WORKSHEET FOR M.A. PROGRAM

Student: ________________________  __________ Thesis
                    __________ Comprehensive Study

1. The Program consists of 30 credits (Thesis Option) or 36 credits (Comprehensive Study Option)
   - up to 6 credits allowed for thesis
   - 1/2 of the M.A. credits (excluding thesis and research credits) must be at 500-level

2. Basic Requirements
   a. Core Seminars
      PSC 520, Comparative Government (3)
      PSC 530, International Relations (3)
      PSC 540, American Government (3)
      PSC 550, Political Theory (3)

   b. PSC 491, Research Goals & Strategy – recommended (3)

   c. Additional Coursework
      1. PSC 596, Independent Study (6)
      2. PSC 598, Internship (6)
      3. 595, Special Topics (9)
      4. ______________________________
      5. ______________________________
      6. ______________________________
      7. ______________________________

      ** Special approval is required to count more than 6 credits of UG courses.

 NOTE: No more than 6 credits of PSC 598 (internship) may be counted toward the M.A., and no more than 6 credits of PSC 596 (independent study).
 No more than 12 credits may be taken outside the Political Science Department (6 for the thesis option.)

3. Field Exams: Completed: PSC 520 ____________________ PSC 530 ________________
   (distinguished, pass, no pass) PSC 540 ________________ PSC 550 ________________

4. Final Research/Writing
   Comprehensive Study:

   Three Research Papers Presented for Department File (must cover at least two subfields)
   Subfields: 1. ____________________ 2. ____________________ 3. ____________________
   Professors: ____________________ ____________________ ____________________

   Or:

   Thesis, PSC 599 (6 credit maximum)
   a. Title: ______________________________

   b. Date defended: ______________________

   Thesis Committee: a. ____________________ (Chair) b. ____________________ c. ____________________