## **Graduate School of Social Sciences**

Political Science

## Examples of elective courses

To give you an idea of the electives in our programme, you can have a look at the list below. This is based on the course offering of academic year 2015-2016. The course descriptions can therefore be found in the online course catalogue of this year, please see <a href="www.catalogue.uva.nl">www.catalogue.uva.nl</a> and find the course below 'Course'.

All courses are assigned to one or more tracks. Some courses may also be cross-listed with the master's programme Conflict Resolution and Governance and the Research Master Social Sciences.

	EPER	IR	PE	PPG	PT
A crisis of centre parties or a crisis of democracy?			٧		٧
Analyzing identity-based conflict: understanding processes of in- and exclusion		V			V
China's rise and the international relations of East Asia		٧	V		
Collective action and interest group politics		٧	V	V	
Conflict and political violence in the Middle East		V			
Critical theory: Where is the revolution?		V			V
Dealing with policy conflicts				V	
Energy and geopolitics in Eurasia: the EU and China	V	٧			
EU-Middle East relations	v	٧			
EU-US relations in a globalised world: geopolitics, geoeconomics & transnational governance	V	V	V		
Global markets, financial crisis and uncertainty		v	V		V
Global migration: humanitarian issues and policy responses		v		V	
Governing transitions for global sustainable development		٧	V	V	
Lobbying in Europe and beyond	v	٧		V	
Policy analysis as politics and craft				V	
The political economy of development and the role of the IMF and the World Bank		V	V		
Politics of foreign aid and development		٧	V		
Politics of globalisation		٧	V		
The politics of international criminal justice		V			V
The politics of numbers		٧	٧		
Risk and transatlantic security after 9/11	v	V			

## **Abbreviations**

The abbreviations stand for the track names:

-EPER: European Politics and External Relations

-IR: International Relations

-PE: Political Economy

-PPG: Public Policy and Governance

-PT: Political Theory

## An up to date programme

Note that these are examples. The course offering is updated yearly and adjusted to political and societal development, trends in research and teacher availability. The course catalogue for 2016-2017 will be available as of Mid-May on <a href="https://www.coursecatalogue.uva.nl">www.coursecatalogue.uva.nl</a>.