WHAT CAN I DO WITH A MAJOR IN
POLITICAL SCIENCE

CAREER OPTIONS
Campaign Consultant
Community Organizer
Congressional Legislative Aide
Data Researcher
Entrepreneur
Foreign Service Officer*
International Trade Analyst*

Journalist
Lawyer*
Lobbyist*
Politician*
Political Scientist*
Professor/Teacher*
Research Analyst

TRANSFERABLE SKILLS GAINED
Analytical skills
Communication skills
Leadership skills
Data analysis
Cultural competency

Problem-solving
Critical thinking
Written communication
Information literacy

EMPLOYMENT AREAS
Business
Local/State/Federal Office
Government
Law Enforcement
Military Service
Peace Corps

Universities/Colleges
Public/Private Schools
Law Firms
Nonprofit Organizations
Intelligence Community
Think Tanks

INFORMATION WEBSITES
UNO Political Science Department
American Political Science Association
USA Jobs
Public Service Careers

unomaha.edu/psci
apsanet.org
usajobs.gov
publicservicecareers.org

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES
Join Student Government, Pi Gamma Mu Honor Society, Phi Alpha Delta and/or the Pre-Law Society
Study abroad to expand awareness of international governments and political systems
Participate in internships to gain public service experience
Take part in politics via student organizations, community agencies, and political campaigns
Research graduate program pre-requisites and admissions requirements