

List of available modules to Visiting Students in Semester 1 AY2024-2025

1st year module:

Programme Coordinator: Diana Stypinska (diana.stypinska@universityofgalway.ie)

All modules are 5ECTS.

SP1125 Introduction to Politics (lecture module) [Brendan Flynn, Niall Ó Dochartaigh, Kevin Ryan, Allyn Fives]

Timetable: due to large number of students, lectures are repeated; you choose either group A or group B time slots and attend 2 lectures per week.

Group A: Tue 11am-12pm (venue: Kirwan Lecture Theatre), and Wed 1-2pm (O'Flaherty Lecture Theatre)

OR

Group B: Tue 12-1pm (venue: O'Flaherty Lecture Theatre), and Thurs 11am-12pm (venue: Kirwan Lecture Theatre)

2nd year modules:

Programme Coordinator: Gerry Fitzpatrick (gerard.fitzpatrick@universityofgalway.ie)

All modules are 5ECTS

SP2122 European Politics [Brendan Flynn and colleagues]

Monday 12-1pm (O'Flaherty); Monday 2-3pm (O'Flaherty)

SP235 Social Issues and Policy Responses [Brian McGrath and colleagues]

Tuesday 12-1pm (AMB 1021); Wednesday 12-1pm (AMB 1021)

SP2116 Sociology of Health [Vesna Malesevic and colleagues]

Tuesday 2-3pm (AMB 1021); Friday 12-1pm (O'Flaherty)

SP2117 International and Global Politics [Evans Fanoulis and colleagues]

Tuesday 2-3pm (AUC G002, Aras Ui Chathail); Friday 12-1pm (AMB 1022, Fottrell theatre)

Final Year modules:

Programme Coordinator: Jacqueline Murphy
(jacqueline.murphy@universityofgalway.ie)

All modules are 5ECTS

Final year Semi-core lecture modules (large group teaching, cca. 180 students):

SP3197 Thinking Politically: The Power of Ideas [Kevin Ryan and Allyn Fives]

Monday 11am-12pm in O hEocha Theatre AMB1021; Thursday 3-4pm in O hEocha Theatre AMB1021

SP404 Development & Change [Su-ming Khoo and Nata Duvvury]

Tuesday 3-4pm O'Flaherty Theatre; Wednesday 4-5pm O hEocha Theatre AMB1021

SP219 Political Sociology [Niall Ó Dochartaigh]

Thursday 4-5pm IT250; Friday 3-4pm O hEocha Theatre AMB1021

SP3195 Equality, Diversity & Collective Action [Danielle Kennan]

Thursday 4-5pm O'Flaherty Theatre; Fri 3-4pm IT250

SP3208 Contemporary American Politics [Kevin Leyden]

Wednesday 6-8pm O'Flaherty Theatre

SP3199 Care, Power, Information [Alex Stingl]

Tuesday 6.00 – 7.00 pm IT250 - THEATRE (250); Thursday 6.00 – 7.00 pm AMB-1022 FOTTRELL THEATRE

Semester 1 Specialist electives (small group teaching, cca. 15-20 students):

SP493 Environmentalism [George Taylor]: Monday 12-2pm, MY306 Aras Moyola

SP3119 Green Political Thought [Gerry Fitzpatrick]: Wednesday 11am-1pm, AMB-G036

SP3202 Governing the Poor: The Politics of Welfare [Kevin Ryan]: Monday 2-4pm, ENG 2034

List of available modules to Visiting Students in Semester 2 AY2023-2024

1st year module:

SP1126 Introduction to Sociology (lecture module) [Vesna Malesevic, Diana Stypinska, Mike Hynes]

Tue 11-12 Kirwan [A]

Tue 12-13 IT250 [B]

Wed 13-14 O'Flaherty [A]

Thurs 11-12 Kirwan [B]

Note: A and B GROUPS: Due to the very large numbers of students who study Sociological and Political Studies in First Arts, we duplicate our large group teaching, providing a parallel stream of lectures: Group A and Group B.

Please attend lectures in either Group A or Group B depending on your timetable.

