



 **Universität Trier**

POLITICAL SCIENCE

COURSES

WINTER TERM 2019/2020



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

First, we offer an **ERASMUS Module** each winter semester that encompasses the most crucial issues on the Political System of the FRG.

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
- 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 and your ERASMUS-tutor.

ERASMUS MODULE ERASMUS-MODUL

10 ECTS (completed with one exam, oral or written)

Lecture

Political System of the Federal Republic of Germany

Prof. Dr. Uwe Jun

Tuesday, 10-12 am; Room HS3

Tutorial for ERASMUS-Students [attendance is compulsory]

Political System of the Federal Republic of Germany

N.N.

Date: **to be announced**

Lecture [not relevant to testing procedure]

Political History of the 19th and 20th Century

Prof. Dr. Lutz Raphael

Friday, 10-12 am; Room HS3

BACHELOR COURSES

BASIC MODULES BASISMODULE

POLITICAL THEORY AND HISTORY OF POLITICAL THOUGHTS POLITISCHE THEORIE UND IDEENGESCHICHTE

Lecture

Modern Political Theory

Prof. Dr. Claudia Ritzi

Monday, 12-2 pm; Room HS3

5 ECTS

Seminar – Group 1

PD Dr. Markus Linden

Monday, 8-10 am; Room B13

5 ECTS

Seminar – Group 2

PD Dr. Markus Linden

Tuesday, 8-10 am; Room B21

5 ECTS

Seminar – Group 3

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Thursday, 2-4 pm; Room B21

5 ECTS

Seminar – Group 4

Alexandra Zierold

Monday, 2-4 pm; Room N3

5 ECTS

Seminar – Group 5

Prof. Dr. Claudia Ritzi

Tuesday, 12-2 pm; Room P3

5 ECTS

Seminar – Group 6
Prof. Dr. Claudia Ritzl
Tuesday, 4-6 pm; Room P3
5 ECTS

DEMOCRACY IN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
DEMOKRATIE IN DER BUNDESREPUBLIK DEUTSCHLAND

Lecture
Political System of the FRG
Prof. Dr. Uwe Jun
Tuesday, 10-12 am, Room HS3
10 ECTS (only in combination with the lecture and the ERASMUS-Tutorial)

Lecture [not relevant to testing procedure]
Political History of the 19th and 20th Century
Prof. Dr. Lutz Raphael
Friday, 10-12 am; Room HS3

Preparatory courses:

*Not relevant to **ERASMUS-students**, as you are participating in the ERASMUS-tutorial listed above in the description of the ERASMUS Module.*

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS/ FOREIGN POLICY
INTERNATIONALE BEZIEHUNGEN/ AUSSENPOLITIK

Lecture
Introduction to International Relations
Prof. Dr. Manuel Fröhlich
Thursday, 4-6 pm; Room HS6
5 ECTS

POLITICAL ECONOMY
POLITISCHE ÖKONOMIE

Lecture
Introduction to Political Economy
Dr. Dirk Schmidt
Thursday, 12-2 pm; Room HS6
5 ECTS

METHODS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

METHODEN DER POLITIKWISSENSCHAFT

Statistical and Comparative Methods in Empirical Political Science

Lecture

Dr. Lasse Cronqvist

Monday, 4-6 pm; Room HS2

5 ECTS (only in combination with a tutorial)

Seminar

Dr. Lasse Cronqvist

Tuesday, 8-10 am; Room P13

5 ECTS

Tutorials – to be announced

DIDACTICS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE (for Bachelor of Education)

FACHDIDAKTIK

Seminar Group 1

Didactics of Political Science

Stefan Follmann

Friday, 12-2 pm, Room A8

5 ECTS

Seminar Group 2

Didactics of Political Science

Charlotte Keuler

Monday, 12-2 pm, Room B12

5 ECTS

ADVANCED MODULES

AUFBAUMODULE

COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT

VERGLEICHENDE REGIERUNGSLEHRE

Seminar

Comparative Party Research: Theoretical Foundations, Applications and Current Challenges

