

# SUMMER 2019 SCHEDULE



**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
VISITING INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROGRAM

<b>ORIENTATION (JULY 11-13)</b>	
<b>JULY 11</b>	Arrival & check-in
<b>JULY 12</b>	Political Science VISP Orientation International Student Service Check-In Information Session About Madison Life Grocery Shopping
<b>JULY 13</b>	Campus Tour

<b>WEEK 1 ACTIVITIES (July 15-21)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Teamwork workshop</li> <li>• State Capitol Tour</li> <li>• Chazen Museum of Art Docent Tour</li> <li>• Wisconsin History Museum</li> <li>• Farmers' Market</li> </ul>	<b>WEEK 2 ACTIVITIES (July 22-28)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bonfire at Dejope Circle with music &amp; s'mores</li> <li>• VISP Baseball Game with Madison Mallards</li> <li>• Atwood Festival</li> <li>• Free Concert by the Capitol (outdoor)</li> <li>• Individual trip to Chicago</li> </ul>
<b>WEEK 3 ACTIVITIES (July 29-August 4)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cultural Exchange with UW students</li> <li>• Volleyball</li> <li>• VISP Ice Cream Tasting &amp; Meet the UW-Madison Cows</li> <li>• Devil's Lake State Park</li> </ul>	<b>WEEK 4 ACTIVITIES (August 5-10)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Volleyball</li> <li>• Award ceremony</li> <li>• Farewell Dinner</li> <li>• Departure</li> </ul>

## Political Science Visiting International Student Program (VISP)

SUMMER SESSION 2019



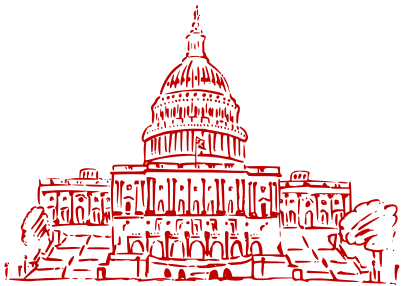
The University of Wisconsin-Madison's Political Science Department is one of the nation's oldest and most highly respected programs. The department is consistently highly ranked in national surveys, and UW award-winning faculty are known for innovative research in the field's most current and pressing questions.

**APPLY TODAY** at <https://visp.wisc.edu/apply>

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# Political Science VISP Program – SUMMER 2019

As a participant, you will be given the option to choose between three curated tracks, each with one rigorous upper-level three credit course.



## Track I: American Political Culture – Ideas & Practices

- Explore recurring themes and problems in American political thought, economy, and practice
- Read a variety of literature, including treatises, newspaper articles, presidential addresses, and social science works to uncover the foundation of American politics
- Be more knowledgeable and critical of the American political experience



## Track II: International Development & Cooperation

- Explore the political, economic, and social challenges of foreign aid and international development
- Compare regions including Asia, Africa, the Middle East, and Latin America
- Gain in-depth understanding of domestic & international institutions
- Learn to think critically about development theory & practices

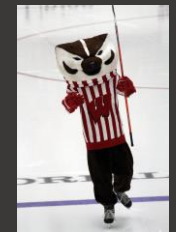


## Track III: Political Economy, Philosophy, and Politics

- Explore “openness”: international trading strategies, migration and open borders, the politics of free speech, and censorship
- Read both contemporary and classic literature from economics, philosophy, and political science
- Engage in the intensive study of the philosophical, economic, and political dimensions of “openness”

## Student Life at UW-Madison

Students will be fully immersed in the classroom setting of US higher education. They will have full access to all academic and student support services: libraries, computer labs, clubs, and athletic facilities. They will also enjoy opportunities to participate in VISP-sponsored social and cultural events\*. Upon completion, students will receive an official UW-Madison transcript.



\*activities may be adjusted to reflect preferences of participants