

SOCIAL AND HISTORICAL SCIENCES



I chose to study abroad at UCL because of the university's reputation and location. As a human geography student, London is diverse city with so much to offer academically and socially. UCL has a wonderful reputation and I knew I could expand my learning here.

I believe that Study Abroad at UCL will enhance my future opportunities. Employers are impressed when potential employees are able to adapt and adjust to new situations. Study abroad offers students an opportunity to learn more academic and social skills, as well as gain independence and flexibility. All these skills are crucial to future success.

I would definitely recommend UCL to other students. It has been such a socially and academically enriching experience that I would gladly repeat.



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ANTHROPOLOGY

UCL Anthropology is a top-rated multi-field department offering a wide range of courses in sociocultural anthropology, material culture and physical/biological anthropology. Staff are engaged in cutting-edge research that is used to support our teaching. Our active anthropology student association organises social events, outings, film-showings, etc.

Why study Anthropology at UCL?

The rich offerings of London augment the anthropology teaching. The department not only has its own material culture collections, but has close connections with the British Museum, Natural History Museum, UCL Institute of Archaeology, the British Library and many other London resources. A new digital film laboratory complements the growing sub-field of ethnographic film offerings in the department.

What you will gain from study at UCL

Studying anthropology you will be immediately integrated into the student culture. All courses are taken with UK students, and the wide range of extracurricular activities are open to all students.

Teaching and Assessment

Teaching can be by lecture, laboratory, or small seminars. Courses are examined by a variety of different methods, including research papers ('essays') laboratory work, and examinations (in May). Students coming for the Fall Term only are examined/assessed in December.



LEVEL 1 COURSES

ANTH1001	
Introduction to Material Culture and Visual Culture	
<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

A general introduction to material culture studies.

ANTH1005	
Introductory Social Anthropology	
<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Addresses the pre-history and history of social anthropology, principles and types of social organisation, and aspects of economy, politics, social control, kinship and cosmology.

ANTH1010	
Researching the Social World	
<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to the data-gathering methods and analytic techniques used in social and cultural anthropology.

ANTH1014	
Introduction to Biological Anthropology	
<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Basic evolutionary biology as applied in anthropology, covering evolutionary theory, socio-biology, introductory primate behaviour, taxonomy and phylogenetic reconstruction.

Extended descriptions of the courses available can be found by visiting the web address at the top of this page

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£18,500 (for full explanation of tuition fees please see page 165)

Related courses can be found in these departments:
● Biological Sciences, page 99
● Applied Global Citizenship, page 144
● Political Science, page 163

LEVEL 2 COURSES**ANTH2003****Palaeoanthropology**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides a thorough introduction to the biological evidence for human evolution, as well as to the way in which this evidence is analysed and interpreted.

ANTH2006**Introduction to Theoretical Perspectives in Social Anthropology and Material Culture**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to social theory including functionalist models, Marxism, structuralist approaches to social structure/kinship and to conceptual organisation/communication, post-colonialism and globalisation.

ANTH7001**Introduction to West African Ethnography**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Focuses upon the societies of West Africa and situates them in relation to historical and contemporary developments in economics, politics and culture in the region.

ANTH7002**Political and Economic Anthropology**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course examines anthropological approaches to understanding political and economic organisation in different cultural settings.

ANTH7004**Anthropology of Art and Design**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course is aimed at those who wish to deepen their understanding of art in visual culture.

ANTH7005**Population Studies**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to the study of human populations focusing on patterns and determinants of fertility, mortality.

ANTH7006**Religion, Cosmology and Wellbeing**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to familiarise the student with the major anthropological approaches to religion; topics include belief, magic and science, possession/shamanism, religious experience and reflexivity, and fundamentalism.

ANTH7008**Man and Animals**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course looks at the interrelations of humans with animal populations.

ANTH7009**Primate Behaviour and Ecology**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Focuses on the evolution of primate social systems, specifically on the ways in which environmental conditions influence behaviour and an individual's social and reproductive strategies.

ANTH7015**Fishers and Fisheries: Anthropology, Aquatic Resources and Development**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course focuses on man's interaction with fish and other aquatic resources, but would be relevant to anyone interested in natural resources and environmental challenges.

BIOL2011**Behavioural Ecology and Sociobiology (Biological Sciences course co-taught with Anthropology)**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Introduces key theoretical concepts and methods including optimisation modelling, game theory and comparative approaches.

LEVEL 3 COURSES**ANTH3007****Medical Anthropology**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Using data from societies throughout the world, the course covers biomedical and behavioural definitions of disease and illness.

ANTH3017**Anthropology and Psychiatry**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course examines: popular understandings of psychology, self-hood and abnormal experience in different societies, and the relationship between popular and professional notions of 'mental illness'.

ANTH3020**Social Construction of Landscapes**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course looks at the number of theoretical aspects to the Western Gaze; colonial, indigenous and prehistoric landscapes; contested landscapes; and questions of heritage and 'wilderness'.

ANTH3022**Anthropology of Media and Consumption**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to a relatively new area of study, the anthropology of mass consumption.



ANTH3028

Gender, Language and Culture

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Explores the cultural concepts and models through which sexual difference is produced and considers approaches to the relationship between the physical body and its social and political meaning.

ANTH3030

The Anthropology of Nationalism, Ethnicity and Race

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Focuses on theories and practices of ethnicity, race and nationalism using contemporary and historical sources.

ANTH3031

Ethnographic Film (Theory)

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will explore the ways in which film can frame and convey ethnographic investigation.

ANTH3037

Colonial and Post-Colonial Visual Culture: Anthropology and Photography

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Examines how anthropologists use photography as part as their research methodology and study it ethnographically, and considers how anthropologists might engage with photography in the future.

ANTH3050

Evolution and Human Behaviour

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course will study to what extent evolutionary processes explain human behaviour, life history and cultural norms as adaptive responses to their environmental circumstances.

ANTH3052

Primate Evolution and Environments

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction and contextualisation to primate evolution and environments.

ANTH3053

Temporality, Consciousness and Everyday Life

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course examines the different social modes and states of consciousness through which knowledge of the past may be gained in world societies.

ANTH3054

Alterity and Experiment in Anthropological Thinking

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Examining ethnographically driven experimentations with concepts such as 'society', 'culture', 'time', and the 'person', the course also explores the transgressive potential of such forms of anthropological thinking.

ANTH7016

Applied Individual Studies in Anthropology (Global Citizenship)

See entry on page 144.

ANTH7017

Anthropology of the Mind

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Any idea of human being entails a theory of mind. This course will introduce students into competing models and debates, and their historical antecedents, which have continued to shape scholarship.

