

COURSE DETAIL

MODERN WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

116

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

MODERN WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

UCEAP Transcript Title

WEST POL THOUGHT

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course explores major political ideas and concepts from the modern Western tradition. Key political constructs such as power, authority, justice, liberty and democracy are examined in intellectual and historical context. Reading Thomas Hobbes's Leviathan and John Locke's Second Treatise on Government, among other influential writings, students are exposed to the broader themes and ideas that have shaped political life in the West since 1600.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PS2204

Host Institution Course Title

MODERN WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

Host Institution Course Details

<https://nusmods.com/courses/PS2204/modern-western-political-thought>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Political Science

Course Last Reviewed

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