

COURSE DETAIL

POLITICAL THEORY: READING THE CLASSICS

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 Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

172

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

POLITICAL THEORY: READING THE CLASSICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

POL THEORY CLASSICS

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course focuses on the reading of classical texts in political theory and philosophy. It confronts foundational texts in the Western tradition (Plato, Hobbes, Tocqueville, Marx, Arendt, Foucault) to improve reading skills, better understand the history of political ideas, and develop views on current political events. The course provides an opportunity to practice the use of precise concepts and to develop stronger argumentations.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

DHUM 25A24

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Seminar

Host Institution Department

Humanities

Course Last Reviewed

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