# COURSE DETAIL

| THE EUROPEAN LEFT AND THE ECONOMY: 20TH-21ST CENTURIES |
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| **Country**<br>France |
| **Host Institution**<br>Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po) |
| **Program(s)**<br>Sciences Po Paris |
| **UCEAP Course Level**<br>Upper Division |
| **UCEAP Subject Area(s)**<br>Political Science History Economics |
| **UCEAP Course Number**<br>175 |
| **UCEAP Course Suffix** |
| **UCEAP Official Title**<br>THE EUROPEAN LEFT AND THE ECONOMY: 20TH-21ST CENTURIES |
| **UCEAP Transcript Title**<br>EUR LEFT & ECONOMY |
| **UCEAP Quarter Units**<br>4.50 |
| **UCEAP Semester Units**<br>3.00 |

**Course Description**

This course examines how the European Left thinks and practices economics, above and beyond the vast but erroneous stereotype: that this is a party that is incapable, once in power, to conduct a coherent economic policy. At the crossroads of history, sociology, and political science, this course reexamines the tormented history of the Left towards economics, from the first world war to the consequences of the financial crisis of 2007-2008. It uses a transnational comparative approach and looks at several case studies done in the European zone to examine the movement of ideas and the crucial role of the economy in the changes and political recompositions of the Left during this time.

**Language(s) of Instruction**
French

**Host Institution Course Number**
CHIS 25F18

**Host Institution Course Title**
LES GAUCHES EUROPÉENNES ET L'ÉCONOMIE (XXE-XXIE SIÈCLES)

**Host Institution Course Details**
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**Host Institution Campus**

**Host Institution Faculty**

**Host Institution Degree**
Seminar

**Host Institution Department**
History

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