

## COURSE DETAIL

### POLITICAL PSYCHOLOGY

**Country**

Ireland

**Host Institution**

University College Dublin

**Program(s)**

University College Dublin

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science

**UCEAP Course Number**

159

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

POLITICAL PSYCHOLOGY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

POLITICAL PSYCHOLGY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

## Course Description

This course introduces concepts from psychology (e.g. beliefs, emotions, or personality) to better understand politics (e.g. elite decision-making, voting behavior, or popular uprisings). Topics are structured around three types of methods that are frequently applied in psychology: experiments, surveys, and interviews. Students gain first-hand research experience by working in small teams to evaluate primary data on a topic of their choice (e.g. right-wing voting, state decisions to go to war, or emotional effects of terror attacks).

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

POL36070

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POLITICAL PSYCHOLOGY

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## Host Institution Campus

University College Dublin

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Social Sciences & Law

## Course Last Reviewed

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