

Preliminary Application
Department of Political Science
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Thank you for inquiring about our graduate program in Political Science. If you would like us to evaluate your eligibility, complete and return the form below. Do NOT send additional materials at this time. We appreciate your interest and will work hard to respond in a timely manner. If you have any additional questions, please write to us again, Att: Graduate Secretary.

Family name _____ First name _____ Middle _____

Today's date _____ Degree sought _____ Applying for _____
Mo/Day/Year *MA/PhD* *Spring or Fall/Year*

Address for reply _____

_____ E-mail _____

List colleges and universities attended:

	<u>Dates attended</u>	<u>Degrees earned</u>	<u>Grade</u>
	<u>Point Average</u>		
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____

Have you taken the GRE? Date _____ Quant _____ Verbal _____
Anal _____

If an international student, have you taken the TOEFL? Yes [] No []

Most recent TOEFL score _____ Date _____ (must be within 24 months of the intended enrollment date).

Honors/awards _____

Areas of interest, by order of preference (1st, 2nd , 3rd):

American Politics & Gov't	_____	Public Law	_____
International Relations	_____	Comparative Politics	_____
Public Administration	_____	Political Theory	_____
Methodology	_____		

Why have you chosen SIUC for graduate study? _____

Is your attending this University contingent upon receiving financial aid from SIUC?

Yes No

I prefer funding if at all possible, but could provide my own support:

Yes No

NOTE: The completed application, if you submit one, will require original copies of TOEFL and GRE results and transcripts, three letters of reference, a statement of purpose, and a \$45 application fee. Financial awards are limited and offered on a competitive basis. International students who do not receive an award OR are unable to prove they can support themselves cannot be admitted. No exceptions can be made to any of these requirements.