COURSE DETAIL

POLITICS AND INSTITUTIONS IN EUROPE

Country
United Kingdom - England

Host Institution
London School of Economics

Program(s)
London School of Economics

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science

UCEAP Course Number
140

UCEAP Course Suffix
Y

UCEAP Official Title
POLITICS AND INSTITUTIONS IN EUROPE

UCEAP Transcript Title
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UCEAP Quarter Units
12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description

This course gives students an understanding of the full range of leading topics and areas of debate and research relevant to the analysis of political institutions and politics in Europe. The course focuses on both traditional fields of comparative inquiry, such as the study of party competition and voting behavior, and emerging fields of interest, such as national and European identities, immigration, and Europeanization. The course places particular emphasis on the diverse experiences of liberal democracy in different parts of Europe. The course covers not only long-established democracies in Western Europe, but also the relatively new democracies in Central and Eastern Europe. In addition, the course studies in depth a number of European countries, such as Britain, France, Germany, and Italy, analyzing the main developments in the country concerned in the last 20 years (elections, parties, governments). The course then examines issues of particular interest related to that country.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
GV264

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Government

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