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, introducing important concepts, theories, methods, and findings in the discipline. 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) and explores the challenges of defining and measuring such concepts while also acquiring some historical understanding of these concepts. The course explores how political scientists assess causal relationships between social, economic, and political variables, and how scholars study political behavior and political identity.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
POLX111L

Host Institution Course Title
INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL ANALYSIS 01

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Host Institution Campus
Waseda University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
School of Political Science and Economics

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