POLITICAL SCIENCE COURSES SUMMER TERM 2014
University of Trier – Political Science

Course Information

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Course Information

Most courses are given in German. Courses taught in English are marked accordingly.

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How to find a course

In the previous section we gave detailed information on the types of courses that are offered. All courses are listed with the following information:

- Course type
- Title of the course
- Lecturer
- Time/date and place
- ECTS
Bachelor Courses

Basic Modules  Basismodule

Comparative Government  Vergleichende Regierungslehre

Seminar – The Political System of Belgium
Dr. Lasse Cronqvist
Monday, 10-12 am
5 ETCS

Seminar – The Political System of the United States of America
Simon Jakobs, M.A.
Tuesday, 8-10 am
5 ETCS

Seminar – The Political System of the PR China
Tim Kubach, M.A.
Tuesday, 10-12 am
5 ETCS

Seminar – The Political Systems of Denmark and Sweden in Comparison
Dr. Lasse Cronqvist
Wednesday, 12 am -2 pm
5 ETCS

Seminar – Governmental Innovation Policy
Tim Kubach, M.A.
Wednesday, 12 am -2 pm
5 ETCS

Seminar – Political Culture in International Comparison
P.D. Dr. Jens Tenscher
Monday, 12 am - 2 pm
5 ETCS
Seminar – Political Culture in International Comparison
P.D. Dr. Jens Tenscher
Friday, 10-12 am
5 ETCS

Seminar – Introduction in Electoral Research
Lena Masch, M.Sc./ M.A.
Wednesday, 8-10 am
5 ETCS

**POLITICAL THEORY AND HISTORY OF POLITICAL THOUGHTS**
**POLITISCHE THEORIE UND IDEENGESCHICHTE**

Lecture - Theories of Democracy
Prof. Dr. Winfried Thaa
Tuesday, 12 am -2 pm
5 ETCS

**POLITICAL ECONOMY**
**POLITISCHE ÖKONOMIE**

Lecture – Political Economy of the European Integration
Prof. Dr. Joachim Schild
Monday, 10-12 am
5 ETCS

**INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS/ FOREIGN POLICY**
**INTERNATIONALE BEZIEHUNGEN/ AUSSENPOLITIK**

Seminar – German Policy Towards Europe
Prof. Dr. Joachim Schild
Wednesday, 8-10 am
5 ETCS

Seminar – The European Union as an Actor in Developmental and Humanitarian Policies
Dr. phil. Siegfried Schieder
Monday, 2-4 pm
5 ETCS
Seminar – International Organisations and Regimes  
Dieter Berckvens, M.A.  
Wednesday, 2-4 pm 
5 ETCS

Seminar – The Political System of the EU and Chosen Areas of the EU Foreign Policy  
Dr. Michael Bollmann, Jan Wisswässer  
Friday, 12 am – 2 pm 
5 ETCS

Seminar – Diplomacy and International Negotiation Policies  
Dr. phil. Siegfried Schieder  
Thursday, 12 am – 2 pm 
5 ETCS

Seminar – Political Communication in International Relations, Crises and Conflicts  
P.D. Dr. Jens Tenscher  
Tuesday, 4-6 pm 
5 ETCS

Seminar – Political Communication in International Relations, Crises and Conflicts  
P.D. Dr. Jens Tenscher  
Friday, 2-6 pm 
5 ETCS

**METHODS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
**METHODEN DER POLITIKWISSENSCHAFT**

Lecture – Methods of Political Science  
Dr. Lasse Cronqvist  
Monday, 2-4 pm 
4 ETCS

Tutorial  
Wednesday, 4-6 pm 
2 ETCS

Tutorial  
Thursday, 12 am – 2 pm 
2 ETCS
DIDACTICS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE (for Bachelor of Education)
FACHDIDAKTIK

Seminar – Goals, Principles, Methods and Media of Civic Education – Group 1
Dr. Urban Vaßen
Wednesday, 10-12 am
In combination with Exercise Unit: 5 ECTS

Seminar – Goals, Principles, Methods and Media of Civic Education – Group 2
Dr. Urban Vaßen
Wednesday, 2-4 pm
In combination with Exercise Unit: 5 ECTS

Exercise Unit – Planning Politics Lessons – Group 1
Dr. Urban Vaßen
Tuesday, 2-4 pm
In combination with Seminar: 5 ECTS

