

## Faculty of Economic, Social and Political Sciences



### DVLP3192 Inter-disciplinary seminar on development policies: the Arab world

[30h] 8 credits

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**Language:** French  
**Level:** Third cycle

#### Aims

To help students make an in-depth study from a comparative perspective of a particular theme relating to the geographical area known as the Arab World, and to verify their ability to problematise a theme relating to development.

#### Main themes

Students will be urged to contribute actively by presenting reading notes.

The examination will involve a presentation of written work that will already have been the subject of a discussion during the seminar.

#### Content and teaching methods

The content will vary from year to year, but the selected theme will usually concern all Arab countries.

The themes considered to be important are:

- fundamentalism, Islamism and political violence (1997-1999);
- state-power-nationalism;
- international migration;
- democracy, civil society and human rights.

#### Methodology

Attendance at sessions that form part of the seminar is compulsory.

After establishing a work plan and clarifying the general issue, students will seek to analyse the various theoretical aspects of the general issue, enriching it with case studies. The seminar will consist of an open discussion with students about shared reading and particular research work.

#### Other information (prerequisite, evaluation (assessment methods), course materials recommended readings, ...)

Assessment: This will be based on participation in discussions on the oral presentation of the research, and on the final draft of the "research document".

#### Programmes in which this activity is taught

<b>DVLP3DS</b>	Diplôme d'études spécialisées en études du développement
<b>DVLP3DS/AD</b>	Diplôme d'études spécialisées en études du développement (Analyse du développement)
<b>HORI2M1</b>	Master en langues et littératures anciennes, orientation "orientales"
<b>ISLA2</b>	Licence en langues et littératures orientales (langue arabe et islamologie)
<b>ISLE3DA/OR</b>	Diplôme d'études approfondies en philosophie et lettres (langues et littératures orientales)

**Other credits in programs**

<b>DVLP3DS</b>	Diplôme d'études spécialisées en études du développement	(8 credits)	
<b>DVLP3DS/AD</b>	Diplôme d'études spécialisées en études du développement (Analyse du développement)	(8 credits)	Mandatory
<b>HORI2M1</b>	Master en langues et littératures anciennes, orientation "orientales"	(4 credits)	
<b>ISLA21</b>	Première licence en langues et littératures orientales (langue arabe et islamologie)	(3 credits)	
<b>ISLA22</b>	Deuxième licence en langues et littératures orientales (langue arabe et islamologie)	(3 credits)	