUIRY
FRANCHESCA NESTOR
TR 8:30–9:50

PG 300.38 SECTION 1
FOOD POLITICS & POLICY IN AMERICA
FRANCHESCA NESTOR
TR 1:10–2:30

PG 348 SECTION 1
LATIN AMERICAN POLITICS
JAMES FRANKLIN
TR 10:00–11:50

PG 349 SECTION 1
EAST ASIAN POLITICS
JI YOUNG CHOI
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PG 352 SECTION 1
CIVIL RIGHTS & LIBERTIES
MIKE ESLER
TR 2:40–4:00

PG 354 SECTION 1
THE AMERICAN PRESIDENCY
FRANCHESCA NESTOR
MWF 10:00–11:50

PG 360 SECTION 1
INTERNATIONAL POLITICS
JI YOUNG CHOI
MWF 11:00–11:50

PG 371 SECTION 1
POWER & AUTHORITY: POLITICAL THEORY FROM CANOTO FANO
ASHLEY BISER
MWF 9:00–9:50

PG 499 B SECTION 1
SENIOR SEMINAR: INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
JI YOUNG CHOI
WED 6:30–9:00

PG 499 D SECTION 1
SENIOR SEMINAR: AMERICAN POLITICS
MIKE ESLER
WED 1:10–4:00

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Moot court is a challenging but rewarding experience. It is a chance to test your legal knowledge and skills, and to develop your confidence as a public speaker. It is also a great way to network with other students and professionals who are interested in the law.

Moot court is where your voice matters. It is a chance to use your knowledge and skills to make a difference, and to develop into a well-rounded and prepared professional.

PRE-LAW CLUB

Are you interested in pursuing a career in law? If so, the OWU political science department's pre-law studies major is the perfect fit for you! The pre-law studies major is designed to prepare students for the rigors of law school and success in the legal profession. The major offers a rigorous and interdisciplinary curriculum that combines courses in political science, English, history, philosophy, and economics.

In addition to its academic coursework, the pre-law studies major provides students with a variety of opportunities to gain practical experience in the legal field. Students will have the opportunity to participate in moot court competitions, shadow legal professionals in their areas of interest, as well as participate in internships in Washington D.C. via the Arneson Institute.

Pre-law studies is open to all OWU students, regardless of their major. Students who are interested in declaring the pre-law studies major should contact Professor Michael V. Esler for more information. MVESLER@OWU.EDU

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Are you interested in learning about the world around you and the forces that shape it? Are you interested in an international career? Then a major or minor in international studies at Ohio Wesleyan University is right for you. Our program offers a wide range of courses on topics such as global politics, economics, culture, and development. You'll find plenty of internship opportunities, including the Wesleyan in Washington program, where you can earn academic credit for working in the nation's capital. International studies graduates have gone on to work for the united nations, world bank, and leading think tanks. Talk to Prof. Franklin about the international studies program and Prof. Choi for East Asian studies. JYCHOI@OWU.EDU

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