COURSE DETAIL

DEMOCRACY AND POPULISM IN EUROPE
Country Italy
Host Institution University of Bologna
Program(s) University of Bologna
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science European Studies
UCEAP Course Number 175
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title DEMOCRACY AND POPULISM IN EUROPE
UCEAP Transcript Title DEMOCRCY&POPULSM EU
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description
This is a graduate level course that is part of the Laurea Magistrale program. The course is intended for advanced level students only. Enrollment is by consent of the instructor. The course focuses on the changing nature of democracy in Europe, mainly as a consequence of the rise of populism, in its various forms. The course offers an in-depth analysis of the concept of populism and the correct use of the term as well as an analysis of the meaning of the term Euroscepticism and the rise of the phenomenon. The course is articulated in three main parts. The first part offers an introduction to European politics, with special attention to democracy and political parties as the agents of representation. The second focuses on the changing nature of democracy at the nation-state level and at the EU level. This part includes guest speaker contributions. The third and final part is devoted to student presentations on pre-approved selected topics. Assessment is based on a midterm exam with multiple choice and essay questions (40%), the final essay and its presentation in class (40%) as well as class participation (20%).

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
81771

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Host Institution Campus
SCIENZE POLITICHE

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Politica, amministrazione e organizzazione

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