COURSE DETAIL

INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY

Country

Norway

Host Institution

University of Oslo

Program(s)

University of Oslo

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science International Studies

UCEAP Course Number

119

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY

UCEAP Transcript Title

INTL POL ECONOMY

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course is an introduction to key theories and perspectives on power, governance, and processes of interaction among the key actors in the global economy. Special focus is put on the role of international institutions. Students discuss the classical scholars in political economy, and modern perspectives on industrial organization, institutional economics, the financial system, and trade theory. The concept of globalization frames the discussions. A key aim is to unravel the political processes and institutions that enforce, but also stem, the globalization of economic activities and discuss the national and international political consequences thereof, including the distribution of power and values. For this purpose, theoretical arguments are illustrated with empirical examples from the international production-, finance-, and trade systems.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

STV2220

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Social Sciences

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