

## COURSE DETAIL

### GLOBAL CLIMATE POLITICS: COMPARATIVE EU-US PERSPECTIVES

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

**Program(s)**

Sciences Po Paris

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science International Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

144

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

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**UCEAP Official Title**

GLOBAL CLIMATE POLITICS: COMPARATIVE EU-US PERSPECTIVES

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

GLOBAL CLIMATE POL

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

### **Course Description**

This class helps students acquire an understanding of the history of United Nations (UN) climate negotiations, including the Paris Agreement and the architecture of the new global climate regime. They learn about the main institutions, actors, and processes relating to climate and energy politics in Europe, both at the EU and the national level. Students also develop their knowledge about the equivalent in the United States, both at the national level, as well as the sub-national level under Trump (through a multi-level framework). This includes a nuanced understanding of the role of non-state actors as building blocks of the climate regime. Students also acquire useful comparative insights through contrasting transatlantic US/EU perspectives, as well as comparisons with other major powers such as China. In addition, they have the opportunity to apply this knowledge during a live simulation of the COP 26 during the final class.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

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### **Host Institution Campus**

English Seminar

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

International Relations

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