

Global Learning Semesters

Course Syllabus

Course: IREL-340 European Integration

Department: International Relations

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
IREL-340	European Integration	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Spring	42	None
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
International Relations	Upper Division	English

Instructor

Dr Hubert Faustmann

Course Aims and Objectives

The European Union has become a critical actor on the world stage. This course examines the inner mechanisms of the European Union, and their relationship(s) with the International System. This includes an assessment of the process of development of the European Union. The progress and problems of regional integration in Europe will provide a central focus. Finally, the role of its European Union on the world stage will be assessed as well as the future prospects.

Teaching Methods

The course is delivered through a mixture of lectures, assignments and project(s).

Course Teaching Hours

42 hours (42 hours lectures/lab presentations/lab tutorials). The course is delivered during the Spring semester in 14-weeks (3 hours/week).

Evaluation and Grading

Class Participation:	0-5%
Homework/Project(s):	10-20%
Test(s):	40-50%
Final Exam:	40-50%

Readings and Resources

Recommended Reading

C. Archer: Organising Europe

J. Lodge: The European Community and the Challenge of the Future

O. Norgard: The European Community in World Politics

P. Taylor: The limits of European Integration