

## **PETER QIU**

Peter is graduating with a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science and a minor in Communications. He plans to attend law school in the fall of 2018 and focus on corporate law and trial advocacy.

Peter is a member of the Phi Sigma Alpha Political Science and Phi kappa Phi Honor Societies. Since his first semester of college, Peter has been on the Dean's Honor Roll.

For four years, Peter has competed on the Washburn Mock Trial in trial advocacy competitions throughout the nation. He is a member of the Washburn Pre-Law Club, Washburn United Nations Association, and the Washburn Tennis Club.

In fall 2015, Peter worked for the Kansas Institute for Politics, a Washburn Press group. He traveled throughout Iowa to meet and follow presidential candidates during their campaigns and presented what he learned to the Political Science department. In spring 2016, he took an internship at the Kansas Legislature, working under Senator Oletha Faust-Goudeau, helping track senate bills and write testimonies. For his capstone project, he worked with Professor Linsey Modellmog to conduct a thorough study of the correlation between wealth and obesity comparing hundreds of nations.

In summer 2016, Peter studied for his International Education WTE in Japan. He took classes on Japanese culture and politics at Fukuoka University. He traveled to Fukushima to study the 2011 Nuclear Disaster and presented his findings to the Political Science department.

Peter received the Culver Memorial Scholarship, WTE International Scholarship, Wade Political Science Scholarship, Hudelson Scholarship, Political Science Department Scholarship, multiple University Academic Scholarships and multiple Mock Trial Scholarships.