COURSE DETAIL

POLITICAL PARTIES IN TIMES OF CRISIS
Country France
Host Institution Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)
Program(s) Sciences Po Paris
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science
UCEAP Course Number 110
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title POLITICAL PARTIES IN TIMES OF CRISIS
UCEAP Transcript Title POL PARTIES/CRISIS
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

This course addresses the major challenges of a kind of political organization which is highly depreciated and suffers from a worrying lack of confidence from the citizens in every contemporary liberal democracy: the political party. The course focuses on the problems of both new and traditional political forces: from electoral decline to financial issues, from ideological void to organizational disintegration, it analyzes the role of political parties today and explains how they are trying to reinvent themselves in modern-day democracies. With a concise overview of a major subfield of the political science literature, this course demonstrates how an everyday subject can be observed through different perspectives, and how a mosaic of academic works can be used to draw a global picture which goes beyond current democratic dead ends.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
DSPO 25A30

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree
Seminar

Host Institution Department
Political Science

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