ANTHROPOLOGY- APPLIED GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

This unique programme allows you to integrate credit-bearing placements with London-based non-governmental, charity, government and community organisations. A supporting framework of lectures, tutorials and academic coursework is organised by the UCL Centre for Applied Global Citizenship based in UCL Anthropology.

Why study Applied Global Citizenship at UCL?

We offer a wide range of opportunities for you to spend one or two terms working with a London-based organisation. With over 100 organisations participating (visit our website for details) you will receive individually-tailored, work-oriented training at a time when you may be making crucial career decisions.

What will you gain from study at UCL?

With more than 300 languages spoken daily in communities around the London area, our programme provides one of the best opportunities in the world for developing professional skills and cultural competence for interests as diverse as medicine, law or environmental studies within an English-language training environment.

Teaching and Assessment

You will be taught through a mixture of lectures and group discussions, and will apply your skills in a work environment directly relevant to your interests and programme of study. You will be assessed by log book and extended essay.



Extended descriptions of the courses available can be found by visiting the web address at the top of this page

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Year
Fall Term
Spring Term

Tuition Fees

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Related courses can be found in these departments:

- Anthropology, page 141



CORE COURSE

ANTH7016

Applied Individual Studies in Anthropology (Global Citizenship)

Availability	Fall Term, Spring Term
Credit Value	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course covers topics related to applied studies/global citizenship. Key issues include ethics in multicultural settings, human rights discourse, racial and ethnic discrimination, development. Organisations offering placements included Médecins du Monde, Survival International, Social Action for Health, the Home Office, the Ministry of Defence and Sotheby's. A full list of placement organisations can be found by following links from the web address at the top of this page.

For guidance relating to work placements and employment please see page 165.

ARCHAEOLOGY

Archaeologists study the past using diverse methods and evidence, from remote prehistory to the recent past, in all parts of the world, above ground, below ground, and under water. UCL's Institute of Archaeology offers unique opportunities to explore this diversity.

Why study Archaeology at UCL?

The Institute of Archaeology is one of the world's largest and most eminent centres for archaeology, with over 70 staff conducting research around the globe. The institute houses a famous archaeological library of c.80,000 volumes, as well as extensive laboratory facilities and teaching collections. London offers unrivalled opportunities to visit museums, exhibitions and public lectures on archaeology.

What will you gain from study at UCL?

You will gain a truly international perspective on archaeology through close interaction with leading researchers from around the world. We offer specialist options unavailable at other institutions, taught in small groups that encourage discussion and hands-on experience.

Teaching and Assessment

Teaching methods include lecture, discussion, and practical/laboratory classes. Most assessment is by coursework (essays), however some classes also include an examination. Alternative arrangements are made as needed. Note that some options are offered on a biennial basis, and all run subject to sufficient enrolment, contact the Affiliate Tutor to confirm details.

LEVEL 1 COURSES

ARCL1002	
Introduction to Roman Archaeology	
<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to the archaeology of the Graeco-Roman world, including field work, pottery, coins, epigraphy and 'small finds', used to examine various groups within Roman society.

ARCL1003	
Past Societies	
<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

A broad introduction to cultural, technological, subsistence and social change from Prehistory to the Early Modern Period.

ARCL1004	
Introduction to Greek Archaeology	
<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Explores the role played by material culture in fundamental aspects of Greek life, and the character of the archaeological evidence for those aspects of life.

ARCL1005	
Introduction to Egyptian Archaeology	
<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An overview of key archaeological sites in Egypt from Predynastic to Pharaonic, and Graeco-Roman times, including a visit to UCL's world-famous Petrie Museum of Egyptian Archaeology.

ARCL1006	
Introduction to Archaeological Field Methods and Techniques	
<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

An introduction to archaeological field methods and techniques based on lectures, practical classes and fieldwork, including four days of field training in September and two weeks in May/June.

ARCL1009	
Peoples and Societies of the Ancient Near East	
<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An overview of developments in Western Asia from the Neolithic to the Achaemenid period, including the beginning of farming, urbanism and the development of Empires.

ARCL1010	
Introduction to European Prehistory	
<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides an outline of the theoretical, cultural, and chronological frameworks of European prehistory from its first peopling to the first century BC.

ARCL1011	
Texts in Archaeology	
<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Introduces the nature of written sources for pre-industrial societies and the problems and methods of handling such evidence, including interpretation and texts as material culture.

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Related courses can be found in these departments:

- Greek and Latin, page 43
- History, page 154

**ARCL1013****Ancient Egyptian Writing and Inscriptions**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides an overview of the mechanics of Ancient Egyptian texts and inscriptions, and their significance in the study of Egyptian society and history.

ARCL6001**Introduction to Archaeological Techniques**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

A field course in archaeological techniques conducted at the West Dean Estate in Sussex. This eight-day course runs during May/June.

ARCL6002**Ancient Egypt in London**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

By visiting museums, buildings and monuments, this course will study the history, archaeology, art, religion and people of Ancient Egypt and their influence on London.

ARCL6003**London Before the Great Fire**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Covering Roman, Medieval and Tudor London, each weekly class will consist of a visit to a monument or area representing a particular aspect of London's past.

ARCL6004**Experimental Archaeology Field Course**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to experimental archaeology through a four-day field-course at the end of the first week of Fall Term, supported by lectures at the institute.

LEVEL 3 COURSES**ARCL2007****Greek Art and Architecture**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides an introduction to Greek painting, sculpture and architecture in the period c. 800–50 BC.

ARCL2008**Roman Art and Architecture**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to Roman art – sculpture, painting, architecture, minor arts (cameos, gems, silverware) – from c. 300 BC–c. 400 AD.

ARCL2012**Archaeology of Ancient Egypt**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

A review of the evidence and issues relating to settlement in the Egyptian Nile Valley (including Nubia), 3,000 BC–AD 600. Includes museum classes.

ARCL2014**Zooarchaeology**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to the methods, techniques and interpretative approaches of vertebrate zooarchaeology, involving lectures and practical teaching.

ARCL2018**Early Medieval Archaeology of Britain**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

An introduction to the archaeological evidence for Anglo-Saxon England, the Celtic West and Scotland between the fifth and 11th centuries AD.

ARCL2025**Early Hominin Societies in Africa**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Presents human evolution in Africa from an archaeological point of view: the first archaeological sites, first dispersals across the continent, and the earliest 'Out of Africa'.

ARCL2029**Archaeology of Mesoamerica**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Through archaeology, art, and the written record, the Classic Period civilizations of Mesoamerica will be explored, focusing focus on the Zapotecs, Teotihuacan, and the Maya.

**ARCL2035****Archaeological Photography**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides an introduction to basic photographic techniques and conventions in archaeology, 35mm cameras and basic lighting, photography of ceramics and bones, developing, computing, and publication.

