

POLPUB-*lication*

October 2025



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Government & Nonprofit CAREER FAIR

Friday, Oct. 31
10 a.m.-3 p.m.
University of Minnesota



UWL STUDENTS WELCOME!

**Drop-ins with
peer advisors**

Fall 2025

Monday	9:00 AM-4:00 PM
Tuesday	9:00 AM-11:00 AM
Wednesday	9:00 AM-4:00 PM
Thursday	9:00 AM-12:00 PM
Friday	8:00 AM-4:00 PM

**Peer advisors
can help with**

WINGS/ Schedule Planner questions
Resume/cover letter creation
Career exploration tools
Job search tools
Headshots for your LinkedIn profile

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Milwaukee County**



**Legal Assistant
Jefferson County Wisconsin**



**Policy Initiatives Advisor
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Spring 2026 Classes!

Spring 2026 Classes Are Now Visible!

Plan ahead for next semester – Spring 2026 course listings are now available in WINGS. Check out your options, build your schedule, and get ready to register!

Registration appointments begin November 10, 2025.

Be sure to review your enrollment time and take care of any holds early so you're ready to go when registration opens!



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CATALOGUE PAGE**



POL 494- Class Highlight!

Curious about how local government really works—and how you can make a difference? **Enroll in POL 494:** Political Science Capstone with Dr. LaPlant this spring! This Community-Engaged Learning (CEL) course lets you work with **La Crosse County officials** to design and run real public opinion surveys and focus groups on local services.

You'll gain hands-on experience, make an impact in your community, and earn a CEL designation on your transcript!



Adjunct Spotlight

POL 221- The American Legal System

We're excited to announce that Christine Senty, the CEO of Quartz Health Solutions, will be teaching POL 221: The American Legal System this spring! Christine brings a wealth of experience from her leadership roles at Quartz, Dean Health Plan, and Midwest Security Life Insurance Company in Onalaska. We're thrilled for students to learn from her real-world expertise in law, policy, and organizational leadership.



Quartz

POL 375- Constitutional Law VI: Criminal Procedure



An amazing adjunct will also teach POL 375! **Nick Vanden Heuvel, a Public Defender in Winona County**, will be teaching Constitutional Law VI – Criminal Procedure this Spring! Nick brings firsthand experience from the courtroom, where he advocates for clients and upholds constitutional rights in the criminal justice system. His practical insights and dedication to justice will give students a real-world perspective on how constitutional law shapes criminal procedure.

Honors & Undergraduate Research



Here are some projects students are working on right now!

- Relationship between music tastes and political attitudes.
- Political literacy and the ways people process and think through political questions.
- How parental political interest influences the political interest of their children.



Students can present their research at the **Midwest Political Science Association Conference** in Chicago or a little closer to home at **UWL's Research and Creativity Symposium**.

Scholarship portal is open!

Make sure to apply for scholarships through the UWL Foundation!

Here are a few scholarships specifically for Political Science and Public Administration students:

- Cecilia & Gabriel Manrique Scholarship – \$1,000 award
- Joseph P. Heim Endowed Scholarship for Graduating Seniors – award varies
- Maurice & Elizabeth Graff Scholarship in Political Science and/or Public Administration – award varies

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NEW Deadline: January 15, 2026