

# COURSE DETAIL

## DEMOCRATIC BACKSLIDING, RESILIENCE, AND STRATEGIES OF RESISTANCE

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

University of Bordeaux

**Program(s)**

University of Bordeaux

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science

**UCEAP Course Number**

170

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

DEMOCRATIC BACKSLIDING, RESILIENCE, AND STRATEGIES OF RESISTANCE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

DEMOCR BACKSLIDING

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

3.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.00

### **Course Description**

This course explores the rise and decline of democracy since the “third wave” of transitions in the late 20th century. It examines the causes of democratic backsliding, the resilience of democratic institutions, and strategies of resistance against authoritarianism. The course analyzes regime dynamics, civil society roles, and alternative authoritarian models shaping global politics today.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

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### **Host Institution Course Details**

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### **Host Institution Campus**

Sciences Po Bordeaux

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Sciences Po Bordeaux

### **Course Last Reviewed**

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