Exercise Unit – Planning Politics Lessons – Group 2
Dr. Urban Vaßen
Tuesday, 4-6 pm
In combination with Seminar: 5 ECTS

ADVANCED MODULES  AUFBAUMODULE

COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT  VERGLEICHENDE REGIERUNGSLHRE

Seminar – Electoral Campaigns in International Comparison
P.D. Dr. Jens Tenscher
Monday, 4-6 pm and Thursday, 4-6 pm
10 ECTS

Seminar - Contemporary Research on Authoritarianism – Principles and Case Studies
Dr. Dirk Schmidt
Wednesday, 12 am - 2 pm and Friday, 10-12 am
10 ECTS
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS/FOREIGN POLICY
INTERNATIONALE BEZIEHUNGEN/AUSSENPOLITIK

Seminar – The Concept of Sovereignty and the Transnational Constellation
Jun.-Prof. Christian Volk
Tuesday, 12 am - 2 pm and Wednesday, 2-4 pm
Taught in English!
10 ETCS

Seminar – Political Public Sphere in Europe
P.D. Dr. Jens Tenscher
Tuesday, 10-12 am and Thursday, 12 am - 2 pm
10 ETCS

POLITICAL THEORY AND HISTORY OF POLITICAL THOUGHTS

Seminar – Public Sphere and Democracy
Prof. Dr. Winfried Thaa
Tuesday 4-6 pm and Thursday, 10-12 pm
10 ETCS

Seminar – Order, Constitution and Revolution in Contemporary Political Thoughts
Michel Dormal, M.A.
Monday, 12 am - 2 pm and Tuesday, 2-4 pm
10 ETCS

POLITICAL ECONOMY
POLITISCHE ÖKONOMIE

Seminar – Current Case Studies of the Comparative and International Political Economy
Dr. Dirk Schmidt
Wednesday, 8-10 am and Friday, 12 am - 2 pm
10 ETCS
MASTER COURSES

POLITICAL THEORY AND HISTORY OF POLITICAL THOUGHTS
POLITISCHE THEORIE UND IDEENGESCHICHTE

Seminar - Theory and Practice of Direct Democracy
Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Lorig
Tuesday, 2-4 pm and Thursday, 10-12 pm
10 ETCS

WESTERN DEMOCRACIES
WESTLICHE DEMOKRATIEN

Seminar – Politics in the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg: Society, State, Democracy, Economy
Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Lorig
Tuesday, 10-2 pm and Thursday, 2-4 pm
10 ETCS

Seminar – Parties and the European Election 2014
Dr. Lasse Cronqvist
Thursday, 10-12 am
5 ECTS

Seminar – Aspects of Democracies
Dr. Lasse Cronqvist
Thursday, 4-6 pm and Thursday, 2-4 pm
5 ECTS

FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND FOREIGN TRADE POLICY
AUSSEN- UND AUSSENWIRTSCHAFTSPOLITIK

Seminar – Nuclear Proliferation and International Security/ History of International Relations oft he 19th and 20th Century
Prof. James Fergusson/ Prof. Dr. Ursula Lehmkuhl
Tuesday, 4-6 pm and Thursday, 10-12 am
10 ETCS
Seminar – Methods of International Relations and Foreign Policy Analysis  
Dr. phil. Siegfried Schieder  
Tuesday, 12 am – 2 pm and Thursday, 4-6 pm  
10 ETCS

**Political Participation**  
POLITISCHE PARTIZIPATION

Seminar – After Post-Democracy: Current Theories on an Historical Transformation of Democracy  
Prof. Dr. Winfried Thaa  
Monday, 4-6 pm and Thursday, 4-6 pm  
10 ETCS

**Political Communication**  
POLITISCHE Kommunikation

Seminar – Government Communications in the Digital Age – Comparing Perspectives  
Dr. Isabelle Borucki  
Tuesday, 2-4 pm and Wednesday, 2-4 pm  
10 ETCS

**Global Governance**

Seminar – Global Governance  
Prof. Dr. Joachim Schild  
Monday, 2-4 pm and Thursday, 8-10 am  
10 ETCS

**Politics and Economics in Developing and Emergent Countries**

Seminar – The Political Foundations in Germany and their Development Policy Function in Africa  
Dr. Johannes Michael Nebe  
Thursday, 12 am – 2 pm  
10 ETCS