

COURSE DETAIL

POLITICS OF AFRICA AND THE GLOBAL SOUTH

Country

South Africa

Host Institution

University of Cape Town

Program(s)

University of Cape Town

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

129

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

POLITICS OF AFRICA AND THE GLOBAL SOUTH

UCEAP Transcript Title

POLITICS OF AFRICA

UCEAP Quarter Units

10.00

UCEAP Semester Units

6.70

Course Description

This course reviews the theories and approaches that are typically used to analyze the political economies and political regimes of countries in the global South. The reliability, validity and normative implications of these theories will be evaluated with reference to key case studies - in many cases drawn from the African continent - in order to illustrate or problematize their claims. Though this is a political science course, our study of the politics of the South will be informed by debates that span a number of disciplines, including history, economics, law, anthropology and sociology.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

POL3029F

Host Institution Course Title

POLITICS OF AFRICA AND THE GLOBAL SOUTH

Host Institution Campus

Humanities

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Political Studies

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