2nd year modules:

SP2123 Modern Political Thought [Gerry Fitzpatrick]

Wed 12-13 AMB1021; Fri 12-13 AMB1021

SP212 Classical Social Thought [Lisa Walsh; Alex Stingl]

Wed 12-13 MRA201; Fri 12-13 IT250

3rd/Final Year modules:

Lecture modules (cc. 180 students):

SP405 Contemporary Social Thought [Diana Stypinska; Alex Stingl]

Mon 11-12 AMB1021; Thurs 15-16 AMB1021

SP3139 Comparative Government & Politics [Kevin Leyden & colleagues]

Thurs 16-17 MRA201; Fri 15-16 Fottrell AM1022

SP3137 Youth & Society [John Canavan; Cormac Forkan]

Thurs 16-17 Anderson AC002; Fri 15-16 IT250

Semester 2 Specialist electives (small group teaching; cca. 25 students): Module list is subject to change and will be confirmed in mid-August 2024

SP3101 'Community': Significance & Change Thursday 14-16 CA002	Brian McGrath Contact: brian.mcgrath@universityofgalway.ie
SP4132 Revisiting Violence: Aggression & Abuse in Contemporary Irish Family and Institutional Life Wednesday 14-16 CA004	Declan Coogan Contact: declanp.coogan@universityofgalway.ie
SP3214 Biosociality and Bioeconomy: The Value(s) of Living Things Wednesday 16-18 CA003	Alex Stingl Contact: Alex.Stingl@universityofgalway.ie
SP3198 Songs of Rebellion Monday 13-15 MY328	Diana Stypinska Contact: diana.stypinska@universityofgalway.ie
SP701 Children & Young People in Families Today Wednesday 10-12 G018 (ILAS)	Carmel Devaney Contact: Carmel.Devaney@universityofgalway.ie
SP3144 Political Liberty Tuesday 11-13 CA115	Allyn Fives Contact: allyn.fives@universityofgalway.ie
SP3103 European Union: Polity, Political Economy, & International Role Thursday 11-13 CA003	Gerry Fitzpatrick Contact: Gerard.fitzpatrick@universityofgalway.ie
SP3150 Teaching Methods for the Politics and Society Classroom Wednesday 13-15 CA001	Lisa Walshe Contact: lisa.walshe@universityofgalway.ie
SP3192: Sociology of Religion Wednesday 10-12 CA001	Vesna Malešević Contact: vesna.malesevic@universityofgalway.ie
SP3129: Sexualities, Genders and Diversities Monday 12-14 CA117	Vesna Malešević & Declan Coogan Contact: Vesna.malesevic@universityofgalway.ie
SP721 Ocean & Marine Politics Tuesday 12-14 IT125	Brendan Flynn Contact: Brendan.flynn@universityofgalway.ie
SP4131 Smart & Liveable Cities & Suburbs Thurs 11-13 ENG2035	Kevin Leyden Contact: kevin.leyden@universityofgalway.ie

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SP3141 Socially-Engaged Art and Relations of Power Monday 14-16 ENG-2034	Kevin Ryan Contact: kevin.ryan@universityofgalway.ie
SP420 Sociology of the Environment Wed. 14-16 ENG-G017	Mike Hynes Contact: mike.hynes@universityofgalway.ie
SP618 Welfare Words Monday 14-16 CA002	Paul Michael Garrett Contact: pm.garrett@universityofgalway.ie
SP3194: Theories of Nationalism Tuesday 12-14 AC204	Judith O'Connell Contact: judith.oconnell@universityofgalway.ie
SP3193 Introduction to Social Work Wed. 12-14 ENG-2003	Caroline McGregor Contact: caroline.mcgregor@universitygalway.ie
SP3213 Contemporary African Politics Wednesday 14-16 MY306	Sarah Jenkins Contact: sarah.jenkins@universityofgalway.ie
SP3215 Security & World Affairs: People, Planet, Places Tuesday 13-15 MY306	Evans Fanoulis Contact: evans.fanoulis@universityofgalway.ie
SPL304 Women, Men and Economy: Critical Explorations of Theory & Policy Mon 11-1 CA004	Nata Duvvury Contact: nata.duvvury@universityofgalway.ie

Signed: Vesna Malešević (International Students Coordinator)

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