

Titular curs	Tema abordată	Denumire curs
Virginia Sapiro University of Wisconsin Madison	INTRODUCTION	Introduction to Political Psychology
		Methodological Issues and Practices
	INDIVIDUAL POLITICAL CHANGE, LEARNING, AND DEVELOPMENT	The Dawning of Politics: Coping with Politics Early in Life
		Individual Development, Change and Continuity
	STRUCTURES OF INDIVIDUAL POLITICAL THOUGHT, DECISION-MAKING, AND ACTION	Personal Characteristics: Personality and Cognitive Style
		Structure by Any Other Name: Belief Systems, Ideologies, Schemas, Funnels, and Heuristics
		Preference Formation in Mass Publics
		Cognition and Affect (Or, If we keep forgetting emotions I'll get really upset)
		Thinking, Perception and Evaluation of (Information Processing about) Political Objects such as Candidates and "Political Problems."
	THE SOCIAL AND GROUP CONTEXT OF POLITICAL THINKING	Beyond the Effects of "Demographics:" How Does GenderRaceClassEtc Affect People's Political Thinking and Behavior?
		Political Thinking in a Social Context
		Complex Problems of Political Thinking I: Self and Other in Politics
		Complex Problems of Political Thinking: Racism and Race Politics
		Collective Identity, Ideas and Action
Phil Paolino University of North Texas	INTRODUCTION	Introduction
		INFORMATION AND DECISION PROCESSES
	Heuristics and Inference	
	Decision-Processes	
	EVALUATION AND ATTITUDE FORMATION	Attitude Formation
		Cognitive Components of Candidate Evaluation
		Memory Processes in Candidate Evaluation
		Affective Components of Candidate Evaluation
		Candidate Evaluation and Attitude Importance
	SOCIAL GROUPS IN POLITICAL PSYCHOLOGY	The News Media and Attitude Change
		Social Group Theory
		Political Psychology and Political Parties
		Social Groups and Racial Policy
	Stereotyping in Political Evaluation	

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<p>Debbie Schildkraut</p> <p>Oberlin College</p>		Introduction: What is political psychology?
		Opinion formation: Converse and his legacy
		Information Processing: Rationality and Motivated Reasoning
		Information processing: Affect and Cognition
		Using experiments in Political Psychology
		Identity, Group Conflict, and Stereotypes
		Prejudice and Stereotypes
		Group Violence and Altruism
		Attribution
		Political Communication
		Symbols, Norms, and Values
<p>George E. Marcus</p>		Introduction: Course Rationale and Organization
		Psychoanalytic (Freudian) Explanations
		Social Psychological Approaches - Social Learning
		Social Psychological Approaches - II: Information processing
		Neuroscience as the basis for Political Psychology
<p>Shana Levin</p> <p>Claremont McKenna College</p>		Course Introduction
		Overview of the Field of Political Psychology
		Social Scientific Thinking
		Authoritarian Personality Theory
		Personality and Political Leadership
		Nature and Structure of Political Thought
		Public Opinion and Voting Behavior
		Mass Media in Politics
		International Conflict
		Conflict Resolution
		Destructive Obedience and Genocide
The Psychology of Racism and Intergroup Conflict		

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<p>David O. Sears</p> <p>UCLA</p>		General introduction
		The social psychology of racial prejudice
		Individualism and contemporary racism
		Ethnic identity and multiculturalism
		Whiteness
		Whites dealing with their own prejudice
		Symbolic politics
		Anecdote, exemplars, and subtypes
		Collective memory
		Group interests and symbolic politics
<p>Chuck Taber</p>	<p>PUTTING THE FIELD INTO PERSPECTIVE: INTRODUCTIONS AND HISTORICAL OVERVIEWS</p>	Course Introduction and Historical Overview
	General Introductions to Political Psychology	
	<p>PERSONALITY</p>	Overviews
	Psychodynamic Theory	
	Trait Psychology	
	The Authoritarian Personality	
	<p>SOCIAL INFLUENCE PROCESSES</p>	Socialization
	Conformity and Obedience	
	<p>BELIEF SYSTEMS, ATTITUDES, AND ATTITUDE CHANGE</p>	Belief Systems and Public Opinion
	Attitude Structure and Change	
	Mass Media	
	<p>VALUES AND SELF-INTEREST</p>	Self-Interest and Altruism
	Values	
	<p>POLITICAL COGNITION AND DECISION-MAKING</p>	Overviews
	Attribution Theory	
	Schemas	
	Information Processing	
	Biases and Heuristics	
	<p>AFFECT AND EMOTION</p>	Affect and Emotion
	Motivated Reasoning	
	Ethnocentrism and Racism	
Stereotypes and Prejudice		

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<p>John Transue University of Minesota</p>	<p>INDIVIDUALS</p>	Cognition And Information Processing
		Affect And Politics
	<p>GROUP COOPERATION AND CONFLICT</p>	Cooperation
		Conflict
<p>ANALYSIS OF LEADERS</p>	Psychological Analyses Of President Clinton	
<p>Denise Vaughan Bellevue Community College</p>		Introduction. Terms And Methodology
		Personality. Individual Characteristics, Personality Formation, Character And Their Influence On The Presidency
		Schema And The Building Blocks Of Decision Making
		Group Decisions And Groupthink
		Conflict Resolution. The Cuban Missile Crisis And Small Group Decision Making.
		Large Groups And Conflict: The Psychological Roots Of Motivation
		Identity And Confrontation: What Leads People To Violence.
		Ethnic Conflict: Inclusion, Exclusion And Identification
		Social Identity Theory.
		Social Links Between Attitude And Behavior
		Mass Behavior: Voting And Rioting.
<p>Gail Sahar Zucker Wheaton College</p>		Introduction
		General Overview And Major Approaches
		Personality And Public Opinion And Introduction To Psychohistory
		Personality And Political Behavior Of Leaders: Psychohistory
		Political Thinking, Political Language, And Public Opinion
		Intergroup Conflict And Prejudice
		The Psychology Of International Conflict
		Genocide And Destructive Obedience
The Politics Of Gender In Psychology And Medicine		

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<p data-bbox="280 375 537 462">Darren Schreiber Solomon Asch Center</p>		Introduction
		Psychoanalytic Approaches
		Rational Choice Theory
		The Nature Of Belief Systems In Mass Publics
		Schema Theory
		An Impression-Driven Model Of Candidate Evaluation
		The Nature And Origins Of Mass Opinion
		Introduction To Functional Brain Imaging Images Of Mind
		Functional Neuroanatomy: X System & C System
		Affective Intelligence And Political Judgment
		Default Mental State
		Social Cognition
		Race Perception