Political Science Internship Class

Political Science 470

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**CLASS SCHEDULE – Bold Represent Career Center Participation in Class**

January 24:  Introductions, Setting Goals and Learning Outcomes

**January 31:  Why Political Science? – Careers for Political Science Majors**

February 7:  The Question:  What are you going to do after graduation?

February 14: The Advantage of flexibility - Linear and Non Linear Career Paths

**February 21:  Self Assessment – Wanderings and Connecting the Dots**

February 28:  Where are you now?  Lessons from your studies so far

March 7:  How to be a skilled Intern

March 14:  Assessing workplace culture and why it is important

March 28:  Dealing with difficult people in the workplace

**April 4:  Possible Lives – mapping potential career paths**

April 11:  Conducting a Job Search

**April 18: Constructing a Resume and Cover Letter**

April 25: Translating your internship into a resume entry

May 2:  Interview Skills

May 9: Self assessment of Learning Outcomes