COURSE DETAIL

TRANSNATIONAL NETWORKS OF CONSERVATIVE AND RIGHT WING POPULIST PARTIES

Country
Germany

Host Institution
Free University of Berlin

Program(s)
Free University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science International Studies American Studies

UCEAP Course Number
113

UCEAP Course Suffix
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UCEAP Official Title
TRANSNATIONAL NETWORKS OF CONSERVATIVE AND RIGHT WING POPULIST PARTIES

UCEAP Transcript Title
TRANSNTL POPULIST

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units
3.00

Course Description

Around the globe, right-wing populist and extremist movements and parties are on the rise. In some democracies, they have marginalized or even replaced mainstream conservative parties, in others – like in the US – they have radicalized them. In light of their typically ultranationalist (“America first”) and frequently isolationist and protectionist policy positions, it is somewhat counterintuitive that these actors would form cross-border alliances. And yet, the transnational networking of radicalized conservatives, right-wing populists and even extremists has increased in recent years. Gatherings such as the US-based Conservative Political Action Conferences (CPAC) have featured more and more international participants and high-level speakers. Common themes such as the “anti-woke agenda” can be observed across many different countries. In the seminar, we will explore the extent and relevance of these transnational networks, focusing on ideological exchanges and cross-border learning of strategies and tactics, including political communication.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
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