COURSE DETAIL

AMERICAN POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT

Country
United Kingdom - England

Host Institution
King's College London

Program(s)
King's College London

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science

UCEAP Course Number
144

UCEAP Course Suffix
N

UCEAP Official Title
AMERICAN POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT

UCEAP Transcript Title
AMERICAN POL DEV

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces students to the history, development, and institutions of the American political system. It provides a deeper understanding of contemporary US politics by exploring the historical origins of American political and economic development. The course examines the operation of the main branches of the US government (Congress, Presidency, Supreme Court), and the nature of political ideology and the rise of modern political parties. It also analyzes the development of the federal government, bureaucracy and regulation, and explains the importance of voting and elections in shaping the scope and breadth of public policy in the US today.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
5SSPP240

Host Institution Course Title
AMERICAN POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT

Host Institution Course Details
https://www.kcl.ac.uk/abroad/module-options/american-political-development

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Political Economy

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