ARCL2036**Archaeological Illustration and Imaging**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Covers the academic and practical aspects of traditional methods of drawing archaeological finds. Practical work will involve the preparation of drawings, digital illustrations, and computer design.

ARCL2041**Organic Materials in Prehistory: Bone, Skin and Fibres**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

An introduction to organic materials used in prehistory, their properties and methods of production; includes hands-on experience of techniques such as spinning and weaving.

ARCL3030**Egypt in the World**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Studies evidence for past and present relationships between Egypt and other cultures, and the appropriation and exchange of elements of Egyptian material culture and ideas.

ARCL3033**Bronze and Iron Age Britain**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Changes in material culture, settlement and society in later British prehistory, including the Beaker and Wessex periods, the Deverel-Rimbury complex, metalwork, hillforts and the growth of urbanism.

ARCL3045**The Aztecs and the Conquest of Mexico**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The origins and rise of Aztec civilization; the Aztecs' domination of Mexico; the impact of the Spanish conquest on Aztec culture and environment.

ARCL3052**History and Archaeology of the African Diaspora**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course aims to provide a historical and archaeological encounter with issues of slavery and African cultural survival in the New World.

ARCL3062**Art and Archaeology of Ancient China**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course covers the period from prehistory to the Bronze Age (c. 6000–300 BCE).

ARCL3063**Art and Archaeology of Early Imperial China**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Covers the period from the unification of China to the end of the Tang Dynasty (third century BC–AD900).

ARCL3082**The Late Bronze Age Aegean in the Mediterranean**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides a detailed interpretative survey within a chronological framework of the Late Bronze Age (i.e. 'Mycenaean') Aegean in its broader Mediterranean context.

ECONOMICS

UCL Economics achieved top ratings for internationally excellent research in the most recent (2008) UK government assessments and has a distinguished reputation for teaching quality. The department encourages students to engage in independent thought and analysis by providing outstanding teaching, informed by current research.

Why study Economics at UCL?

As well as being taught by highly qualified staff at the leading-edge of international research, you will be welcomed in a friendly department alongside full degree students and offered support and guidance by a dedicated affiliate student office.

What will you gain from study at UCL?

The department's course schedule is reviewed annually to ensure it includes the latest developments over all areas of modern economics. You are encouraged to pursue a programme of study tailored to your own interests and goals within the confines of your home degree programme.

Teaching and Assessment

Teaching combines formal lectures with intensive tutorial classes. Assessment is by examination, held in December for Fall Term-only students, and in May for full-year and Spring/Summer Term students. Course availability is subject to change.



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Spring Term

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£14,000 (for full explanation of tuition fees please see page 165)

Related courses can be found in these departments:

- Slavonic and East European Studies, page 135

LEVEL 1 COURSES

ECON1005

The World Economy

Availability Fall Term,
Spring Term

Credit Value 4 (US)
7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to introduce the basic concepts and methods used by economists to explain the features of the world economy today.

ECON1006

History of Economic Thought

Availability Fall Term,
Spring Term

Credit Value 4 (US)
7.5 (ECTS)

The course surveys the history of some fundamental economic ideas in use by economists today. It is organised around themes selected for their topical relevance.

ECON1602

Basic Microeconomics Concepts

Availability Spring Term

Credit Value 4 (US)
7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to introduce non-specialist students to the central principles of microeconomics and to demonstrate their use in providing insight into the workings of the economy.

LEVEL 2 COURSES

Please note that Level 2 and Level 3 courses are only available to students admitted to the Economics Department.

ECON2001

Microeconomics

Availability Year

Credit Value 8 (US)
15 (ECTS)

Core concepts and methods of microeconomic analysis, covering topics in the theory of the firm, the theory of consumer behaviour and general equilibrium.

ECON2002

Intermediate Microeconomics: Microeconomics of the Household

Availability Fall Term

Credit Value 4 (US)
7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide students with a thorough understanding of core concepts and methods in the microeconomic analysis of household behaviour.

ECON2003

Intermediate Microeconomics: Microeconomics of the Firm

Availability Spring Term

Credit Value 4 (US)
7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide students with a thorough understanding of core concepts and methods in the microanalysis of firms and markets.

ECON2004

Macroeconomic Theory and Policy

Availability Year

Credit Value 8 (US)
15 (ECTS)

Core concepts and methods of macroeconomics, paying close attention to the relationship between theory and policy.

ECON2005**Closed Economy Macroeconomics**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide students with a thorough understanding of core concepts and methods of macroeconomic theory and policy for the closed economy.

ECON2006**Open Economy Macroeconomics**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide students with a thorough understanding of core concepts and methods of macroeconomic theory and policy for the open economy.

ECON2007**Quantitative Economics and Econometrics**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

Provides students with a thorough understanding of the core techniques of quantitative economics and econometrics and practical laboratory experience of the application of econometric methods.

ECON2008**Quantitative Economics and Econometrics I**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course introduces techniques for empirical analysis in both micro and macroeconomics.

ECON7001**Economics of Labour**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide a survey of theoretical and empirical aspects of modern labour economics.

ECON7002**Economics of Finance**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to provide an overview of UK financial markets and institutions and to introduce important theories explaining the formulation of prices of financial assets.

ECON7003**Money and Banking**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course investigates what monetary and financial authorities should and, in fact, do, what money is and why banks exist at all.

ECON7004**Economics of Industrial Relations**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to provide a balance between the long-standing institutional approach in industrial relations and various modern developments in labour economics.

ECON7005**Economics of the Public Sector**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide an understanding of the economics of public goods, public expenditure and public services.

ECON7007**Environmental Economics**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide students with an understanding of the economics of environmental policy and the ability to analyse and understand key issues using standard tools of theoretical and empirical economic analysis.

ECON7008**Economics of Tax Policy**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides students with an understanding of the economics of taxation and tax policy and analytic ability using standard tools of theoretical and empirical economic analysis.

ECON7010**Economics of Development**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Guides students in applying economic analysis to understand poverty-related issues in developing countries. Topics include, credit constraints, microfinance, health, education and industrialisation in low-income economies.

LEVEL 3 COURSES

Please note that Level 2 and Level 3 courses are only available to students admitted to the Economics Department.

ECON3002**Microeconometrics**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides the tools necessary to understand and implement empirical studies in economics, reviewing use of linear regression models and alternative models.

ECON3003**Econometrics for Macroeconomics and Finance**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to develop the knowledge of econometric techniques that are useful in the analysis of financial markets and macroeconomic phenomena.

ECON3004**International Trade**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to provide students who have completed intermediate microeconomics with a framework for understanding modern ideas in the theory of international trade.

