

# Political Science

DIVISION OF  
SOCIAL  
SCIENCES

## PROGRAMS OF STUDY:

- B.A. in Political Science
- Minor in Political Science
- Minor in Gender and Women's Studies

## JOB PLACEMENTS

- Accenture
- Apple, Inc.
- Chattanooga CARES
- Covenant Health
- Community Alternatives to Prison Program
- GEOCONEX
- Helen Ross McNabb Center
- IBM
- Kimberly-Clark
- Nielsen
- Oak Ridge National Laboratory

## GRADUATE SCHOOL PLACEMENTS

- Appalachian School of Law
- East Tennessee State University, Archival Studies
- Emory University, Masters of Business Administration
- George Mason University School of Law
- John Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies-Italy
- London School of Economics
- UCLA School of Law
- University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Survey Research and Methodology
- University of Tennessee College of Law
- University of Tennessee, Master of Science in Social Work
- Vrije University, Amsterdam, International Relations
- Washington University Brown School of Social Work



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## Why study Political Science at Maryville College?

Would you enjoy working on a campaign for elected office? Do you want to learn more about global political issues, first-hand, while talking with local leaders in Africa, Asia and the European community? The Political Science major prepares you for careers in a host of government and non-government, diplomatic, media and legal fields. Working with professors with professional experience in Washington, D.C., and more than two dozen nations around the world, you'll learn about political processes, institutions and the theories guiding governments around the world.

### MEET A CURRENT SCOT



### Clara Webster

Hometown: Alcoa, Tennessee

In her college search, Clara found that Maryville College had every area of interest she wanted to explore. Her love for politics started at the age of 12, and as a teenager she grew passionate about activism and grassroots movements. In addition to majoring in Political Science, she is minoring in International Studies, Spanish and Theatre. "Being able to study all of the things I am passionate about without being

limited is extremely important to me," Clara said.

While at MC, Clara has been involved in several student organizations and has studied abroad twice: one semester in Nottingham, England; and one summer in Chile for a Spanish language program. She plans to study international human rights law after graduation.

### MEET A RECENT GRAD



### Lacey Hunter '24

Currently: Pursuing a J.D. at the University of Tennessee College of Law

When she came to MC, Lacey thought she wanted to major in Biology and follow the Pre-Vet track but quickly realized that wasn't the path for her. With help from faculty and staff at the College, Lacey learned how to take her interests and turn them into a career path for which she could be excited. "My occupational goal is to pursue a career in the legal profession with a strong focus on advocating for social justice," she said.

While a student, Lacey served as an environmental education fellow; co-authored a research article with her advisor, Dr. Naji Bsisu; worked as an intern for the Blount County Recovery Court; and served as a legislative intern in the Tennessee House of Representatives.

### RELATED OPPORTUNITIES

Maryville College annually sends a team of students to participate in the **Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature (TISL)**, a forum for student leaders to exchange ideas, express their opinions and learn how government works. Its four programs are patterned after the essential elements of public service: legislative, AMC3 (the Appellate Moot Court Collegiate Challenge), lobbying and media.

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