Master of Arts in Political Science

Curriculum
The University of Texas at Dallas Political Science Masters Program offers advanced instruction in the social science literature and theories about politics, citizenship, governance and data analysis.

Career Options
Political Science degrees prepare students for public service and government and non-profit organizations and agencies, as well as positions in academe, business or legislative politics. Throughout students learn empirical approaches to understanding data, approaches that are in high demand among employers.

Degree Program
Students must complete 30 credit hours to earn a Master of Arts in Political Science. This includes:

- 15 semester credit hours of required core
- 15 semester credit hours of prescribed electives

Students in this program will gain a competency in one of the fields of Comparative Politics, International Relations, Political Institutions and American Politics, or Law and Courts; Political Institutions and American Politics; or Law and Courts, in addition to gaining valuable analysis, evaluation, and research design skills.

All students must achieve at least a 3.0 grade point average in all coursework to graduate.

For complete admission and degree requirements, view the Graduate Catalog at catalog.utdallas.edu.