COURSE DETAIL

SOUTH AFRICAN POLITICS
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 119
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title SOUTH AFRICAN POLITICS
UCEAP Transcript Title SOUTH AFRICAN POLIT
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This course introduces the academic study of South African politics. It explores the country's recent political history, the political legacies of segregation and apartheid, and the relationships between politics and broader social life. It goes on to explore the character and significance of the country's 'democratic transition'. The course also investigates the country's constitution, electoral systems, political parties, party system, and associational politics. Students learn key academic approaches to the study of domestic politics and apply these to the study of South Africa.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
POL2043S

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Campus
University of Cape Town

Host Institution Faculty
Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Political Science

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