COURSE DETAIL

COMPARATIVE SOCIAL POLICY IN EUROPE

Country
France

Host Institution
Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

Program(s)
Sciences Po Paris

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Sociology Political Science European Studies

UCEAP Course Number
102

UCEAP Course Suffix
E

UCEAP Official Title
COMPARATIVE SOCIAL POLICY IN EUROPE

UCEAP Transcript Title
COMP SOC POLICY/EUR

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course delves into the multifaceted landscape of social policies across Europe, examining the diverse approaches taken by various nations to address social welfare challenges. The course begins by providing a foundational understanding of social policy concepts and theories. It then transitions into an in-depth analysis of the evolution of welfare systems in Europe from the post-war period to the present day. Emphasis is placed on understanding the historical legacies, institutional frameworks, and ideological underpinnings that influence the design and restructuring of social policies in different European countries. The course finally delves into the comparative examination of key areas of social policy, including family policy, labor market policy, healthcare, and long-term care.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
ASPO 25A29

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Host Institution Course Details
https://syllabus.sciencespo.fr/fr/?202410/262151

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree
Core Seminar

Host Institution Department
Political Science

Course Last Reviewed
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