

# COURSE DETAIL

## CRITICAL JUNCTURES IN EU INSTITUTIONS

**Country**

Netherlands

**Host Institution**

Utrecht University

**Program(s)**

Utrecht University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science European Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

104

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

EU INSTITUTIONS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

The study of European governance is not based on one single theoretical or methodological approach. Instead, it combines insights from law, economics, econometrics, psychology, sociology, and political science in order to understand various phenomena such as decision-making, institutional change, working practices, separation of powers, good governance, cooperation, and conflict. This course applies such a multidisciplinary perspective on the state of the art of the European Union. The course uses this perspective to discuss the changes that are taking place at the European scene as a result of enlargement, demands for democratization, effectiveness, widening, and deepening. The course explores phenomena such as the growth of agencies, comitology, executive control, the democratic deficit, regulatory networks, and decision-making. It covers both formal and informal working practices.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

USG4270

## Host Institution Course Title

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## Host Institution Campus

Law, Economics and Governance

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Governance

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