

## COURSE DETAIL

### POLITICAL HISTORY OF THE US

**Country**

Singapore

**Host Institution**

National University of Singapore

**Program(s)**

National University of Singapore

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

History

**UCEAP Course Number**

138

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

POLITICAL HISTORY OF THE US

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

POLITICAL HIST US

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

This course focuses on the political evolution of the US. The pre-eminence of the US in world affairs suggests that knowledge of the evolution of American society and its culture is crucial to understanding American motivations and actions. In tracing how Americans have, from 1776, resolved issues and debates regarding the role of the federal government, racial and economic justice, gender roles, and political participation, budget and resource allocation and environmental concerns, students will gain insight into the historical processes which have shaped the US. By the end of the semester, students would have the necessary perspectives and contexts to assess and interpret American cultural, social and economic developments, as well as the continuing dialogue that Americans have about the nature of their society and democracy. This course is designed for students throughout NUS with an interest in American history.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

HY3238,AS3238

### Host Institution Course Title

POLITICAL HISTORY OF THE US

### Host Institution Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

History

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