COURSE DETAIL

EUROPEAN INTEGRATION: POLITICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Leiden University College
Program(s) Leiden University College
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science European Studies
UCEAP Course Number 132
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title EUROPEAN INTEGRATION: POLITICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
UCEAP Transcript Title EUROPEAN INTEGRATN
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description
This course takes a fresh look at European integration and recent developments in the European Union (EU). It focuses on the following: recent dynamics of European integration and the EU's response to various crises; changes in the European Union's institutions after the ratification of the Lisbon treaty (2009); the Union's policies and their (potential) impact; public opinion and support for future integration. At the beginning of the course, insights from several major streams of academic studies of European integration, EU institutions and policies, are introduced. The main features of EU institutions post Lisbon are discussed. Next, the course focuses on policies and policy outputs to understand what impact the EU might have on the lives of citizens. The course explores a range of policy areas such as the internal market, recent developments in European economic and financial governance, developments in security and the global role of the EU. The course also analyzes and discusses the responses of the EU's member states to challenges such as the post 2008 financial and economic crisis. The third part of the course, addresses the key challenges for the EU today: Brexit, the effects of enlargement, citizen responses to European integration, scenarios for future development.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
LUC The Hague- Level 2

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

World Politics

Course Last Reviewed

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