COURSE DETAIL

INSTITUTIONS OF GLOBAL GOVERNANCE

Country
Netherlands

Host Institution
Utrecht University

Program(s)
Utrecht University

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science International Studies History

UCEAP Course Number
142

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
INSTITUTIONS OF GLOBAL GOVERNANCE

UCEAP Transcript Title
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UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units
4.00

Course Description

This course examines the themes surrounding global organizational processes: how state systems work, where the desire for a global political order comes from, which institutions regulate global relations and what their strengths and weaknesses are. Are we on course for a global government, or will the rise of new centers of world power instead lead to greater fragmentation? The emphasis lies on the last hundred years, in particular on institutions such as the League of Nations, the United Nations, and other global governance organizations. Research is conducted into the motivations behind setting up these institutions, how the interests of various individual nations (or groups of nations) were represented, and which obstacles formed an impediment to decisive governance on global issues. Attention is devoted not only to political organizations, but also to economic and cultural institutions (IMF, the World Bank, ADB), to allow students to acquire a thorough understanding of the structure of the international order and the recent developments in an increasingly polycentric world.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
GE3V17038

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

History and Art History

Course Last Reviewed

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