ECON3005**International Monetary Economics**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide the tools to extend the principles of macroeconomic theory and policy to an international context.

ECON3007**Economic Policy Analysis**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide students with the opportunity to explore the way in which economic theory and evidence can be used to analyse topical policy issues.

ECON3009**Economics of Law**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Introduction to the economic analysis of the law; a subfield of applied economic theory, initiated by Coase's article on "The problem of social costs".

ECON3012**Industrial Economics I: Market Structure**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Modern issues in the theory of industrial organisation, in particular firm behaviour and the welfare implications of such behaviour in imperfectly competitive markets.

ECON3013**Industrial Economics II: Dynamic Industrial Organisation**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Investigates the behaviour of firms in the market, combining theory with empirical studies and real world examples.

**ECON3014****Game Theory**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to provide students with an intellectual framework to analyse situations in which the behaviour of agents is driven by strategic considerations.

ECON3016**Economics of Information**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

In this course, we will study how agents deal with information asymmetry by designing incentives and embedding them in contracts.

ECON3018**Europe: Economic Policy and Structural Change**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Introduces the comparative economic analysis of institutions, structural change, policy and performance in the contemporary European economy.

ECON3020**Experimental Economics**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Covers experimental techniques (design, subjects, laboratories, conducting, data analysis) as well as applications (ultimatum bargaining, risk aversion, competitive markets, oligopoly, (social) learning, auctions, labour markets).

ECON3022**Ethics in Applied Economics**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Explores the ethical basis of economics, with special reference to applied microeconomics and environmental policy analysis.

ECON3023**Economics of Financial Markets**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

For students interested in developing an analytical understanding of financial economics, covering topics such as the reasons for price volatility in financial markets and different types of market microstructure.

GEOGRAPHY

Studying geography at UCL is a once-in-a-lifetime experience. The goal of study here is to merge understandings of geography with practical skills. UCL appointed the UK's first Professor of Geography in 1833. Today, our department is one of the largest in the UK, known for both its cutting-edge research and for its excellent teaching.

Why study Geography at UCL?

UCL Geography is a centre of research and teaching on the environment, economic/social restructuring, GIS and remote sensing, as well as historical, cultural, and urban geography. Our world-class facilities include computer clusters supporting GIS and satellite image analysis, the UCL Urban Laboratory and a reference map collection. All academic staff teach, providing low staff/student ratios and plenty of choices.

What will you gain from study at UCL?

Skills gained and enhanced in the study of geography are very marketable, combining a vast breadth of understanding with analytical skills and the written expression of ideas and concepts. Teamwork that accompanies work in the field is attractive to employers, as is the confidence gained through independent research and study.

Teaching and Assessment

Teaching in the department takes the form of lectures, seminars, tutorials, practical learning, and fieldwork. Assessment is usually by examination, but often also includes coursework. Alternative assessment is available for first-term only students.



LEVEL 1 COURSES

GEOG1001

London: A Geographical Introduction

Availability	Spring Term
Credit Value	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides an introduction to selected aspects of the human geography of the London region, and to some major themes of human geography, using London as an example.

GEOG1002

Environmental Systems and Processes

Availability	Fall Term
Credit Value	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This is an introductory course and is aimed at providing core material on physical processes in the environment.

GEOG1004

Human Ecology: Geographical Perspectives

Availability	Fall Term
Credit Value	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This introductory course places special emphasis on the changing relations over time and in space between society and environment, organised around a population/resources focus.

GEOG1005

Environmental Change

Availability	Spring Term
Credit Value	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The aim of the course is to place present-day environmental issues, such as climate change, biodiversity and environmental pollution, in a long-term temporal perspective.

GEOG1007

Global Geographies

Availability	Fall Term
Credit Value	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Focuses on the critical problems affecting people and places around the world in a variety of ways, and on solutions put forward to confront them.

Extended descriptions of the courses available can be found by visiting the web address at the top of this page

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Availability
Year Fall Term Spring Term
Tuition Fees
£18,500 (for full explanation of tuition fees please see page 165)

Related courses can be found in these departments:

- Planning, page 73
- Earth Sciences, page 111
- Anthropology, page 141
- Economics, page 148
- Political Science, page 163



LEVEL 2 COURSES

GEOG2005

Geomorphology

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

A lecture and practical-based course introducing the key concepts and application of geomorphology, with particular reference to the understanding of fluvial and coastal systems.

GEOG2007

Ecological Patterns and Processes

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course examines concepts in ecology relevant to geography, illustrated through examples from both terrestrial and aquatic habitats, and including both plants and animals.

GEOG2008

Reconstructing Past Environments

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to introduce the concepts and techniques useful for studying the nature of past environmental change from the end of the last Ice Age through to the Holocene.

GEOG2009

Environment and Society

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course introduces the main ideas currently framing the environmental agenda in advanced economies, including sustainable development, the precautionary principle, environmental justice and overconsumption.

GEOG2014

Development Geography

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course reviews the nature and extent of poverty and development theories and policy interventions, with case studies from the world's poorest regions.

GEOG2019

Political Geography and Geopolitics

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

A lecture-based course designed to explore the relationships between power and space via an engagement with political geography and geopolitics.

GEOG2020

Hydroclimatology

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Hydroclimatology is designed to develop students' understanding of atmospheric and terrestrial hydrological processes and their interactions.

GEOG2023

Urban Geography

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will provide students with an introduction to, and overview of, current work in urban geography.

GEOG2024

Cultural and Historical Geography

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to analyse the ways in which social relations, inequalities and resistance are spatially constituted, as well as studying the ways in which these things are represented in cultural forms.

LEVEL 3 COURSES

GEOG3004

Coastal and Estuarine Environments

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

A lecture- and practical-based introduction to the dynamics of selected coastal and estuarine environments, and to the application of scientific research to a range of engineering and hazard management problems.

GEOG3007

Past Global Environmental Change

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course studies past global environmental change in order to understand present and possible future climate change.

GEOG3012

Environmental Management: Critical Perspectives

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

A lecture and practical course focused on the methods and techniques used on environmental problems ranging in scale from climate change to small traffic calming schemes.

GEOG3022

Public and Private: Gendered Geographies

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course explores the links between public and private, home and work, in the geographies of gender.

GEOG3025

Cities and Modernity

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Focuses on new forms of representation of, and new kinds of space in, major cities in Britain and North America in the period 1840–1919.

GEOG3037

Climatology

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course will address current research methodologies in this field, including climate system modelling, and will also cover appropriate aspects of applied climatology.

GEOG3042

Restoration and Management of Freshwater Ecosystems

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to explore problems of freshwater ecology and management especially in the context of current national and international policies for ecosystem restoration.

