

Master in Political Sciences : General

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Tronc commun

- DROI-C5108** [Droit public comparé](#) | Emmanuel SLAUTSKY (Coordinator)
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
- ECON-S2001** [Analysis of Contemporary Economic Issues](#) | Jean-Pierre DE LAET (Coordinator) and Filipp Ushchev
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- POLI-D460** (optional) [Méthodes qualitatives en science politique](#) | Corinne TORREKENS (Coordinator) and Tiago Moreira Ramalho
⌚ 5 credits [tutorial classes: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
- POLI-D463** (optional) [Analyse des discours politiques et médiatiques](#) | Amandine CRESPIY (Coordinator) and Jana Goyvaerts
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- SOCA-D460** (optional) [Social Network Analysis](#) | Matteo GAGLILOLO (Coordinator)
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- STAT-D307** (optional) [Méthodes d'enquête et de sondage](#) | Catherine VERMANDELE (Coordinator)
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Préparation au mémoire

- POLI-D404** [Etudes approfondies de science politique /Master Thesis Seminar](#) | Frédéric LOUAULT (Coordinator), Julien Pomarède and Corinne TORREKENS
⌚ 5 credits [seminars: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French

Cours spécifiques

- POLI-D313** [Communication politique](#) | François HEINDERYCKX (Coordinator) and Nicolas BAYGERT
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 12h, practical work: 12h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French

POLI-D505 **Digital Politics** | Pietro Castelli Gattinara (Coordinator) and Florian Tixier
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 English

POLI-D506 **Political Marketing and Communication** | Pietro Castelli Gattinara (Coordinator) and Karolin Soontjens
⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 English

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ECON-S466 **Public management and communication** | Vincent MABILLARD (Coordinator)
(optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 English

POLI-D304 **Régimes politiques en Afrique** | Véronique DIMIER (Coordinator)
(optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 French

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POLI-D406 **Géographie politique** | Gilles VAN HAMME (Coordinator)
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POLI-D429 **Sport et politique** | Jean-Michel DE WAELE (Coordinator)
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POLI-D436 **Identités, communautés et espaces publics en Europe** | François FORET (Coordinator)
(optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French

POLI-D444 **History of Central and Eastern Europe**
(optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 English

POLI-D509 **Politique de l'Amérique latine** | Frédéric LOUAULT (Coordinator)
(optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French

POLI-D547 **Le Brésil : puissance émergente** | Frédéric LOUAULT (Coordinator)
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POLI-D552 **Questions politiques d'actualité en Chine** | Thierry KELLNER (Coordinator)
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POLI-D556 **Régimes politiques d'Europe centrale et orientale** | Jean-Michel DE WAELE (Coordinator)
(optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨 French

RELA-D400 **L'islam en Europe contemporaine** | Corinne TORREKENS (Coordinator) and Malika Hamidi
(optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 French

SOCA-D4900 **Race, Ethnicity, and Diversity Politics** | Giacomo ORSINI (Coordinator)
(optional) ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨 English

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MEMO-D568 **Mémoire**
 ⌚ 30 credits 📅 first and second terms 🗨️ French

One course chosen from the following

POLI-D461 (optional) **Stage en science politique** | Aude MERLIN (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 15 credits [personal assignments: 180h] 📅 first and second terms 🗨️ French

POLI-D546 (optional) **Mobilité internationale**
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Cours optionnels

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Cours spécifiques

- POLI-D464** [Democratisation and autocratisation](#) | Luca TOMINI (Coordinator)
 ⌚ 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ English

- POLI-D515 **Théories de la démocratie et des droits humains** | Justine LACROIX (Coordinator) and Elisabeth LEFORT
 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French
- POLI-D554 **Réformer la démocratie** | Jean-Benoît PILET (Coordinator) and Chloé Janssen
 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French

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- POLI-D403 (optional) **L'Europe et la nation** | Jean-Yves PRANCHERE (Coordinator)
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- POLI-O503 (optional) **Elections, représentations et partis politiques dans l'UE** | Nathalie BRACK (Coordinator)
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- RELA-D400 (optional) **L'islam en Europe contemporaine** | Corinne TORREKENS (Coordinator) and Malika Hamidi
 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
- RELA-D502 (optional) **Loi et religions** | Stefan GOLTZBERG (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French
- SOCA-D408 (optional) **Ethnicité et nationalisme** | Pierre PETIT (Coordinator)
 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 first term 🗨️ French



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MEMO-D567

Mémoire

🕒 30 credits 📅 academic year 🗨️ French

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POLI-D461
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POLI-D546
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POLI-D312
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POLI-D402
(optional)

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POLI-D403
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POLI-D513
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POLI-D547
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Le Brésil : puissance émergente | Frédéric LOUAULT (Coordinator)

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POLI-D552
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Questions politiques d'actualité en Chine | Thierry KELLNER (Coordinator)

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POLI-D556
(optional)

Régimes politiques d'Europe centrale et orientale | Jean-Michel DE WAELE (Coordinator)

🕒 5 credits [lecture: 24h] 📅 second term 🗨️ French

POLI-0503
(optional)

[Elections, représentations et partis politiques dans l'UE](#) | Nathalie BRACK (Coordinator)

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RELA-D400
(optional)

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