

Counseling Meeting Report

GENERAL INFORMATION

Meeting ID: c2797b89-fe37-475c-8985-3d2998826270
Meeting date: August 27, 2024
Request ID: 86bf33ca-ca55-4e83-8eae-6e2818c5109d
Student ID: sp199
Counselor ID: awashington

SUMMARY

Steven is struggling to balance his political science coursework with academic integrity concerns and is in need of academic guidance.

KEY CONCERNS

- Engaging strongly in political and social content in POLS and HIST courses
- Losing focus and feeling ahead of other majors
- Worries about academic integrity and whether to stay in POLS major
- Need for academic counseling on how to stay on track, differentiate from social sciences

ACTION PLAN

- Explain that academic integrity is a concern for Steven's POLS courses, especially in history and political science
- Discuss how the interdisciplinary nature of POLS can make it difficult to separate personal and academic interests
- Recommend that Steven explores major options that combine social science and policy, like Political Economy or Public Policy
- Introduce a senior seminar on academic integrity and leadership in interdisciplinary fields

FOLLOW UP PLAN

- Schedule a check-in later this semester to monitor academic performance and self-awareness
- Offer to keep in touch with academic advising resources and provide referral for graduate school consideration
- Encourage Steven to apply for POLS-specific graduate programs or interdisciplinary degrees with academic integrity track