

## COURSE DETAIL

### EUROPEAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

**Country**

Ireland

**Host Institution**

University College Cork

**Program(s)**

University College Cork

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science European Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

170

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

EUROPEAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

EURO GOVT &POLITICS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.30

## Course Description

This course introduces the comparative study of European politics, a comparative analysis of political institutions, and political behavior in Europe. On successful completion of this course, students are able to: Analyze politics in a comparative manner; Describe the differences between the political systems in operation across Europe; Identify the role played by political parties in parliamentary democracies; Assess the necessity of political parties and the functions they fulfil; Evaluate the merits of different electoral systems; Differentiate between the workings of different political systems; Assess whether politics can be analyzed via comparative methods; Evaluate the role of non-party actors in parliamentary democracies.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

GV2218

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## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Government and Politics

## Course Last Reviewed

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