

Georgetown University's Democracy Studies Program

Georgetown University's Democracy Studies M.A. offers the most comprehensive degree of its kind in the United States. Designed for both aspiring scholars and for practitioners in government, business and the non-profit sector, the M.A. draws on the talents of Georgetown University's Government Department and on the resources and activities of Georgetown's Center for Democracy and the Third Sector (CDATS). Linking theory and practice via an extensive, Washington-based, internship program, the program illuminates the challenges that democracies face, the philosophical, economic, and political forces that have fostered democratic transitions, and the concrete problems that confront promoters of democracy and human rights world wide.

Admissions

Application Materials:

- The GRE is required of all applicants; the GRE and TOEFL are required of all non-native English speakers
- CV or resume
- Official copies of all transcripts
- Statement of purpose
- Academic writing sample
- Three letters of recommendation
- The appropriate Georgetown Graduate School of Arts and Sciences admissions forms.
See www.grad.georgetown.edu
- Application fee

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Government and CDATS: Scholarship and Practice, Inquiry and Policy

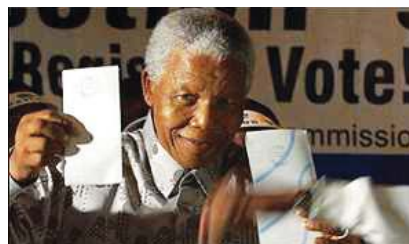


The Department of Government is home to a community of scholars whose work in comparative politics, international

relations, political theory and American politics has won international recognition. This diverse team offers a graduate curriculum that emphasizes qualitative methods and their application to problems of development and change in Eastern Europe, Asia, the Middle East and Latin America. This broad conceptual and empirical reach is enhanced by CDATS, a multi-disciplinary center whose research, speakers series and flagship publication, *Democracy and Society*, illuminate the vital link between intellectual inquiry and policy analysis.

Curriculum: Core Courses and Electives that Address Diverse Interests

A global program that takes a global view, the M.A.'s curriculum highlights problems of democratic practice in contemporary democracies and the diverse challenges and obstacles to promoting sustained democratization in developing states. The program requires 42 credit hours, typically completed over the course of two years. Three core courses, taught by leading scholars in the field, provide a crucial analytical foundation, while electives offered by the Government Department and other departments ensure a rich field of choices for designing a program that meets your needs and interests.



DC Internships: Opening Doors to Research and Careers

Whether looking to pursue a career in academia, policy analysis, or grass roots organizing, the Democracy Studies Program will advance your goals by offering internship opportunities in government, the private sector and in non-governmental organizations. Democracy Studies Director Daniel Brumberg and CDATS Director Steven Heydemann have extensive experience with official and non-governmental organizations working in democracy promotion and policy analysis. Together, we will explore opportunities to design an internship for you in organizations on the cutting edge of democracy promotion,



governance, accountability, development, and human rights. The internship will not only enrich your degree program, but will provide valuable hands-on experience for students preparing to enter careers that will help shape the future of democracy in the U.S. and around the world.

For more information please visit our website at www.georgetown.edu/centers/cdats/mawelcome.htm or contact: cdats@georgetown.edu.

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