

COURSE DETAIL

POLITICAL, LEGISLATIVE, AND PARLIAMENTARY FRENCH LIFE

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

168

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

POLITICAL, LEGISLATIVE, AND PARLIAMENTARY FRENCH LIFE

UCEAP Transcript Title

POLITICAL FR LIFE

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course uses political history, political law, and political science to understand the current political life in France within the constitutional context and institutional practices. The course questions representative democracy and what happens when the rules of electoral competition change but the presidential power stays the same, or is strengthened. The course takes three views: the path of the law or the referendum of the cumulative terms; the evaluation of the law or State of Emergency; and the ethics of politics including the laws of October 11, 2013 and September 15, 2017. The course provides an opportunity to understand the function of political actors by role-playing in the form of a parliamentary debate. Through this exercise, it measures the importance of texts by an article of the three Constitutional ideals: European, a Sixth Republic, and a Federal State.

Language(s) of Instruction

French

Host Institution Course Number

CSPO 25F07

Host Institution Course Title

VIE POLITIQUE, LÉGISLATIVE ET PARLEMENTAIRE FRANÇAISE

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Seminar

Host Institution Department

Political Science

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