GEOG3045

Wetland Environments

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course explores a range of issues concerning wetlands, with a particular focus on freshwater environments. It discusses what we mean by the term 'wetland', how wetlands function and why they are important.

GEOG3048

Migration and Transnationalism

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course explores the politics of migration and asylum in a globalised world, and examines the shaping of transnational and diasporic identities. It reviews theoretical perspectives and engages with ongoing policy debates.

GEOG3051

Principles and Practice of Remote Sensing

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides an introduction to the fundamental concepts and principles underlying remote sensing in the optical and microwave domains, as well as the trade-offs used in instrument design and operation.

GEOG3053

Asian Cities in a Globalising South

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course takes a comparative approach in order to understand emerging urbanisation issues in two of Asia's largest countries, India and China.



GEOG3056

Africa: Postcolonial Perspectives

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course is about understanding the changing character of knowledge about the cultures, societies, politics and economies of sub-Saharan Africa.

GEOG3057

Global Environmental Change

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The primary aim is to investigate topical environmental themes important to the well-being of our planet within the context of a long-term perspective using palaeoscience approaches.

GEOG3059

Popular Culture and Geopolitics

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

A lecture-oriented course which covers a wide variety of approaches to the analysis of popular culture and geopolitics.

GEOG3060

Scales of Inequality

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The aim of this course is to introduce students to the complex and different processes that produce income inequality at various spatial scales from the global to the local.

GEOG3062

Comparative Urbanism

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will provide a thorough treatment of comparative urbanism, its history and current state, as well as an introduction to comparative urban methodologies.

HISTORY

UCL's History Department offers exceptional opportunities; our location in the heart of London, close to some of the finest research libraries in the world, attracts both staff and students from many different countries. It is a friendly place, with a lively communal life.

Why study History at UCL?

We offer a diverse and exciting range of options from ancient Assyria and Greece to contemporary Britain, Europe and the Americas, including political, economic, social, and cultural approaches. We also provide opportunities to explore London history. London offers remarkable primary source resources, including the British Library, Colindale newspaper library and the National Archives.

What will you gain from study at UCL?

You will benefit from small group teaching and one-to-one tutorials, and from our integrated approach in which historians of the ancient world – including the ancient Near East – are part of the department. We also specialise in the history of the Americas (North and Latin), and have strengths in the cultural and religious history of Europe.

Teaching and Assessment

Teaching is by lectures and seminars. Assessment is by examination and coursework. Year-long courses may be taken for one term by Fall Term only and Spring Term only students, for reduced credit and with alternative assessment instead of the examination. Not all options will be available in any one year, and new courses are regularly introduced; up-to-date information will be available on the web or from the department.



LEVEL 2 COURSES

HIST2105

Roman Democracy: Myth or Reality?

Availability Year, Fall Term, Spring Term

Credit Value 4/8 (US)
7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course examines the controversial question of whether the late Roman Republic was a democracy by investigating Roman politics through the lens of classical political theory.

HIST2106

The Seleukid Empire, c. 312–145 BC

Availability Year, Fall Term, Spring Term

Credit Value 4/8 (US)
7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course takes advantage of recent scholarship that enables historians to assess the workings of Seleukid rule in greater detail and ask questions about the nature of empires.

HIST2302

The Industrial Revolution in Britain

Availability Year, Fall Term, Spring Term

Credit Value 4/8 (US)
7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course provides a general, not merely economic, view of the industrial revolution.

HIST2311

The European Revolutions of 1848

Availability Year, Fall Term, Spring Term

Credit Value 4/8 (US)
7.5/15 (ECTS)

With a special focus on France, Italy, Germany and the Habsburg Empire, this course will look at the European revolutions of 1848.

HIST6001

The History of Political Thought

Availability Year, Fall Term, Spring Term

Credit Value 4/8 (US)
7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course traces the development of western political thought from its classical origins to its most important modern formulations.

HIST6102

The Near East, 1200–336 BC: Empires and Pastoralists

Availability Year, Fall Term, Spring Term

Credit Value 4/8 (US)
7.5/15 (ECTS)

An outline of the history of the Near East between c. 1200 BC and 336 BC, covering Egypt, the Eastern Mediterranean coast, Eastern Anatolia, Mesopotamia and Iran.

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Year
Fall Term
Spring Term

Tuition Fees

£14,000 (for full explanation of tuition fees please see page 165)

Related courses can be found in these departments:

- European Language, Culture and Society, page 35
- European Social and Political Studies, page 37
- Science and Technology Studies, page 121
- Slavonic and East European Studies, page 135
- Political Science, page 163

HIST6105**The Roman Empire from Augustus to Theodosius I**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Covers the period from the creation of the new regime by Augustus to the establishment of Christianity and the separation of the Eastern and Western Empires.

HIST6107**The Roman Republic, c. 350–44 BC**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course aims to study Rome from its emergence as a leading city-state in Italy to the eventual decline of its Republican political system.

HIST6108**The Greek World c. 800–386 BC**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course traces the development of the cities and states in Greece to the peak of their political and military power in the Eastern Mediterranean world.

HIST6201**Europe in the Early Middle Ages**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Surveys the principal developments of the history of Europe in the early middle ages, addressing particular issues of concern to historians over the past 10–15 years.

HIST6301**British History 1689–c. 1860**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course is designed to provide an overview of British history in its political, economic, social and intellectual dimensions.

HIST6302**European History since 1945**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course will analyse the social, cultural and political transformation of Europe since the end of World War II.

HIST6304**British History c. 1850–1990**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Uses social and cultural approaches to history to explore the ways in which Britain was constituted and re-constituted as a nation between c.1850 and 1990.

HIST6305**Europe 1870–1945: Paths through Modernity**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

An analysis of the transition to 'mass society' in Europe between 1870 and 1945, with emphasis on the diverse experiences of 'modernity' that this entailed.

STUDENT VIEW**Minerva Pinto****Bryn Mawr College, Pennsylvania, USA**

I chose to study abroad at UCL because of its international reputation as well as the fact that it was in one of the most culturally diverse cities in the world. As a History student, I thought it would be great to be able to study something in the classroom at UCL and then walk just outside the gates to a museum and be able to see what I've been studying first-hand. Living in London has definitely augmented what I've been learning in the classroom; the city is full of museums, libraries, and other universities whose resources are valuable and accessible to us.

**HIST6306****Britain and the Wider World 1878–1982**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

The purpose of this course is to examine the ways in which British policy-makers manipulated their foreign and defence policies to maintain Britain's overseas interests.

HIST6307**Enlightenment and Revolution: Europe 1715–1805**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course provides an introduction to the history of continental Europe in the 18th century, with a strong emphasis on contemporary intellectual currents.

