



<b>Disciplina:</b> Tópicos Especiais em Teoria e Análise Política: <i>Brazilian Politics</i>	Código
<b>Semestre:</b> 2/2016	
<b>Carga Horária:</b> 45 (quarenta e cinco) Horas/Aula	

## Course Syllabus

This course aims at presenting an overview of contemporary Brazilian Politics. It is structured around four dimensions: (1) political institutions; (2) democratic innovations; (3) public policy; and (4) social struggles. Through these dimensions, the course seeks to present a snapshot of important trends in Brazilian Politics, also discussing some of its contemporary dilemmas and crossroads. Fully taught in English, the course seeks to broaden the audience of the Political Science Graduate Program, further developing its internationalization process.

Meeting	Topic	Lecturer
1.	Presentation of the course outline	Ricardo Mendonça and Dawisson Lopes
2.	The Brazilian democratization process and the National Constitutional Convention (1987-1988)	Leonardo Avritzer
3.	Brazilian Political System	Bruno Reis
4.	Money, power and the dilemmas of the Brazilian political system	Bruno Reis
5.	Democratic innovation in post 1988 Brazil	Leonardo Avritzer
6.	Brazilian social inequalities and the burden of Patrimonialism	Jorge Alexandre
7.	Designs in Brazilian public policy	Ana Karruz

8.	Energy Policy	Klaus Dalgaard
9.	Environmental Policy	Klaus Dalgaard
10.	Foreign Policy	Dawisson Lopes
11.	Defense Policy	Dawisson Lopes
12.	Affirmative action and education	Ana Karruz
13.	Gender Policy and Politics	Marlise Mattos
14.	Feminist, Gender and Race struggles	Marlise Mattos
15.	The 2013-2016 Cycle of Protests	Ricardo Mendonça