Dr. Lasse Cronqvist

Tuesday, 12-2 pm and Friday, 12-222 pm; Room P14/C10

10 ECTS

Seminar

The Political System of Taiwan: Fundamentals and Current Developments

Prof. Dr. Schmidt

Tuesday, 2-4 pm and Friday, 10-12 am; Room P14/P3

10 ECTS

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS/ FOREIGN POLICY

INTERNATIONALE BEZIEHUNGEN/ AUßENPOLITIK

Seminar

Latin America as a World Political Region: Dynamics, Conflicts, Challenges

Dr. Sascha Werthes

Monday 2-6 pm; Room P12

10 ECTS

Seminar

Tasks, Structures and Problems of International Organizations: NATO

Natalie Tröller

Thursday, 2-6 pm; Room P1

10 ECTS

POLITICAL THEORY AND HISTORY OF POLITICAL THOUGHTS

POLITISCHE THEORIE UND IDEENGESCHICHTE

Seminar

Populism, Radicalism and Extremism in Western Democracies

PD Dr. Markus Linden

Monday, 10-12 am and Thursday, 10-12 am; Room A142/P12

10 ECTS

MASTER COURSES

POLITICAL THEORY AND HISTORY OF THOUGHT

POLITISCHE THEORIE UND IDEENGESCHICHTE

Seminar

Inequality and Democracy

PD Dr. Markus Linden

Tuesday, 10-12 am and Thursday, 8-10 am; Room P12

10 ECTS

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS/ FOREIGN POLICY

INTERNATIONALE BEZIEHUNGEN/ AUSSENPOLITIK

Seminar

The Individual and International Politics: the Example of UN Secretaries-General

Prof. Dr. Manuel Fröhlich

Tuesday, 2-6 pm; Room P12

10 ECTS

Seminar

Causes of Warlike Violence and Conditions of Peace: Theories and Empiricism

Dr. Sascha Werthes

Wednesday, 10-2 am/pm; Room N3

10 ECTS

Seminar

Research Colloquium

Prof. Dr. Manuel Fröhlich

Date and time to be announced

Attention! This course is part of a one-year course.

5 ECTS one semester/10ECTS two semesters

POLITICS AND POLITICAL COMMUNICATION (DIDACTICS, M.Ed.)

POLITIK UND POLITIKVERMITTLUNG (DIDAKTIK, M.Ed.)

Seminar

The Political Order of the Federal Republic of Germany - Scientific Analysis and Didactics

Stefan Follmann

Friday, 2-4 pm; Room A8

5 ECTS

Seminar

Lesson Planning in Social Sciences

Sabine Gans

Tuesday, 4-6 pm; Room B12

5 ECTS

Seminar

Digital Media Competence as a Core Task of Political Education

Dr. Julia Frisch

Thursday, 10-12 am; Room B12

5 ECTS

Seminar

Socio-economic Education in Social Studies

Sabine Gans

Tuesday, 2-4 pm; Room A142

5 ECTS

Seminar

Action Orientation in Social Studies

Prof. Dr. Matthias Busch

Tuesday, 12-2 pm; Room B12

5 ECTS

Colloquium

Didactics of Political Science

Prof. Dr. Matthias Busch

Tuesday, 10-12 am; Room B461

5 ECTS

MAIN FEATURES OF POLITICAL PARTICIPATION

GRUNDZÜGE POLITISCHER PARTIZIPATION

Seminar

Theory of Society and Political Democracy

Prof. Dr. Claudia Ritzi

Monday, 2-4 pm and Thursday, 10-12 am; Room C3/A142

10 ECTS

MAIN FEATURES OF POLITICAL COMMUNICATION

GRUNDZÜGE POLITISCHER KOMMUNIKATION

Seminar

Main features of Political Communication

Prof. Dr. Uwe Jun

Tuesday, 2-4 pm and Thursday, 10-12 am; Room P3

10 ECTS

RESEARCH DESIGN

MODUL FORSCHUNGSDESIGN

Seminar

Research Design

Dr. Lasse Cronqvist

Dates: **The seminar will be carried out as a block course in January, February and March.**

10 ECTS

POLITICAL SYSTEMS

POLITISCHE SYSTEME

Seminar

European Politics and Governance

Dr. Joachim Schild

Monday, 10-12 am and Wednesday, 10-12 am; P12/A142

10 ECTS

This course will be taught in English!

Seminar

East Asian Politics and Governance

Dr. Dirk Schmidt

Tuesday, 10-12 am and Friday, 2-4 pm; Room A142/A7

10 ECTS

This course will be taught in English!

Seminar

Research Techniques and Methods

Dr. Moritz Liebe

Monday, 10-12 am and Thursday, 10-12 am; B22/E45

10 ECTS

This course will be taught in English!

Seminar

EU Decision-Making: Eurosism

Dr. Moritz Liebe + Dr. Joachim Schild

Tuesday, 12-2 pm and Thursday, 10-12 pm; Room A152/C502

10 ECTS

This course will be taught in English!

Seminar

Europe and East Asia in Global Governance

Dr. Dirk Schmidt + Dr. Joachim Schild

Dates: **The seminar will be carried out as a block course – dates to be announced**

10 ECTS

This course will be taught in English!

Seminar

European Public Policies

Dr. Moritz Liebe

Monday, 12-2 pm and Thursday, 12-2 pm; A7/P14

10 ECTS

This course will be taught in English!