

What will I study?

Year 1 Engage with the Principles

Foundations of Political Theory & International Relations*	Foundations of Contemporary Politics*	Foundations in Political Research*	Foundations in Global Development*
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Year 2 Deepen Your Understanding

Individuals and the State*	Comparative Politics*	Research Methods in Political Science*	Theories and Concepts in International Relations*
Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals	Capitalism and Democracy	Law, Politics and Human Rights	Irish Politics

You may apply to study a single-subject Politics & International Relations Degree at the end of Year 2.

Year 3 Refine Your Knowledge

A sample of modules is provided below from a large range of possible options.

Media and Politics	International Justice	Politics and Policy of the EU	International Political Economy
Political Risk & Foreign Investment	Gender in War & Peace	Optional Internship	Optional Study Abroad

Year 4 Further Specialisation

A sample of modules is provided below from a large range of possible options.

Introduction to Asian Politics	Political Activism in the Middle East	Data Analytics for Social Science	Research Project
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BSc Social Sciences

UCD Graduate Study and Career Opportunities

Specialise with UCD School of Politics and International Relations	Complementary/Conversion Master's Degrees	Shape your Career
MA/MSc International Relations MA/MSc International Development MSc International Political Economy MA/MSc European Politics & Policy MA/MSc Peace & Conflict MEconSc European Public Affairs & Law MA/MSc Politics MA in Political Theory MSc Human Rights MA Middle East Politics ↓ PhD ↓ Research & Academia	Master in Public Policy MA in Geopolitics & the Global Economy MSc Equality Studies MSc in Supply Chain Management Diploma in Organisational Change & Transformation MSc Criminology & Criminal Justice Masters Common Law MSc Human Resources MSc Computer Science (Conversion) MSc Management/International Management	Policymaking Civil Service The European Commission Media and Communications Business Administration & Research Management Consultancy Lobby Groups Political Parties Public Sector Management Research & Teaching