COURSE DETAIL

THE POLITICS AND ECONOMICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

Country Czech Republic

Host Institution CIEE, Prague

Program(s) Central European Studies

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science Economics

UCEAP Course Number 110

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title THE POLITICS AND ECONOMICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

UCEAP Transcript Title POL & ECON OF EU

UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50

UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

The very existence and the radical enlargement of the European Union is becoming one of the defining events of the early twenty-first century. The course discusses the history and ideology of the European unification process. The emergence and transformation of political institutions is an essential part of the course. The collapse of communist regimes in Central and Eastern Europe posed new challenges that lead to the necessity to write a new comprehensive document: the Lisbon Treaty. Students examine both the current monetary crisis and the political process in respective member states. The course addresses topics including the history and the motives of the emergence of the EU on the European continent; the interdependence of economic, political, and cultural phenomena on the European continent; and the issues arising from the future possible enlargement of the EU in the changing geopolitical context.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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