

# COURSE DETAIL

## NORDIC POLITICS

**Country**

Norway

**Host Institution**

University of Oslo

**Program(s)**

University of Oslo

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Scandinavian Studies Political Science

**UCEAP Course Number**

111

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

NORDIC POLITICS

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

NORDIC POLITICS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

## Course Description

This course gives an overview of politics in the five Nordic countries, Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, and Sweden. The five Nordic countries are sometimes presented as a particular political type with a uniform set of political institutions, practices and solutions. In this course "Nordic models" are discussed and questioned. This is done firstly by surveying the degree of political uniformity across the five Nordic countries, and, secondly, by comparing these political profiles to other European states. The following topics are covered: state- and nation-building; parties and party systems; social cleavages and value conflicts; parliaments and political representation; gender equality; state structures; local government and regions; welfare states; the relations to the EU; security policy.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

STV1510

## Host Institution Course Title

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## Host Institution Course Details

## Host Institution Campus

Social Sciences

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Political Science

## Course Last Reviewed

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