

1. Informations générales :

Titre du cours :	European Union – Between past and present		
NOM de l'enseignant·e :	BOUILLAUD	Semestre :	☐ Spring
Public visé :	☐ 2 ^{ème} année/3 ^{ème} année	Langue :	☐ English
Nombre maximal d'étudiant·es :	☐ 20	Organisation du cours :	☐ 12 séances de 1h30 sur 12 semaines

2. Résumé du cours :

The course will articulate two lines of inquiry:

– A reminder of the basic facts, already known by the students, helping to understand what the European Union (EU) actually is, what it does (and does not do), why and how (general European history; institutional history of the EU; main classical theories of European integration [neo-functionalism, liberal intergovernmentalism, federalism, etc.]; main European policies [Common Agricultural Policy, Single Market, Monetary Union/Euro, etc.]);

– An exploration through weekly press reviews of the present fate of the EU, so aiming to introduce undergraduate students to current European politics (for instance, defence, high tech, trade, etc.).

The course will be organized around students' presentation of original documents and weekly press review.

It intends to work on the students' capacity to present clearly and sharply in short oral presentations complicated facts, a typical "Know-How" of Science-Po studies.

3. Pré-requis éventuels :

To follow the course, one should have a basic knowledge of the EU.

4. Modalités de contrôle des connaissances et des compétences envisagées :

- 20% active participation in class
- 40% oral presentations/contributions
- 40% final examination (not a multiple-choice test)

5. Description détaillée du cours (facultatif)

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