

Fall 2020 Course Descriptions as of 04/05/2020 08:14 PM

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Government & Public Policy (SGPP)

SGPP 215: Leadership for the Common Good (3 units)

Description: This course provides a broad understanding of leadership in the context of shared-power. What leadership capabilities are effective in diverse settings and organizations? How does one create and communicate vision in the civic context? What are effective strategies for mobilization and action when there are many and diverse stakeholders? How is policy change facilitated? The course will provide the opportunity for self-reflection, focusing on how individuals develop leadership passions and capabilities, how they can serve others and take care of themselves, and what are their individual strengths and challenges.

Grading basis: Regular Grades

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components:	Discussion	May Be Offered
	Lecture	Required

Also offered as: HNRS 215

Home department: Honors College

Enrollment requirement: Student must be active in the Honors College.

Honors Course: Honors Course

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SGPP 300A: Politics, Policy and Governance: The U.S. and the World (3 units)

Description: SGPP 300A, "United States" covers substantive areas that comprise the fields of American politics, public administration and policy. Topics include public policy and government, political institutions, and electoral policies. Attention to issues of common pool resource consumption, equality, fairness and hypocrisy as relevant to public policy and governance, especially in the U.S. setting.

Grading basis: Regular Grades

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components:	Lecture	Required
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Course typically offered:

Main Campus: Spring

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May Be Offered Departments may offer this component in some semesters. See the Schedule of Classes for term-specific offerings.

Description: Covering the areas of comparative politics and international relations, addresses important substantive areas such as international and domestic conflict and conflict management; political economy (international and national); political institutional design (both within states and international); interest articulation, aggregation, and elite-mass relations; politics of nationality and religion; and decision-making.

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components:	Lecture	Required
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Course typically offered:

Main Campus: Fall

Description: This course seeks to provide a greater appreciation of what we call "globalization"• and some of its implications for international politics, national security, and the prospects for global management of transnational problems. We will also examine the deepening interconnection of technological, economic, and sociocultural trends that characterize much of globalization; and introduce students to the need for a multidisciplinary approach.

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components:	Lecture	Required
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Course typically offered:

Main Campus: Fall, Spring, Summer

Description: This course aims to present some of the major theoretical approaches to conflict. It examines theories that attempt to explain the causes, dynamics and conditions of conflicts, be they international or domestic. We will focus on organized violence at four levels: the global system; the state or regime; social/ethnic groups; and the individual. By the end of the course students should know the main approaches to understanding what violence is, why warfare and violence occur, and how to apply those approaches to concrete cases.

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components: Lecture Required

Course typically offered:

Main Campus: Fall, Spring, Summer

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Description: How do the levels of corruption and accountability vary in the developing world? To what extent are they determined by the levels of economic development, political culture, political institutions or individual preferences? What kind of trajectories do we observe in the development of regimes and policies? What role do people play in bringing about regime transitions and democratization? Our discussion will focus on regime dynamics, institutions, and popular mobilization in the developing world to understand the complex problems that these countries face.

Main Campus: Fall, Spring, Summer

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SGPP 320: Ethical Leadership (3 units)

Description: This course focuses on ethics in the context of civic leadership. The goal of the course is to provide an understanding of the responsibility to establish ethics and integrity, and the tension between ethics and leadership. Students will learn about value conflicts, and how to adjudicate disputes and sanction conduct. Self-reflection will involve examining how ethics and values are reflected in words and actions and how they are tied to our principles, shared beliefs and legal frameworks.

Grading basis: Regular Grades

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components: Lecture Required

Also offered as: HNRS 320

Home department: Honors College

Enrollment requirement: Student must be active in the Honors College.

Honors Course: Honors Course

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SGPP 335: Leadership, Advocacy and Building Community (3 units)

Description: This course focuses on civic leadership in the context of social movements, with special attention on non-profit and informal grassroots contexts. Students will learn how leadership emerges and how it evolves. They will also learn how community leaders face opposition from powerful interests in society. Particular attention will be paid to communication and persuasion as capabilities that motivate followers, coordinate action and sustain momentum towards change. Students will reflect on the advantages and limits of community and non-profit settings as change agents.

Grading basis: Regular Grades

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components: Lecture Required

Also offered as: HNRS 335, SOC 335

Field trip: Approximately 3 field trips to local community agencies will be held during scheduled class time.

Home department: Honors College

Enrollment requirement: Student must be active in the Honors College.

Honors Course: Honors Course

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SGPP 336: Leadership in Organizations (3 units)

Description: The objective of this class is to enhance students' understanding of what makes leaders effective in organizational settings. Most definitions of leadership suggest that effective leaders are those that: influence a group of individuals to achieve a common goal; improve the performance and attitudes of employees; motivate people to perform above and beyond the call of duty; and enhance organizational effectiveness. In this class, we will define leadership and leader effectiveness; explore the characteristics that influence leaders to emerge and be more effective; and identify the leader behaviors that research has found to be the most effective.

Grading basis: Regular Grades

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components: Lecture Required

Also offered as: BNAD 336, HNRS 336, MGMT 336, SOC 336

Home department: Honors College

Enrollment requirement: Student must be active in the Honors College.

Honors Course: Honors Course

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SGPP 384: International Human Rights, Transitional Justice, and Israel (3 units)

Description: This course will introduce students to international human rights principles and aspects of transitional justice, while also allowing for them to understand the complexities of Israel and the issues that confront the state. Students will have a unique opportunity to consider the international framework of human rights from an Israeli perspective while attaining a better understanding of Israel internationally. Students will become familiar with the variety of international methods that might assist in moving the region towards a more stable co-existence.

Grading basis: Regular Grades

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components: Lecture Required

Also offered as: JUS 384

Course typically offered:

Main Campus: Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer

Home department: Arizona Center for Judaic Studies

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SGPP 396H: Government & Public Policy Honors Special Topics Seminar (1 unit)

Description: An Honors special topics seminar course for Honors Active Juniors and Seniors. Course includes small group discussion, research, and presentations on a variety of government & public policy related special topics of interest. Current research, relevant issues, historical perspectives and guest speakers may be included. Honors sophomores may enroll with consent of the department.

Grading basis: Regular Grades

Career: Undergraduate

Course Components: Seminar Required

Repeatable: Course can be repeated a maximum of 2 times.

Course typically offered:

Main Campus: Fall, Spring

Enrollment requirement: Honors active Junior or Senior status.

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