

Faculty of Political and Social Sciences
Exchange Programme in Political and Social Sciences

Language of instruction: English
Programme version 12

1 General Courses

Below you can find an overview of all the courses of the Exchange Programme in Political and Social Sciences. Please note:

- Not all courses are open for exchange students of all faculties. Some courses are only available for exchange students of the Faculty of Political and Social Sciences.
- For some courses starting with code K00xxxx an additional approval by the lecturer to follow the course is required. If that is the case for the course(s) you want to follow, you will have to contact the lecturer separately at the start of the semester to discuss your motivation and initial competences for the course(s) concerned. This means that all signed learning agreements before mobility are provisionally approved.

An overview of the courses that are not open for exchange students of other faculties and the courses that require an additional approval will be published on <https://www.ugent.be/ps/en/education/internationalrelationsoffice/incoming-exchange-students/how-to-apply.htm#Selectingcourses>.

1.1 Master Courses

1.1.1 Political Sciences

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K000989 European Economic Integration <i>Bruno Merlevede -- Department of Economics</i>	5			A:2	150
2	K001077 EU-East Asia Relations <i>Bart Desein -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5			A:1	150
3	K001464 Human Rights in the Global South and beyond <i>Yves Haeck -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	5			A:2	150
4	K001016 The European Union's International Development Policy <i>Petra Debusscher -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	5				150
5	K001111 Global Energy Politics <i>Thijs Van de Graaf -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	5			A:2	150
6	K001469 Challenges in EU-Politics [en, nl] <i>Fabienne Bossuyt -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	6			A:J	180
7	K001298 Sustainable Development <i>Bernard Mazijn -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:2	150
8	K001334 State and Society in Asia <i>Bert Suykens -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
9	K001349 Politics of Conflict <i>Jeroen Adam -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
10	K001330 Politics of Development <i>Anton Vandevoorde -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:2	150
11	K001336 Politics of Islam <i>An Van Raemdonck -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:2	150
12	K001440 Politics in the Middle East and North Africa <i>Christopher Parker -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
13	K001337 Conflict and Society in Central and Eastern Africa <i>Jeroen Cuvelier -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
14	K001222 Grand Strategy and the Multipolar World <i>Sven Biscop -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	6			B:1	180

15	K001367	EU and Global Justice <i>Petra Debusscher -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	6			A:1	180
16	K001406	Humanitarian Policy <i>Bruno De Cordier -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:2	150

1.1.2 Communication Sciences

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001307 New Media Studies <i>Ralf De Wolf -- Department of Communication Sciences</i>	7			A:1	210
2	K001438 Digital Persuasive Communication <i>Dieneke Van de Sompel -- Department of Communication Sciences</i>	7			A:1	210

1.1.3 Sociology

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001004 Migration and Integration <i>Bart Van de Putte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5			A:1	150
2	K001281 Social Dynamics of Policy and Organisation <i>Hans Waege -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:2	180
3	K001282 Advanced Quantitative Techniques <i>John Lievens -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:1	180
4	K001295 Rural Sociology <i>Jeroen Adam -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5			A:2	150
5	K001287 Sociology of Health and Illness <i>Esther Lermytte -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:1	180
6	K001341 Contemporary Challenges of Higher Education <i>Jeroen Huisman -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:1	180

