**Yale University**

POLITICAL SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Yearlong Senior Essay Prospectus

PLSC 490 & PLSC 491

Please **email** this completed form to undergrad.polisci@yale.edu by:

**Thursday, May 2, 2024, for admission to PLSC 490 in Fall 2024**

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| Student’s Name |       |
| Student ID Number (SID) |       |
| Residential College |   |
| Year of Graduation |       |

**Please attach to this form a 1–2-page statement of the project and an up-to-date, unofficial transcript. You must also meet with your adviser and present this form and your 1–2-page statement to him or her. (Note: Your adviser must be a PLSC faculty member. Please find a list of our faculty** [**here**](https://politicalscience.yale.edu/people/faculty)**. Only the DUS can grant exceptions.)**

**Student**:

I intend to submit the Yearlong Senior Essay in PLSC 490 and PLSC 491. In the meantime, I will take the initiative to arrange a schedule of advisory meetings and preliminary drafts throughout both semesters of my senior year.

**Adviser**:

I have approved this student’s essay topic and I agree to serve as the principal adviser for both

semesters. In addition, I have discussed or will discuss with the student a schedule of advisory

meetings and preliminary drafts.

**IMPORTANT**: Students are responsible for becoming familiar with the Department guidelines

and requirements for the senior essay. That information can be found [here](https://politicalscience.yale.edu/academics/undergraduate-program/undergraduate-senior-essay) and [here](https://politicalscience.yale.edu/academics/undergraduate-program/year-long-senior-essay).

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| Adviser: Print |       |
| Adviser Signature |  |
| DUS Signature: Andrea Aldrich |  |
| Date: |  |