Curriculum Framework of the Graduate Institute of Political Science (2015)

* at least thirty-two (32) credits are needed for MA students; *at least twenty-six(26) credits are needed for PhD students.

	National Development and Comparative Politics	Globalization and International Politics
Master		
Required Credits: 5	 I. MA 1. Academic Writing (2) 2. Master Degree Thesis(3) or Methodologyof SocialSciences (alternative) 	
MA Study Field Required Credits: 12	 4 required credits: Studies in the Theories of National Development (3) Studies in the Theories of Democratic Politics(3) Studies in Comparative Government and Politics (3) Special Topics on the History of Chinese and Western Political Thought (3) 	 4 required credits: Studies in International Relations Theory and Practice (3) Studies in International Law (3) Studies in Development of Political Economy in Mainland China (3) Seminar on International Political Economy (3)
Ph.D.		
Required Credits:6	II. PhD 1. The Methodology of Political Science (3) Quantitative Research (3) / Qualitative Research (3) (alternative)	
PhD Study Field Required Credits: 9	3 required credits: 1. Special Topics on Contemporary Political Thought (3) 2. Special Topics on Comparative National Development (3) 3. Special Topics on Comparative Study of Constitutions and Constitutional Systems (3)	3 required credits: 1. Special Topics on International Relations Theory(3) 2. Special Topics on International Law (3) 3. Special Topics on Development of Political Economy in Mainland China (3)
Elective Courses		
MA Credits:15 PhD Credits:11	Special Topics on Political Economy (2) Special Topics on Local Governance (2) Special Topics on Constitutionalism (2) Special Topics on Legislative Behavior (2) Special Topics on: Administrative Laws (2) Special Topics on Political Development in Taiwan (2) Special Topics on Comparative Judicial Politics (2) Special Topics on Party Politics and Elections in Taiwan (2) Special Topics on Democratization (2) Special Topics on Comparatic National Development between Roc and Prc (2) Special Topics on Ethnic and Minority Politics (2) Special Topics on Political Sociology (2) Special Topics on Political Communication (2) Special Topics on the Internet Politics (2) Special Topics on Law and Human Rights (2) Statistical Analysis in Political Science (2)	Special Topics on the South China Sea Issues (2) Special Topics on Global Governance (2) Special Topics on the Theory and Practice in National Security (2) Special Topics on the History of Chinese and Western Diplomacy (2) Special Topics on Globalization and International Politics (2) Special Topics on Foreign Policy of China (2) Special Topics on Political System in People's Republic of China (2) Special Topics on CPC's Elite Politics (2) Special Topics on International Environment Protection: Policy and Laws (2) Special Topics on Political Psychology of International Relations (2) Special Topics on Economy and Trade Policy of China (2) Special Topics on Taiwan Policy of China (2) Special Topics on International Relation in the Asia-Pacific (2) Special Topics on International Organizations(2) Special Topics on Taiwan Joining the United Nations or other International Organizations (2) Special Topics on Taiwan, U. S. and China Relations (2)