

# COURSE DETAIL

## MODERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

**Country**

United Kingdom - England

**Host Institution**

University of Sussex

**Program(s)**

University of Sussex

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science

**UCEAP Course Number**

129

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

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**UCEAP Official Title**

MODERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

MODERN POL THOUGHT

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

### **Course Description**

In this course, students explore some of the most important texts in the history of western political philosophy, focusing on the work of seven major political thinkers. Students study the broad contours of modern political thought from the 17th to the 20th. Students learn to analyze philosophical arguments, situate the texts within their historical contexts, engage in close textual reading, and understand the wider themes and concepts that shape modern political thought.

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

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

L2031

### **Host Institution Course Title**

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### **Host Institution Course Details**

<https://www.sussex.ac.uk/study/modules/undergraduate/2025/103815-modern-politic...>

### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Politics and Contemporary European Studies

### **Course Last Reviewed**

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