

Stony Brook University
Department of Political Science
Undergraduate 2022 Online Winter Courses

POL 101.30 **World Politics**

SBC: GLO; SBS

Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):
None

Instructor: Pei-Hsun Hsieh

Dates:
1/4/2022 to 1/22/2022

Location:
Online

Time:
Asynchronous

Course Description:

Analysis of the basic concepts and issues of international relations in the contemporary international system. The behaviors of states and their decision makers are considered according to various models of national and international conflict. The relationship between the characteristics of nations and their foreign policies is studied on a comparative basis.

POL 102.30 **Intro to American Government**

SBC: SBS; USA

Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):
None

Instructor: Jason Rose

Dates:
1/4/2022 to 1/22/2022

Location:
Online

Time:
Asynchronous

Course Description:

What the informed citizen and specialist should know about the organization of American government, including the Constitution and what it means today, the Congress, political parties, pressure groups, growth of the Presidency, the Supreme Court, judicial review, federalism, separation of powers, and the Bill of Rights. May not be taken for credit in addition to POL 105.

POL 318.30 **Voters and Elections**

SBC: SBS+

Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):
American Government, Law, and Public Policy and Political Behavior and Political Psychology

Instructor: Joshua Shumate

Dates:
1/4/2022 to 1/22/2022

Location:
Online

Time:
Asynchronous

Course Description:

An examination of how citizens make electoral decisions, including the decision to participate at all in elections. The course compares models of voter behavior and probes the influence of such factors as party identification, opinions on issues, ideological orientations, and candidate evaluations. In addition, the social and economic context of voting is explored, as is the importance of elections for policy making and the functioning of the political system.

POL 322.30**Presidency in the American Political System****SBC:** SBS+**Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):**

American Government, Law, and Public Policy

Instructor: Samuel Jens**Dates:**

1/4/2022 to 1/22/2022

Location:

Online

Time:

Asynchronous

Course Description:

How presidential power developed historically; from what sources the powers of the modern Presidency emanate; how decisions are made in the presidential institution; how and to what degree presidential power may or ought to be controlled.

POL 332.30**Politics of Criminal Due Process****SBC:** SBS+**Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):**

American Government, Law, and Public Policy

Instructor: Regina Good**Dates:**

1/4/2022 to 1/22/2022

Location:

Online

Time:

Asynchronous

Course Description:

A survey of the procedural steps through which a criminal case passes commencing with the initial investigation of a crime, covering the laws and court rules governing arrest, search and seizure, bail and fair trial, and concluding with the unconditional release of an offender.

POL 365.30**Economy and Democracy****SBC:** SBS+**Program of Study (POL Majors and Minors Only):**

American Government, Law, and Public Policy

Instructor: Daniella Alva**Dates:**

1/4/2022 to 1/22/2022

Location:

Online

Time:

Asynchronous

Course Description:

An examination of the interplay between economics and politics in Western democracies. Topics include the economic theory of democracy; the political-business cycle; political parties and economic policies; the economy and voter choices in elections; economic performance and government (especially presidential) popularity; and the formation of economic expectations.
