

POLITICAL SCIENCE

COURSES

SUMMER TERM 2024



Trier University – Political Science

Course Information

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Course Information

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

Last update: 18.03.2024. The information in this document is preliminary and might be subject to change!

How to find a course

To begin with, we offer an **ERASMUS Module** each **winter semester** that encompasses the most crucial issues on the Political System of the Federal Republic of Germany.

Lectures (*2 hours weekly*) are offered on several topics. You can receive 5 ECTS if you pass an **oral or written exam**. Some lectures are combined with a **tutorial**.

Seminars in **Basic Modules** (*2 hours weekly*) are classes for beginners, e.g., for students in their first or second year. In order to obtain a grade, it is usually necessary to give a presentation and to write a seminar paper. You can receive 5 ECTS for a Seminar in a Basic Module.

In Seminars of **Advanced Modules** or **Master Courses** (*4 hours weekly*), you can receive 10 ECTS. Usually, it is necessary to give a presentation and to write a seminar paper or pass an oral exam.

IMPORTANT: Attendance in seminars is compulsory. You will only be allowed to the testing procedure if you did not miss the class more than two or three times.

All courses are listed with the following information:

- Course type
- Title of the course
- Lecturer
- Time/date/room
- ECTS

Special testing conditions

Under consultation with the respective lecturer and dependent on the individual language level, it is possible to write seminar papers in English or take oral exams instead of written exams. Those special conditions must be agreed on with the lecturer.

Lectures will start on April 15, 2024

Digital/on-site

Certain courses may be offered online, others onsite and some through a mix of online and onsite classes (blended teaching). This guide does not imply that any of the listed courses will be offered on-site! So please check the website listed above and inform yourselves about the modus of teaching before the lectures start.

Digital courses are taught with Zoom. Zoom is a software for video conferences. The University has a license for this software. Thus, it is free to use for you as a student. If you are only taking part in conferences, you do not need to create an account. All login information for the conferences should be provided by the lecturer prior to your courses.

If you need help using the software, see the information on the following website: <https://www.uni-trier.de/index.php?id=73243>

If you need any help in general, please contact the International Office (exchangestud@uni-trier.de). If you need any help regarding the courses in the department of political sciences, please contact us (eraspols@uni-trier.de).

BACHELOR COURSES

BASIC MODULES

BASISMODULE

POLITICAL ECONOMY

POLITISCHE ÖKONOMIE

Lecture

Introduction to Political Economy

Prof. Dr. Dirk Schmidt

Thursday, 10am – 12am, Room HS3

Seminar

European and East Asian Political Economy

Dr. Moritz Liebe and Prof. Dr. Dirk Schmidt

Wednesday, 8am – 10am, Room A8

Thursday, 10am – 12am, Room P12

10 ECTS, as far as the Lecture and the Seminar are being combined.

COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT

VERGLEICHENDE
REGIERUNGSLEHRE

Lecture

Introduction to Comparative Government

Prof. Dr. Joachim Schild

Monday, 2pm – 4pm, Room HS3

Seminar

Political Systems

Dr. Moritz Liebe, Prof. Dr. Markus Linden,
Dr. Lasse Cronqvist, Oliver Drewes

See List of possible appointments on
PORTA Nr.: 13502231

10 ECTS, as far as the Lecture and the Seminar are being combined.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

INTERNATIONALE BEZIEHUNGEN

Lecture

Introduction to International Relations

Prof. Dr. Manuel Fröhlich

Tuesday, 4pm – 6pm, Room HS3

Seminar

Orientation in International Relations

Prof. Dr. Manuel Fröhlich, Dr. Sascha Werthes, M.A. David Teiner

See List of possible appointments on PORTA Nr.: 13502302

10 ECTS, as far as the Lecture and the Seminar are being combined.

POLITICAL ECONOMY

POLITISCHE ÖKONOMIE

Lecture I

Introduction to Political Economy

Prof. Dr. Dirk Schmidt

Thursday, 10am – 12am, Room HS3

Lecture II

Political Economy within the European Integration

Prof. Dr. Joachim Schild

Monday, 10am – 12am, HS3

10 ECTS, as far as both Lectures are being combined.

ADVANCED MODULES

AUFBAUMODULE

Advanced Modules in Comparative Government

The “Turning Point” in the German defense and armaments policy

apl. Prof. Dr. Dirk Schmidt

Tuesday, 16pm – 18pm, Room P12

Tuesday, 16pm – 18pm, Room P3

10 ECTS

Rise and Influence of the Radical Right in Europe

Dr. phil. Anna-Sophia Heinze

Wednesday, 12am – 14pm, Room N2

Thursday, 08am – 10am, Room N3

10 ECTS

Advanced Module in Comparative Government

Dr. Moritz Liebe

Tuesday, 12am – 2pm, Room A9/A10

Thursday, 10am – 12am, Room P12

10 ECTS

Advanced Modules in Political Theory

Extremism and the reactive school of thoughts in western democracies

Prof. Dr. Markus Linden

Thursday, 08am – 10am, Room P3

Friday, 08am – 10am, Room P3

10 ECTS

Advanced Module in Political Theory

Prof. Dr. Claudia Ritzi

Wednesday, 08am – 10am, Room P12

Friday, 10am – 12am, Room P3

10 ECTS

Advanced Modules in International Relations

Conflicts and Development in Africa

Dr. Sascha Werthes

Friday 10am – 14pm, Room B13

10 ECTS

Advanced Module International Relations

Prof. Dr. Joachim Schild

Thursday, 10am – 12am, Room A 142

This course will be taught in English!

