

COURSE DETAIL

PARTY POLITICS IN THE UNITED STATES

Country

China

Host Institution

Fudan University

Program(s)

Fudan University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science American Studies

UCEAP Course Number

110

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

PARTY POLITICS IN THE UNITED STATES

UCEAP Transcript Title

US PARTY POLITICS

UCEAP Quarter Units

3.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.00

Course Description

This course is to help the students to

Understand concepts and theories of political parties in the United States.

Understand the various functions of political parties in the United States.

Understand and explain how partisan polarization has contributed to the crisis of democracy and the crisis of governance in the United States.

Analyze how partisan polarization in the United States would affect Sino-US relations.

The United States is one of the most important countries in the western world. Its domestic partisan politics have global implications, affecting the Sino-US relationship. This course is intended to give an overview of the scholarly works and popular debates about political parties in the United States. Topics include the theories and the development of party system in the United States, party organization, the role of parties in mobilizing voters, party and governance, partisan polarization, parties and foreign policies, and party politics and Sino-US relations.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

POLI130235

Host Institution Course Title

PARTY POLITICS IN THE UNITED STATES

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

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Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Department of Political Science, School of International Relations and Public Affairs

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