HIST6309**Early Modern Europe**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course is concerned with the history of Europe during a crucial phase of its development in all its aspects: political, religious, economic, social and cultural.

HIST6311**History and Politics of Latin America, c. 1930 to the Present**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Themes covered by the course include US relations with Latin America, revolutions and guerrilla movements, race, gender, human rights and the politics of memory, citizenship, social justice, religion.

HIST6313**Building the American Nation: the United States, 1789–1920**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Examines the development of the American nation from the Revolution against British authority to its emergence in the early 20th century as a major economic power.

HIST6314**The Making of Modern America: the United States Since 1920**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

An introduction to the key themes and events in 20th century American history with suggestions for some possible frameworks within which the history can be understood.

HIST6316**Tudor and Stuart Britain: 1500–1700**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Surveys the major events, personalities and themes of Tudor and Stuart history, as well as the debates which have surrounded them, with particular attention to recent research.

HIST6317**History and Theory of International Relations**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Identifies and analyses the key issues of international relations in the period from the discoveries of the New World to the post-revolutionary settlement at the Congress of Vienna.

HIST6318**Popular Politics in Early Modern Britain**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

This course explores the nature of, and developments in, 'popular' political culture in early modern Britain.

LEVEL 3 COURSES**HIST7001****Rationality**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will examine the rational and irrational elements in historical phenomena, including the medieval ordeal and early modern witch-hunts.

HIST7101**Women in Antiquity**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will consider the similarities and differences in gender roles in Mesopotamia and Egypt.

HIST7103**Religious Conversion in the Fourth Century: the Confessions of St Augustine**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course aims to set the conversion of St Augustine in its contemporary religious and social context.

HIST7104**Slavery in the Classical World**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course seeks to study slavery in the context of the societies of Greece and Rome, maintaining awareness of developing modern debates and concerns on the subject.

HIST7110**Power and Knowledge in Ancient Mesopotamia**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course focuses on the acquiring, storing and transmission of knowledge in Mesopotamia from 3000–300 BC.

HIST7113**Ancient Near Eastern Religion**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course provides an introduction to ancient Near Eastern religion, focusing on Babylonia.

HIST7302**Georgian London: Economy, Society and Politics**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Explores the pivotal role of London in the 18th century, the base of national law, government, and, to a large extent, the British economy.

HIST7310**The Remaking of the English Ruling Class, 1660–1785**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Between 1660–1760 England's social elite failed to reproduce itself demographically. This course explains how and why this took place.

HIST7316**Religious Tolerance and Intolerance in Early Modern Europe**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course considers relations between Europe's different religious groups in the centuries between the Reformation and the French Revolution.

HIST7324**Renaissance Visions of Human Nature**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course explores the range of ideas about human nature that were articulated in the later European renaissance (c. 1500–1600).

HIST7329**Studies in the History of the Americas: The United States and International Human Rights since 1941**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to promote critical, analytical thinking about human rights policy and to encourage students to develop their own interpretation of the evolution and significance of the American commitment to human rights in the postwar years.

HIST7330**Violence in the European Age of Extremes**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course addresses the question: why did an unprecedented wave of violence sweep through Europe in the first half of the 20th century?

HIST7332**Everyday Life in 20th Century European Dictatorships**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course introduces students to historiographical and conceptual approaches and empirical research surrounding the history of everyday life.

HIST7334**Emergence of the State: The History of European Political Thought in the 17th and Early 18th Centuries**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will focus on the most dominant and important political discourses of the 17th and early 18th centuries.

HIST7335**State, Sovereignty and Liberty: The History of European Political Thought in the Eighteenth Century**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will focus on the most dominant and important political discourses of the 18th century.

HIST7336**The Political City: London in the 17th Century**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course employs an interdisciplinary approach to the study of London's history during the 17th century, in order to appreciate the many facets of its political life.

HIST7339**The Human and its Others: Enlightenment Ideas of Ethnicity and Race**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course examines early modern ideas about human nature and ethnicity in the wake of encounters with unfamiliar cultures and new scientific and commercial endeavours.

HIST7341**The Making of a Multicultural City: Aspects of Cultural and Social Life in 20th Century London**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course offers students a selective overview of aspects of cultural and social life in 20th century London. Its focus is on 'multiculture' as opposed to 'multiculturalism'.

HIST7344**Crime and Popular Disorder in England 1714-1780**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The aim of the course is to provide students with an understanding of 'low politics' in the period 1714-1780.

HIST7345**Crime and Popular Disorder in England 1714-1780**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The aim of the course is to provide students with an understanding of 'low politics' in the period 1714-1780.

HISTA002**Independent Study in History**

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Students may choose to undertake an independent study project, under the supervision of a member of the History Department's staff.

LEVEL 1 COURSES (FOR NON-HISTORY MAJORS)**HIST1001****From the Ancient Near East to the 21st Century**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

This lecture course provides an introduction to the broad sweep of history from c. 3200 BC to the present day.

HIST1004**Ancient and Medieval History**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This lecture course provides an introduction to the broad sweep of history from c. 3200 BC to the end of the medieval period.

HIST1005**Early Modern and Modern History**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This lecture course provides an introduction to the broad sweep of history from the Renaissance to the present day.

LEVEL 2 COURSES (FOR NON-HISTORY MAJORS)**HIST7401****History of Parliament**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will study the history of Parliament from Tudor times to the present and will include visits to the Palace of Westminster and the Parliamentary Records Office.

HIST7402**The Ancient World in London Collections**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Introduces the materials for the study of the ancient world (Ancient Near East and Graeco-Roman world) available in London collections including the British Museum and Petrie Museum.

HIST7403**Medieval History in London Collections**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course provides an introduction to Medieval history through visits to museums and medieval buildings in London.

HISTORY OF ART

The History of Art Department at UCL is a recognised centre of excellence in both teaching and research. As editorial home to two scholarly journals and with an international reputation to match the unrivalled resources of London's cultural resources, UCL is one of the most exciting places to study History of Art in the UK.

Why study History of Art at UCL?

Conveniently situated in Bloomsbury with easy access to the National Gallery, the Tate Galleries, the Victoria and Albert Museum, and London's private and commercial galleries, the department offers excellent opportunities to study History of Art at first hand, both through courses specifically constructed to take advantage of London's cultural richness and through private study in your own time.

What will you gain from study at UCL?

You will be studying in a department recognised internationally as a centre where the terms of critical and historical debate within the subject are set. We have an expert in the technical analysis of paintings, and maintain mutually beneficial links with other UCL departments such as History, Anthropology, and a number of the language departments.

Teaching and Assessment

We teach by lectures and seminars, assessed by course essays and end-of-year examinations (Fall Term students by two essays). Those courses only open to History of Art affiliates directly admitted to the department are clearly indicated.