10 ECTS

Advanced Module International Relations

Jayanthi Pandiyan

Tuesday, 2pm – 4pm, Room B20

This course will be taught in English!

10 ECTS

Seminar

EurIdentity: Basic Level

The Seminar conveys basic knowledge about the European Union and its political system as well as it imparts intercultural skills.

This course will be taught in English!

5 ECTS

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION COURSES

Lecture

Introduction to the Subject of Social Science

Prof. Dr. Matthias Busch

Wednesday, 12am – 2pm, Room A9/A10

5 ECTS

Seminar

Introduction into the Didactics of Social Science

Prof. Dr. M. Busch

Tuesday, 12am – 2pm

5 ECTS

Seminar

Dimensions in the Subject of Social Science

Prof. Dr. M. Busch

Biodiversity and Sustainability

Tuesday, 2pm – 4pm, **or**

Wednesday, 2pm – 4pm

or

Body and Sexuality

Wednesday, 4pm – 6pm, **or**

Tuesday, 12am – 2pm

5 ECTS

Seminar

Dimensions of Societies throughout Time

Prof. Dr. M. Busch

The Roman Era

Friday, 8am – 10am, **or**

Friday, 10am – 12am

or

Politics and Democracy in Primary Education

Thursday, 10am – 12am, **or**

Thursday, 12am – 2pm

5 ECTS

Seminar

Didactics in the Subject of Social Science

Thursday, 08am – 10am, Room B 17

5 ECTS

Seminar

Project Seminar

Prof. Dr. Matthias Busch

Distinct Dates throughout the semester

MASTER COURSES

International Relations and Diplomacy

Seminar

Peacemaking, Peacekeeping, Peacebuilding: Peace Operations within the United Nations

Prof. Dr. Manuel Fröhlich

Thursday, 2pm – 6pm, Room P13

10 ECTS

Seminar

Paths of Research: Research Approaches and Methods

Prof. Dr. Manuel Fröhlich

Friday, 19.04.2024, 1pm - 3pm, Room A11

10 ECTS

Seminar

Global Governance

Dr. Sascha Werthes

Monday, 12am – 4pm, Room N3

10 ECTS

European and East Asian Politics and Governance

Seminar

Introduction to European Legal History

Prof. Dr. Carsten Fischer

Wednesday, 10am – 12am, Room E44

10 ECTS

Democratic Politics and Communication

Seminar

Basic Principles of Scientific Theory

Dr. Lasse Cronqvist

Thursday, 8am – 1am, Room P13

Friday, 8am – 12am, Room P13

10 ECTS

Tutorial

Methodological Tutorial for Democratic Politic and Communication

Dr. Lasse Cronqvist

Thursday, 8am – 10am, Room P13

GENERAL SPECIALISED MODULES

Seminar: Political Systems

Paradigmatic Changes within the US- Economic Policy

Prof. Dr. Dirk Schmidt

Tuesday, 10am- 12am, Room A142

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10 ECTS

Seminar: Political Theory

The Crisis of Democracy as Comparison of Political Ideas

Prof. Dr. Markus Linden

Thursday, 10am – 12am, Room A142

Friday, 10am – 12am, Room A142

10 ECTS

GENERAL ADVANCED MODULES

Seminar: Political Communication

Communication in Electoral Campaigns

Prof. Dr. Uwe Jun

Tuesday, 4pm - 6pm; Room P2

10 ECTS

Seminar: Political Participation

Advanced Course in Political Participation

Dr. Lasse Cronqvist

Tuesday, 10am – 12am, Room A11

Wednesday, 10am – 12am, Room B21

10 ECTS

MASTER OF EDUCATION COURSES

Seminar

Didactics for Democratic Education

Thomas Wasner

Wednesday, 12am – 4pm, Room B16

5 ECTS

Seminar

Didactics for Social Studies in the Digitalized World

Steffen Barth

Wednesday, 8am – 10am, Room E52

5 ECTS

Tutorial

Played Simulations in Social Science Classrooms

Steffen Barth

Wednesday, 10am – 12am, Room P3

Seminar

Populism

Steffen Barth

Thursday, 8am – 10 am, Room P12

5 ECTS

Tutorial

The Counterfeiting Workshop in the Classroom

Will take place on three fixed days throughout the Semester

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