

## TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

<b>Liberal Arts, Political Science (A.A.) from Middlesex County College to Political Science (B.A.) at Rider University</b>				
<b>MIDDLESEX COUNTY COLLEGE COURSE</b>  <i>Liberal Arts, Political Science, A.A.</i>	<b>Cr</b>	<b>RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA SATISFIED</b>  <i>Political Science, B.A. (120 Credits)</i>	<b>Cr</b>	
<b>First Semester</b>				
ENG 121 English Composition I (GE, COM)	3	CMP 120 Expository Writing (Core)	3	
SPE 121 Fundamentals of Public Speaking <b>OR</b> SPE 123 Discussion and Debate (GE, COM)	3	COM 104 Speech Communication <b>OR</b> COM 322 Argumentation and Debate	3	
General Education History <b>Suggest: (Select one course)</b> HIS 121 History of Western Civilization I <b>OR</b> HIS 131 World History I (Also MCC Diversity Elective) <b>OR</b> HIS 221 United States History I (Per MCC request-added back in as a course selection)	3	HIS 150 World History to 1500 (Core) <b>OR</b> HIS 150 World History to 1500 (Core)  <b>OR</b> HIS 180 U.S. History I (HIS-180 not meet the CORE requirement at Rider as the other history courses)	3	
General Education Humanities Elective (GE,HUM)	3	Fine Arts Elective <sup>∅</sup> Literature Elective <sup>∅</sup> Philosophy Elective <sup>∅</sup>	3	
General Ed. Humanities Language Elective : Select two Modern language in sequence from (FRE, GER, ITA, SPA)	3	Foreign Language Core <sup>∅</sup>	3	
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>	
<b>Second Semester</b>				
ENG 122 English Composition II	3	CMP 125 Research Writing (Core)	3	
General Education Mathematics Elective MAT 113 Mathematical Structures I <b>OR</b> MAT 123 Statistics	3	MTH 102 Finite Mathematics (Core) <b>OR</b> MTH 120 Intro to Applied Statistics	3	
General Education History HIS 122 History of Western Civilization II <b>OR</b> HIS 132 World History II (Also MCC Diversity Elective) <b>OR</b> HIS 222 United States History II (Per MCC request-added back in as a course selection)	3	HIS 151 World History Since 1500 (Core) <b>OR</b> HIS 151 World History Since 1500 (Core)  <b>OR</b> HIS 181 U.S. History II (HIS-180 not meet the CORE requirement at Rider as the other history courses)	3	
General Education Humanities Elective Select two Modern language in sequence from (FRE, GER, ITA, SPA)	3	Foreign Language Core <sup>∅</sup>	3	
General Education Social Science Elective POS 121 Introductory Government & Politics	3	Natural & Physical Science Elective <sup>∅</sup> POL 102 Understanding Politics (Core)	3	
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>	

<b>Third Semester</b>			
General Education Science Elective Suggest: BIO 105 Heredity, Evolution & Society (4)	4	Natural & Physical Science <sup>⌚</sup> BIO 101 Life Sci.: Genetics Emphasis (Core) (4)	4
General Education Technology Elective CIS 105 Computer Applications & Systems <b>OR</b> CSC 106 Inter. PC App. with Programming	3	CIS 185 Information Systems Essentials	3
Liberal Arts Elective	3	Liberal Arts Elective <sup>⌚</sup>	3
HED/PED	1/3	Not Transferrable	0
General Education Math / Science Elective (choose 3 or 4 credit GE Math or Science)	3/4	Natural & Physical Science –or- Math Elective <sup>⌚</sup>	3/4
	<b>14/17</b>		<b>13/14</b>
<b>Fourth Semester</b>			
General Ed. Diversity Elective (GE DIV)	3	Elective <sup>⌚</sup>	3
General Education Social Science Elective <b>Suggest:</b> POS 220 United States National Government	3	Social Science & Communication Elective <sup>⌚</sup> POL 100 Intro to American Politics (Core)	3
Divisional Elective	3	Elective <sup>⌚</sup>	3
Liberal Arts Elective <b>Suggest:</b> POS 201 United States and Local Government	3	Elective <sup>⌚</sup> POL 200 NJ Government & Politics	3
Liberal Arts Elective <b>Suggest:</b> POS 222 Comparative Government <b>OR</b> POS 231 Constitutional Law	3	Elective <sup>⌚</sup> POL 216 Comparative Political Systems <b>OR</b> POL 300 U.S. Constitutional Law	3
Liberal Arts Elective	3	Elective <sup>⌚</sup>	3
	<b>18</b>		<b>15</b>
	<b>61/66</b>		<b>60</b>

<p><b><u>FREE COURSE: Rider Course Option:</u></b></p> <p>Please select <b>one</b> course from the list below:</p> <p><b>POL-216-Comparative Political Systems (3)</b> <b>OR</b> <b>POL-202-The Political System – Theories &amp; Them (3)</b> <b>Core)</b> <b>OR</b> <b>POL-239-Political Thinkers &amp; Thought (3)</b></p>	<p>Following completion of 30 credits and the Rider Intent to Enroll Form and while a student at Middlesex; students have the option to take a <b>free</b> course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree. The course allows the student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider.</p> <p>See Middlesex &amp; Rider Transfer Representatives for additional information. All contact information listed below.</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>
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**Rider University Footnotes:**

<sup>⌚</sup> – Students have a number of options to satisfy this requirement; courses will be evaluated on an individual basis.

Middlesex students interested in the College of Continuing Studies (CCS) should contact that division directly.

For transfer credit Middlesex students must have a grade of “C” or higher in all courses. (No transfer credit will be accepted for any course with a grade of “c-“ or below.)

**Requirements are subject to change. This Advising Guide is best used in consultation with an advisor.**

**COURSES REMAINING FOR A BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AT RIDER UNIVERSITY\***

Course Number	Rider University Course Name or Core Area	Credits	Notes* (if course can be taken at Middlesex, indicate course number)
	Middlesex students need to complete 120 credits for the Rider degree.		

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