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Availability

Year
Fall Term
Spring Term

Tuition Fees

£14,000 (for full explanation of tuition fees please see page 165)

Related courses can be found in these departments:

- Fine Art, page 39
- Architecture, page 71
- History, page 154

LEVEL 1 COURSES

HART1304

Thematic Seminar (1): Art and Architecture pre 1800

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Changing options within this course provide small-group teaching with the main emphasis on objects and ideas pre 1800. History of Art majors only; limited availability.

HART1305

History of European Art (2): High Renaissance to the Present Day

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

A ten-week lecture course introducing students to the dominant narrative of art history as a historical development from the High Renaissance to the present day.

HART1306

History of European Art (1) Classical to Early Renaissance

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

In a series of 10 lectures covering the classical to early Renaissance period, the dominant narrative of art history as a historical development is discussed and analysed.

HART1307

Thematic Seminar (2): Art and Architecture after 1800

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Changing options within this course provide small-group teaching with the main emphasis on objects and ideas post 1800. History of Art majors only; limited availability.

HART1401

Renaissance Art in London Collections

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Covers Italian Renaissance art from the 13th to the 16th century focusing on objects in London's galleries and museums. Can be taken over Fall Term (HART1401) or Spring Term (HART1403). Specifically for non-History of Art majors.

HART1501

17th and 18th Century Art in London Collections

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Covers 17th and 18th century British, French and Netherlandish art focusing on objects in London's galleries and museums. Can be taken over Fall Term (HART1501) or Spring Term (HART1503). Specifically for non-History of Art majors.

HART1601**19th and 20th Century Art in London Collections**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Covers 19th and 20th century art focusing on objects in London's galleries and museums. Can be taken over Fall Term (HART1601, 1602, 1603) or Spring Term (HART1605, 1606, 1607). Specifically for non-History of Art majors.

HART1701**London Architecture**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Covers architectural practice and patronage from the 17th century to the present day, focusing on buildings and sites in London. Can be taken over Fall Term (HART1701, 1702) or Spring Term (HART1705, 1706). Specifically for non-History of Art majors.

LEVEL 2 COURSES**HART2003****Methods and Materials of Artists**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course looks at the changing painting techniques from medieval times to the present day. History of Art majors only.

HART2105**Selected Themes in Art and Architecture c. 1700–1850**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course considers the politics of art production and 'the artist' as a historical category. History of Art majors only.

**HART2210****Portraiture in Western Europe c. 1500–c. 1700**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course considers various themes in the history of 16th and 17th century European portraiture. History of Art majors only.

HART2213**Representing 'Others' in British Art c. 1700–c. 1850**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course examines and problematises ideas of Britishness and Otherness in this critical period of nascent nationalism and imperial expansion. History of Art majors only.

HART2215**Image/Object: Modernism and After**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course examines developments in modern art during the 20th century. History of Art majors only.

HART2216**The History, Characteristics and Analysis of Paint**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course is an introduction to the history and different uses of pigments. History of Art majors only. Limited availability.

HART2222**Art/Event**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course focuses on north American and European art produced between 1945 and the present. History of Art majors only.

HART2224**Art and Society in France 1848–1914**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course examines French art from Realism to Cubism within a social and historical context. History of Art majors only.

HART2226**Art and Power in Renaissance Venetian Art**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will examine the concepts of 'fashioning', myth-making and identity in 16th-century Venice. History of Art majors only.

HART2227**Architecture and Modernity: Europe, 1900–1945**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course will explore early 20th century European architecture in the context of the rapidly changing political, social and economic conditions of the period.

HART2230**The Chapel in Italy c. 1300– c. 1500: Forms, Uses and Decoration**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course considers the types, uses and decoration of Italian chapels of the 14th and 15th century. History of Art majors only.

HART2231**Aesthetics and Politics: Art Since the 1960s**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course focuses on international developments in avant-garde practice from the 1960s to the present. History of Art majors only.

LEVEL 3 COURSES**HART2001****The History of the Category 'Art'**

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Considers the way in which the concept of art has evolved in the European world, in particular since the Renaissance. History of Art majors only.

HART2002**Methodologies of Art History**

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This text-based course introduces students to a variety of current methodologies in the discipline. History of Art majors only.

HART3205**Patrons and Painters in Elizabethan and Stuart England**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

This course examines artistic production and patronage in 16th and 17th century England. History of Art majors with appropriate background.

HART3206**Dutch Genre Painting**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

This course examines everyday life imagery in 17th-century Holland. History of Art majors with appropriate background.

**HART3213****Abstraction Since the Second World War**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

This course examines developments in abstract art since 1945. History of Art majors with appropriate background.

HART3219**Paradigms of Patronage: Florentine Art and 15th Century Patrons**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

This course examines patronage and art production in early Renaissance Florence. History of Art majors with appropriate background.

HART3223**The Tears of Eros: Love and Death in Italian Art, c. 1500–1700**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

This course will examine issues around the post-Tridentine debate on images. History of Art majors with appropriate background.

HART3225**Skin, Flesh, Colour, Make-up**

<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

This course explores the representation of the body from its outer surfaces. History of Art majors with appropriate background.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Based in one of the UK's leading departments of Political Science, International Relations at UCL is a very popular and fast growing programme. It is taught in a multidisciplinary way, and addresses social and economic as well as political processes.

Why study International Relations at UCL?

The programme brings together UCL's expertise in this area from across its world-leading departments. Students acquire a grounding in the central concepts of international relations within the core courses and can then choose from a wide variety of options taught by different departments.

What will you gain from study at UCL?

Through class presentations, seminar discussions and essay writing, students will learn to present and defend arguments, learn to conduct independent research, marshal evidence and come to their own conclusions.

Teaching and Assessment

Most courses are taught through a combination of lectures and seminar classes for which students will be required to prepare work. Courses are usually assessed by coursework, end of year written examinations or both. Affiliate students admitted to International Relations are required to take one of the core courses and then make up at least 50% of their studies from the other courses listed here.



CORE COURSES

Students on the International Relations programme must take at least one of the following:

POLS6005

International Security

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course introduces major themes and debates in the contemporary study of international peace, security and stability.

POLS6010

Theories of International Relations

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course introduces core concepts, background assumptions, and recent debates within the field of International Relations with reference to humanitarian intervention, peace keeping and democracy promotion.

POLS6014

International Organisations

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course focuses on the big theories and concepts in interstate cooperation and institutions, including neoliberal institutionalism, realism, and constructivism, plus issues in global governance.

POLS6015

International Political Economy

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course introduces students to the study of international political economy, covering topics such as the politics of trade, financial liberalisation, and international market institutions.

