COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL SCIENCE

Country
Korea, South

Host Institution
Yonsei University

Program(s)
Yonsei University

UCEAP Course Level
Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science

UCEAP Course Number
71

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL SCIENCE

UCEAP Transcript Title
INTRO TO POL SCI

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units
3.00

Course Description

This course is designed to provide an introduction to political science for students who have an interest in political science. It is desirable for students to have civic culture in democratic society. The purpose of the course is to introduce the basic contents and logic of political science (and social science). Students learn theories and practices related to various political phenomena and discuss salient issues on state and democracy. Topics include definition of political science, methodology and logics of social science (correlation and causalit, problems of subjective and objective measurement), state and society, institution and culture, fairness and efficiency, idealism and realism, parliamentarism, presidentialism, semi-presidentialism, elections and political parties, political communications, theories of democracy, public choices, international relations, and perspectives on social changes.

Assessment: Midterm Essay (30%), Final Essay (60%), Attendance and class participation (10%)

Language(s) of Instruction
Korean

Host Institution Course Number
POL1004

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree
Host Institution Department Political Science & Diplomacy
Course Last Reviewed

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