

COURSE DETAIL

COMPARATIVE POLITICS

Country

Australia

Host Institution

University of Melbourne

Program(s)

University of Melbourne

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

112

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

COMPARATIVE POLITICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

COMPARATIVE POLITIC

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces to comparative politics. There are many different aspects of and approaches to comparative politics, but all agree that this involves comparing at least two - and often many more - units of political analysis (e.g. countries, types of political system, electoral systems, areas of policy). This course divides comparative politics by classical and contemporary approaches. Classical approaches to comparative politics examine the concept of authority and the rise of liberal, communist and fascist political ideologies and systems. Contemporary approaches to comparative politics explore institutional differences and voting systems between countries in addition to concepts of social capital, path dependency, political culture and economic development.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

POLS20023

Host Institution Course Title

COMPARATIVE POLITICS

Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Political Science

Course Last Reviewed

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