1.1.4 General Master courses

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	F000892 Innovation Management <i>Katrien Verleye -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation</i>	3			A:2	90
2	E076471 Dare to Start <i>Wouter Haerick -- Department of Information Technology</i>	3			A:2	90
3	F001022 Dare to Venture <i>Johan Verrue -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation</i>	4			A:2	120
4	F001020 Introduction to Entrepreneurship <i>Petra Andries -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation</i>	3			A:1	90
5	F000811 Human Resource Management in Public Organisations <i>Eveline Schollaert -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation</i>	5			A:1	150
6	F000815 Comparative Public Administration and Management <i>Léon Acar -- Department of Public Governance and Management</i>	4			A:2	120
7	C003080 Programming <i>Peter Dawyndt -- Department of Mathematics, Computer Science and Statistics</i>	5	UKV		C:1	150
8	C003532 Urbanization in Global Perspective <i>Ben Derudder -- Department of Geography</i>	5			A:2	150
9	I002650 Agricultural and Rural Policy, EU Perspective <i>Jeroen Buysse -- Department of Agricultural Economics</i>	5			A:1	150
10	C002884 Epidemiology and Clinical Trials <i>Brecht Devleeschauwer -- Department of Translational Physiology, Infectiology and Public Health</i>	5			A:1	150
11	A006684 Global History: Approaches, Themes and Debates <i>Samuël Coghe -- Department of History</i>	5			A:1	150
12	A005115 Poverty, Development and Inequality in Modern African History <i>Ivo Ngade -- Department of History</i>	5			A:1	150
13	B001720 European Criminal Policy <i>Gert Vermeulen -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	6			A:2	180
14	H001271 Culture Studies <i>Kris Rutten -- Department of Educational Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
15	H002395 Migration and Society: an Interdisciplinary Introduction <i>Robin Vandevordt -- Department of Social Work and Social Pedagogy</i>	5	UKV		A:2	150

16	A005127	Culture in Perspective: South and East Asia <i>Ann Heirman -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	6			A:2	180
17	A005152	Culture in Perspective: the Near East and the Islamic World <i>Caroline Janssen -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	6			A:2	180
18	A005385	Russia between East and West <i>Ben Dhooge -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5			A:1	150
19	A005556	Politics of Memory in Southeast Europe <i>Pieter Troch -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5			A:1	150
20	A005112	Literature, Media and the Arts in Central and Eastern Africa <i>Olorunshola Adenekan -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5			A:1	150

1.2 Bachelor Courses

1.2.1 Political Sciences

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001202 International Relations Theory <i>Dries Lesage -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	6			A:2	180
2	K001370 Politics and Society in a Global World <i>Bart Klem -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	6			A:2	150
3	K001255 Political Ethnography <i>Karen Büscher -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	6			A:1	180
4	K001436 Introduction to Qualitative Data-analysis <i>Peter Stevens -- Department of Sociology</i>	3			A:1	90
5	K001467 Conflict Studies <i>Koen Vlassenroot -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	6			A:2	180
6	K001407 Development in the Global South <i>Tomas Van Acker -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	6			A:1	180

1.2.2 Communication Sciences

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001198 Historical Perspectives on Media and Communication <i>Frederik Dhaenens -- Department of Communication Sciences</i>	6			A:1	180
2	K001398 Digital Media Sociology <i>Marieke Vanden Abeele -- Department of Communication Sciences</i>	6			A:2	180
3	K001389 Visual Culture <i>Florian Vanlee -- Department of Communication Sciences</i>	6			A:1	180
4	K001436 Introduction to Qualitative Data-analysis <i>Peter Stevens -- Department of Sociology</i>	3			A:1	90
5	A003001 Academic English <i>Geert Jacobs -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3			B:1, A:2	90
6	K001387 Journalistic Storytelling <i>Kenza Lamot -- Department of Communication Sciences</i>	5				150

1.2.3 Sociology

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001436 Introduction to Qualitative Data-analysis <i>Peter Stevens -- Department of Sociology</i>	3			A:1	90
2	K001131 Quantitative Research Methods <i>Amelie Van Pottelberge -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:1	180
3	K001257 Multivariate Data Analysis <i>Amelie Van Pottelberge -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:2	180
4	K001348 Sociology of Education <i>Isis Vandelanotte -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:2	180
5	K001211 Health Sociology <i>Melissa Ceuterick -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:1	180
6	K001345 Sociological Perspectives <i>Jannick Demanet -- Department of Sociology</i>	6			A:2	180

