EUROPEAN UNION STUDIES PROGRAM

The European Union Center of California announces a program of minimum requirements for proficiency in European Union Studies. Individual members of the Claremont Colleges may wish to adapt and enhance this minimum standard within their own academic programs. The purpose of this program is to encourage students to pursue a coherent academic program with substantial contemporary European and EU content while pursuing the academic major of their choice.

Requirements of the Program

Four courses, consisting of one course (minimum) from at least three of the following four areas: modern European history, comparative European politics, European economics, and European Union institutions. The fourth course may be chosen from any of these four areas or a list of pre-approved elective courses. A complete list of pre-approved courses is available upon request.

Proficiency in at least one modern European language (excluding English). The foreign language requirement can be fulfilled by completing four full credit courses of foreign language study at the Colleges, or a letter from a language professor attesting to the student's equivalent proficiency. Students are encouraged to continue language learning beyond this minimum requirement and to establish genuine competency in speaking, reading and writing a foreign language.

Successful completion of these requirements (four courses plus the language requirement) with a minimum GPA of 3.00 (on a 4.00 scale), or 9.00 (on a 12.00 scale) at the time of fulfilling the program requirements will be noted in a letter of commendation from the European Union Center of California. Successful completion of the above requirements with a minimum GPA of 3.5 (on a 4.1 scale), or 10.50 (on a 12.00 scale) will result in a letter of commendation with honors.

Attendance at three (or more) EU Center of California events.

Note: Study abroad or internships in Europe are an excellent complement to (but not a requirement for) the program. Students are encouraged to take advantage of the variety of opportunities to study/intern in Europe.

Course Selection Requirements

For courses to be listed for credit in comparative European politics, European economics, and European institutions, they must primarily focus on the specified issues. For electives to be accepted into the Program, the course needs to have a substantial EU component.

- Modern European history: preference to courses that include attention to the 20th century through 1989.
- Comparative European politics: preference to courses that primarily address different European political systems.
- European economics: preference to courses that primarily address different European economic systems, or that focus primarily on the economics of European integration.
- European Union institutions: preference to courses in which the study of the European Union and its institutions is the primary course focus.
- Electives: preference to courses that have substantial European Union or contemporary European content, but do not meet the criteria for any of the preceding categories.

Feel free to contact the EU Center if you feel that a course currently not listed on the List of Pre-Approved Courses would qualify for selection for the EU Studies Program.
### European Union Studies Course List, SPRING 2018

1. **Modern European History**
   - HIST071 PO: Modern Europe since 1789
   - HIST101 CM: World War II
   - HIST110 D PO: Researching the Cold War
   - HIST139 E CM: Cult/Soc Weimar & Nazi Germany

2. **Comparative European Politics**
   - GOVT060 CM: Intro to Comparative Gov
   - GOVT060 CM: Intro to Int'l Politics
   - GOVT060 CM: Intro to Int'l Politics (Honors)
   - POLI005 PO: Intro to Comparative Politics
   - POLI008 PO: Intro to International Relations

3. **European Economics**
   - GOVT143C CM: Int'l Pol Economy of Money/Finan
   - POLI130 SC: Intro to Political Economy
   - ECON123 PO: International Economics
   - ECON140 CM: The World Economy
   - ECON145 PZ: International Trade

4. **EU Integration and Institutions**
   - GOVT154 CM: Policymaking in Internatnl Orgs

5. **Electives**
   - ARHI180R SC: Russian & Soviet Avant-Gardes
   - ARHI186K SC: Archi Model Monument Miniature
   - ARHI186M SC: Dada and Surrealism
   - FREN100 SC: French Culture and Civilization
   - FREN125 SC: The French Detective
   - GERM103 SC: A History of German Film
   - MUS110B SC: Music in Western Civilization II
   - SPAN115 SC: Contemp Spanish Women Writers
   - HIST148 PO: Mid East in Europe, Europe in ME
   - GOVT140 CM: Intl Politics of Nuclear Weapons
   - GOVT142 CM: Intl Political Feature Writing
   - GOVT149 CM: Foreign Relations of the U.S.
   - GOVT178 CM: International Law
   - GOVT196 CM: International Human Rights
   - POLI070 PO: International Human Rights
   - POLI176 PO: Conflict and Cooperation in IR
   - ECON149 CM: Int'l Acct, Tax & Transfer Price
   - FREN120 CM: Order & Revolt in French Lit
   - FREN127 PO: Language & Power in the Fr World
   - FREN127 SC: French Contemp Women Directors
   - ITAL140 SC: Italian Cinema
   - SPAN044 PZ: Adv. Spanish: Language & Culture
   - SPAN055 PZ: Adv Conversation through Film
SPAN115 SC  Contmp Spanish Women Writers  C. Sanjuan
SPAN185 PO  The Avant-Garde in Spain  P. Cahill