

Debating International Issues (S1/S2)

This course aims at allowing students to acquire knowledge on, analyse and debate on a wide range of international issues, that are chosen by the group at the beginning of the course. Some examples of the subjects chosen by the students in 2023-2024 are :

- The restitution of art to former colonies
- Political polarisation
- Women's migration
- Modern piracy
- Korean soft power
- Conspiracy theories
- The sexualization of women in sport

Format of the classes : This is a ***flipped learning class***: students firstly acquire/deepen their knowledge on the subject through weekly readings and videos chosen by their peers, and submit a short written personal reflective analysis. The classes are then organized around debates and discussions on the subjects.

Requirements :

C1 level.

Key words : reading, research, note-taking, written analysis, student-organised classes, creativity, involvement, active participation.