1.2.4 General Bachelor courses

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
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1	A006726	Intellectual History <i>Geertje Bol -- Department of History</i>	5				150
2	A006652	History of Africa <i>Gillian Mathys -- Department of History</i>	5			A:1	150
3	A005480	Introduction to the Anthropology of the Middle East and North Africa <i>Aymon Kreil -- Department of Languages and Cultures</i>	5			A:2	150
4	A005754	History and Culture of the English-speaking World <i>Brecht de Groot -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4			A:2	120

1.3 Bachelor/Master Courses

1.3.1 Political Sciences

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001223 Globalisation and Global Governance <i>Dries Lesage -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	5			A:1	150
2	K001203 History of Globalisation <i>Koenraad Bogaert -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	6			A:2	180
3	K000997 European Union Trade Policy <i>Ferdi De Ville -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	5			A:2	150
4	K001141 The European Union's Neighbourhood Policies <i>Fabienne Bossuyt -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	5			A:2	150

1.3.2 Communication Sciences

1.3.3 Sociology

1.3.4 General Bachelor/Master courses

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	H001993 Cross-Cultural Psychology <i>Johnny Fontaine -- Department of Work, Organisation and Society</i>	4			A:2	120
2	F000855 Organization Theory <i>Gosia Kozusznik -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation</i>	4			A:2	120
3	B001581 Human Rights: Multidisciplinary Perspectives <i>Eva Brems -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	5	UKV		A:2	150
4	F000798 Introduction to Global Economic History <i>Frank Caestecker -- Department of Economics</i>	5			A:2	150
5	F000751 Economic Globalisation <i>Samuel Standaert -- Department of Economics</i>	6			A:2	180
6	F000820 Change Management <i>Marleen Easton -- Department of Public Governance and Management</i>	5			A:2	150
7	F710350 Public Management <i>Ben Suykens -- Department of Public Governance and Management</i>	5			A:2	150
8	F000551 Business Skills <i>Mieke Audenaert -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation</i>	4			C:2	120
9	A005531 History of the Americas	5				150
10	A006722 History of the European Expansion during the Early Modern Period <i>Michael Limberger -- Department of History</i>	5			A:2	150
11	A005569 Global Minds <i>Ines Keygnaert -- Department of Public Health and Primary Care</i>	5	UKV		A:2	150
12	A003107 Advanced Academic English <i>Geert Jacobs -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3	UKV		A:1, B:2	90
13	K001374 Traineeship P/F	0			C:J, B:2, A:1	0
14	K001375 Research project P/F	0			B:2, C:J, A:1	0
15	K001376 Traineeship	0			A:1, C:J, B:2	0
16	K001377 Research project	0			A:1, C:J, B:2	0
17	K001378 Language course	0			B:2, C:J, A:1	0

Teaching

When a course is not taught (solely) in the programme's language of instruction, the effectively used languages are indicated in square brackets following the course name, using the following ISO codes:

bg: Bulgarian	de: German	es: Spanish	ja: Japanese	pl: Polish	sh: Croatian/Serbian	zh: Chinese
cs: Czech	el: Greek	fr: French	nl: Dutch	pt: Portuguese	sl: Slovene	
da: Danish	en: English	it: Italian	no: Norwegian	ru: Russian	sv: Swedish	

Semester

Semesters are indicated by their number (1 or 2); semester 3 represents the summer period and J indicates a course spanning semesters 1 and 2. When a capital letter precedes a semester number, the course has multiple offerings. The letter indicates the offering concerned.

When a semester is shown in brackets, the course is not offered this year in the specific offering.

The offering frequency and first year of offering are indicated by the following codes:

a: bi-annually	c: annually, from 2026-2027	f: annually, from 2027-2028	i: annually, from 2028-2029
b: tri-annually	d: bi-annually, from 2026-2027	g: bi-annually, from 2027-2028	j: bi-annually, from 2028-2029
	e: tri-annually, from 2026-2027	h: tri-annually, from 2027-2028	k: tri-annually, from 2028-2029