SOCIAL SCIENCE, DIVISIONAL
PPE TRACK, BA

Bachelor of Arts in Social Science,
Philosophy, Political Science, and
Economics (PPE) Track (390004BA)

More on the Social Science Divisional PPE major (https://www.uakron.edu/philosophy/academics/)

The Philosophy, Political Science, and Economics Departments have collaborated to create the Social Sciences Division PPE track. This interdisciplinary degree consists of courses from all 3 departments and can open the door to graduate study in any of these disciplines as well as law school.

Requirements

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General Education Courses

Students pursuing a bachelor’s degree must complete three tiers of General Education coursework. Tiers I and II provide students with foundational skills and breadth of disciplinary knowledge. Tier III courses require students to integrate knowledge, understand diverse perspectives, and think critically about complex issues. Courses tagged for Tier III may also fulfill major or Disciplinary Area requirements.

Tier I: Academic Foundations

Quantitative Reasoning: 3 credit hours
Speaking: 3 credit hours
Writing: 6 credit hours

Tier II: Disciplinary Areas

Arts/Humanities: 9 credit hours
Natural Sciences: 7 credit hours
Social Sciences: 6 credit hours

Tier III: Tagged Courses

Select one class from each of the following subcategories:

- Complex Systems
- Critical Thinking
- Domestic Diversity
- Global Diversity

Social Sciences PPE Requirements

Social Sciences PPE Requirements 54 credits, which must include a minimum of 15 credits in each of the following 3 fields.

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| Philosophy
3600:120 | Introduction to Ethics | 3 |
3600:170 | Introduction to Logic | 3 |
3600:464 | Philosophy of Science | 3 |
| or 3600:421 | Philosophy of Law | |
3600:3XX/4XX | 300/400-level Philosophy Electives | 6 |
| Political Science
3700:301 | Introduction to Political Research | 3 |
3700:303 | Introduction to Political Thought | 3 |
3700:3XX/4XX | 300/400-level Political Science Electives | 9 |
| Economics
3250:244 | Introduction to Economic Analysis | 3 |
3250:400 | Intermediate Macroeconomics | 3 |
3250:410 | Intermediate Microeconomics | 3 |
3250:3XX/4XX | 300/400-level Economics Electives | 6 |
| Social Science PPE Electives | Select nine credits | |
| Total Hours        |                                                           | 54    |

1 9 credits can be taken in either Philosophy, Political Science, or Economics. It is recommended they be taken at the 300/400 level.