

COURSE DETAIL

BENEVOLENCE IN THE WORLD

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 International Studies

UCEAP Course Number

177

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

BENEVOLENCE IN THE WORLD

UCEAP Transcript Title

BENEVOLENCE

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course investigates how benevolent conduct is enacted in the world, despite the typical focus on power, war, economic domination, and indifference towards distant foreigners in the study of international relations. This concept is approached from political theory, international relations, as well as artistic endeavors, to explore the tension between interest and sympathy concerning both human nature and the foundations of politics, the traces of which can be found consistently in philosophical debates between the 17th century and today. This course provides a deeper understanding of international relations by exploring an underinvested historical, empirical, and philosophical dimension. It considers benevolence as sensitivity, conduct, and project in the global space to cultivate a clear and optimistic view of the scope of benevolence in the contemporary world.

Language(s) of Instruction

French

Host Institution Course Number

AMHP 25F03

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