COURSE DETAIL

SWEDISH POLITICS: PAST AND PRESENT
Country Sweden
Host Institution Lund University
Program(s) Lund University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science History
UCEAP Course Number 148
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title SWEDISH POLITICS: PAST AND PRESENT
UCEAP Transcript Title SWEDISH POLITICS
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

The course provides an introduction to Swedish politics. Topics discussed include the political system in general, the constitution, the government and the various Swedish political parties. Both historical and contemporary perspectives are taken. Emphasis is on the role of Sweden as a small country in a global context, and as a member of the European Union and the United Nations. Swedish attributes such as the "Swedish Model" and the policy of neutrality are analyzed from a historical perspective as well as with reference to the present situation. Special attention is given to policies concerning issues of social welfare, gender equality, refugees and diversity.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Campus
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Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Special Area Studies

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