Extended descriptions of the courses available can be found by visiting the web address at the top of this page

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Year Fall Term Spring Term
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Related courses can be found in these departments:

- European Social and Political Studies, page 37
- Law, page 96
- Slavonic and East European Studies, page 135
- Economics, page 148
- Geography, page 151
- History, page 154
- Political Science, page 163



COURSES

All optional courses are subject to availability and may not run every year. Please check with the department before applying.

Arts and Humanities

ESPS2103

Political Violence and Intrastate Conflicts

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to give you the theoretical tools to help you analyse the causes and dynamics of intrastate violence, as well as introduce you to different types of political violence and intrastate conflicts – including self-determination struggles, civil wars, and terrorism – worldwide.

ESPS7401

War and Peace

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course examines theories about war and peace from early modern to modern times.

HEBR7750

The Arab-Israeli Conflict

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

An analysis of the Arab-Israeli conflict from its origins through to the present day.

Social and Historical Sciences

ECON3004

International Trade

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Aims to provide students who have completed intermediate microeconomics with a framework for understanding modern ideas in the theory of international trade.

GEOG2014

Development Geography

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The course reviews the nature and extent of poverty and development theories and policy interventions, with case studies from the world's poorest regions.

GEOG2019

Political Geography and Geopolitics

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

A lecture-based course designed to explore the various geographical dimensions of political processes across the face of the earth.

HIST6317

History and Theory of International Relations

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

Identifies and analyses the key issues of international relations in the period from the discoveries of the New World to the post-revolutionary settlement at the Congress of Vienna.



POLS6006

Politics of the European Union

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Provides a detailed understanding of the European Union and the main political processes within it, conveying this through the theoretical foundations of political science.

POLS6007

International Development and Public Policy

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The theory, concepts, history, and current governance problems of international development, with an emphasis on the politics of economic development.

POLS6009

Global Environmental Politics

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

The theory, history, and current problems of (international) environmental policy-making.

POLS6016

Human Rights and World Politics

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This module explores the development of human rights norms and practices in international politics and the role of international institutions, states, and non-state actors.

School of Slavonic and East European Studies

SESS3103

European Security

<i>Availability</i>	Year, Fall Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4/8 (US) 7.5/15 (ECTS)

An advanced introduction to European security and the complex process of institutionalisation that characterises it. The central theme of the course is the relationship between the formulation of national security, national policies and European institutional dynamics.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

UCL is recognised as having one of the leading departments of Political Science, not just in the UK, but globally. It offers a uniquely stimulating environment for the study of all fields of politics, including international relations, political theory, public policy-making and administration.

Why study Political Science at UCL?

The Department of Political Science acts as a bridge between UCL's world-class research and the policy-making community in Britain and internationally. Through the department, students have access to a wide range of weekly seminars, featuring distinguished external speakers as well as regular high-profile events with politicians and policy makers.

What will you gain from study at UCL?

Through class presentations, seminar discussions, and essay writing, students will learn to present and defend arguments, learn to conduct independent research, marshal evidence, and come to their own conclusions. Political Science classes are small, and typically contain a mix of students from the UK and around the world.

Teaching and Assessment

Most courses are taught through a combination of formal lectures and seminar classes for which students will be required to prepare work. Courses are usually assessed by coursework, or by end-of-year written examination, or both. Affiliates admitted to Political Science must take at least one of the core courses listed here, and then select other Political Science courses to make up at least 50% of their studies from a list of approved politics courses in other UCL departments.



CORE COURSES

POLS6001	
Introduction to British Politics	
<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

This course introduces students to the key institutions of British government, the pressures on it, and how the Westminster system has evolved in recent years.

POLS6002	
Political Studies: Directed Independent Study	
<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Students pursue their own research in-depth after agreeing a topic with their supervisor, and write a 5,000-word essay.

POLS6003	
Independent Study Project	
<i>Availability</i>	Year
<i>Credit Value</i>	8 (US) 15 (ECTS)

Students pursue their own in-depth research across two terms and write a 10,000-word essay.

POLS6004	
Changing Britain's Constitution	
<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)

Introduces the exciting developments of the last ten years; in a quiet revolution the British constitution, the oldest and greatest 'unwritten' constitution, has been transformed.

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Year Fall Term Spring Term
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- Related courses can be found in these departments:**
- European Social and Political Studies, page 37
 - Hebrew and Jewish Studies, page 46
 - Slavonic and East European Studies, page 135
 - Anthropology, page 141
 - Economics, page 148
 - Geography, page 151
 - History, page 154

POL6005

International Security

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term Spring Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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This course introduces major themes and debates in the contemporary study of international peace, security and stability.

POL6006

Politics of the European Union

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term Spring Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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Provides a detailed understanding of the European Union and the main political processes within it, conveying this through the theoretical foundations of political science.

POL6007

International Development and Public Policy

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term Spring Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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The theory, concepts, history, and current governance problems of international development, with an emphasis on the politics of economic development.

POL6008

Gender and Politics

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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An overview of key topics in politics and gender, including the role of gender in civil society and political participation, and in international relations.

POL6009

Global Environmental Politics

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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The theory, history, and current problems of (international) environmental policy-making.

POL6010

International Relations Theories

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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This course introduces core concepts, background assumptions, and recent debates within the field of International Relations with reference to humanitarian intervention, peace keeping and democracy promotion.

POL6011

Comparative Political Analysis

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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This course looks at the similarities and differences in the domestic political systems of different states, and the theoretical debates which seek to explain them.

POL6012

Theories and Concepts of Politics

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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This course focuses on the concepts and theories employed to describe and analyse politics; and to judge and legitimise political action and systems.

STUDENT VIEW

Hafsa Ahmad Sial**Middlebury College, Vermont, USA**

I am in the School of Public Policy, which generally only takes graduate students. This department gives specific care and attention to the undergraduate affiliate students, as a result, something difficult to find at a large university.

My Study Abroad experience at UCL has been an eye-opening, thrilling and refreshing time that has challenged me to adapt to new environments and granted me the opportunity to be part of a larger community than I have at Middlebury College. UCL's high educational standards have been intellectually invigorating and engaging.



POL6014

International Organisations

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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This course focuses on the big theories and concepts in interstate cooperation and institutions, including neoliberal institutionalism, realism, and constructivism, plus issues in global governance.

POL6015

International Political Economy

<i>Availability</i>	Fall Term, Spring Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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This course introduces students to the study of international political economy, covering topics such as the politics of trade, financial liberalisation, and international market institutions.

POL6016

Human Rights and World Politics

<i>Availability</i>	Spring Term
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<i>Credit Value</i>	4 (US) 7.5 (ECTS)
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This course explores the development of human rights norms and practices in international politics and the role of international institutions, states, and non-state actors.