

COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL ANALYSIS

Country

Japan

Host Institution

Waseda University

Program(s)

Waseda University

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

10

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL ANALYSIS

UCEAP Transcript Title

POLITICAL ANALYSIS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course provides an overview of empirical political science as an introduction to important concepts, theories, methods, and findings in the discipline. While it is impossible to survey completely the broad field of political science, the course examines some of the major questions in political science and encourages critically thinking about the discipline's best answers to those questions. The course covers basic concepts relevant to the study of different types of political systems (such as democracy or sovereignty). Students explore the challenges of defining and measuring such concepts and review some historical understanding of these concepts. The course examines how political scientists assess causal relationships between social, economic and political variables

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

POLX111L

Host Institution Course Title

INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL ANALYSIS

Host Institution Campus

School of Political Science and Economics

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Political Science

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