

The rise of Populism

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Teaching Languages	English
ECTS	3
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Course Goals	To introduce the students to the political phenomenon of populism, its theory and application in Europe, the Americas and elsewhere.
Previous knowledge	Previous knowledge of global politics and political theory is desired but not essential.
Prerequisites	Previous political theory subjects are advisable
Teaching methodology	Lectures followed by class discussion and debate.

Description

Course contribution to program	To introduce the students to the political phenonemon of populism
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Bibliography

Müller, Jan-Werner., What is Populism? Penguin 2017 (Book)
Mudde, Cas and Rovira Kaltwasser, Ciriaco, Populism. A Very Short Introduction.' OUP 2017. (Book)

Activities

In-class discussions and debates

Written and/or oral exams

Group presentations

Students will present about a populist cause or politician they are familiar with

Content

#	Topic
1	Introduction to Populism
2	Jan Werner Müller's 7 points
3	Populist Voters
4	Populism in Europe v Latin America
5	Upward Punching v Downward Punching Populism
6	Internal v external populism

Assessment

Tool	Assessment tool	Category	Weight %
Attendance and punctuality		Ordinary round	10.00%
Written and/or oral exams		Ordinary round	60.00%
Group project		Ordinary round	30.00%

PROGRAMS

BITLASI22-Bachelor in Transformational Leadership and Social Impact (Undergraduates: Business)
BITLASI22 Year 4 (Optative)

G114-Global Governance Exchange Program (Undergraduates: Law)
G114 Year 1 (Optative)

G114S-Global Governance Exchange Program (Undergraduates: Law)
G114S Year 1 (Optative)

GEL23-Bachelor of Global Governance, Economics and Legal Order (Undergraduates: Law)
GEL23 Year 2 (Optative)