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Master of Political Science

Programme Details

Final Qualification

Master Degree

Language of Study

Arabic

Mode of Study

Full Time

Programme Structure

Study Period

2 Years

Total Credit Hours

36 Credit Hours

Number of Courses

9 Courses + Thesis or
10 Courses + Applied Project

Brief about the Programme

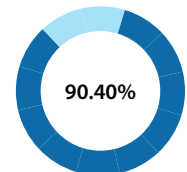
Elevate your political understanding to new horizons with the Master of Political Science — an academic programme that combines deep political analysis, strategic vision, and advanced scientific research. Carefully designed prepare a distinguished group of researchers and experts capable of understanding the political landscape and making decisions with awareness and professionalism, grounded in scientific foundations and realistic perspectives. The programme opens broad career opportunities in the diplomatic corps, research and study centres, international organisations, and political media, allowing you to be part of the elite that contributes to shaping policies and crafting the future. Students may choose between 9 courses plus a research thesis, or 10 courses plus an applied project.

Aims of the Programme

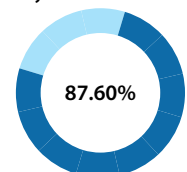
1. Enable graduates to develop a broad and deep understanding of major theoretical trends in political science, knowledge of the context in which they emerged, and their impact on political reality locally, regionally, and internationally.
2. Provide graduates with the opportunity to apply the theories they have studied to real-world contexts, gaining insight into practical and field practices — through field visits, guest lecturers, or simulation models.
3. Equip graduates with tools for political analysis, strategic planning, and public policy-making, as well as communication, negotiation, and presentation skills.
4. Equip graduates with professional competencies and practical applications in the field of political work, such as diplomatic conduct and the management of foreign affairs.
5. Strengthen graduates' capacity for critical analysis, comparison, and inference, enabling a broader understanding of political reality and sound decision-making within their institutions.

General Statistics

Student Satisfaction Rate



Advisory Board Satisfaction Rate



Career Paths

1. Political Consultant
2. Public Policy Analyst
3. Strategic Researcher
4. Parliamentary Consultant
5. International Relations Consultant
6. Security & Political Analyst
7. University Lecturer
8. Diplomat
9. News Analyst

Entry Requirements

1. The applicant must hold a Bachelor's degree or its equivalent from a university or college recognised by the Ministry of Education in the Kingdom of Bahrain.
2. The applicant's undergraduate degree must be in the same specialisation as the master's programme, or in a discipline that qualifies for it under the programme's study plan. Otherwise, the student must complete a number of remedial courses approved by the University and specified by the relevant department.
3. The minimum requirement for admission is a Bachelor's degree with a cumulative GPA of not less than 'Good' or its equivalent.
4. The applicant must pass an interview conducted by a committee in the Academic Department.
5. The applicant must pass any tests administered by the Academic Department as required.
6. The applicant must submit two letters of recommendation, preferably one from a faculty member at their graduating university.
7. If the GPA is below 'Good', the case is referred to the Appeals Committee chaired by the Vice President for Academic Affairs and Development.
8. Transfer students are accepted in accordance with Article 17 of the Graduate Studies Regulations.
9. The applicant must pass the University's English language placement test, or provide a TOEFL certificate or equivalent with a score of not less than 450. Otherwise, the student must study and successfully complete a remedial English course determined by the College during their first year.



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