# **COURSE DETAIL**

### **RESEARCH DESIGN IN POLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

### **Country**

United Kingdom - Scotland

#### **Host Institution**

University of Edinburgh

### Program(s)

University of Edinburgh

#### **UCEAP Course Level**

**Upper Division** 

### **UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science

#### **UCEAP Course Number**

108

#### **UCEAP Course Suffix**

#### **UCEAP Official Title**

RESEARCH DESIGN IN POLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

### **UCEAP Transcript Title**

RESEARCH DESIGN/POL

### **UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

#### **UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

### **Course Description**

The course equips students with the skills necessary to understand, critically assess, and undertake the research design process relevant to their degree. Students gain a good grasp of the behavioral assumptions in social science research, knowledge of a range of data collection methods (and how to assess the appropriateness of each), as well as the steps within a successful research project design. More specifically students learn how to choose a topic, formulate a research question and hypotheses, select cases, navigate measurement issues, and undertake a range of data collection methods.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

#### **Host Institution Course Number**

PLIT10106

#### **Host Institution Course Title**

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# **Host Institution Campus**

# **Host Institution Faculty**

School of Social and Political Science

# **Host Institution Degree**

# **Host Institution Department**

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