




5.00 credits

15.0 h

Q2

Teacher(s)	Rihoux Benoît ;
Language :	English
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes	In this course, students will study national and international democratic challenges through a world parliament simulation.
Learning outcomes	<p>At the end of this learning unit, the student is able to :</p> <p>At the end of this course, the students will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> - Analyse democratic challenges and provide alternative solutions - Discuss and defend a position in a written and an oral way <p>Summarise in a both written and oral way discussions and provide an analytical overview.</p>
Evaluation methods	<i>This course is based on writing individual and collective analytical documents and on their oral presentation and discussion. There is no exam, the evaluation is based on the individual and collective assignments. 50% for individual writing an oral assignments, 50% for collective writing and oral assignment.</i>
Teaching methods	<i>The course relies on a problems-based approach in the format of a world parliament simulation. Students, in groups and individually, will have to search for information about democratic challenges, provide alternative solutions and discuss them.</i>
Content	This course deals with national and international democratic challenges, with inputs from the students themselves.
Bibliography	<p>The background reading for this course is the book: D. Held, Models of Democracy, 2006 (3rd edition), Cambridge, Polity (available on Moodle). Students will have to do other readings according to the themes that they have to analyse and discuss. Un livre fait office de lecture de base : D. Held, Models of Democracy, 2006 (3rd edition), Cambridge, Polity (disponible sur Moodle). Les étudiant-e-s devront réaliser d'autres lectures en fonction des thèmes qu'ils/elles doivent analyser et discuter.</p>
Other infos	This course demands active student participation and a reading, writing and speaking command of English.
Faculty or entity in charge	ESPO

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes
Minor in Political Sciences	MINSPOL	5		
Bachelor in Philosophy, Politics and Economics	PPE1BA	5		
Bachelor in Political Sciences: General	SPOL1BA	5		
Minor "Decentering History: Subalternities and postcolonial Studies"	MINDHIS	5		