

**C O U R S E   G U I D E   –   s h o r t   f o r m**  
Academic year 2024-2025

Course name <sup>1</sup>	History of political ideas					Course code	2.IMAT. 18. DC-2			
Course type <sup>2</sup>	DC	Category <sup>3</sup>	DO	Year of study	2	Semester	3	Number of credit points	2	

Faculty	Materials Science and Engineering	Number of teaching and learning hours <sup>4</sup>					
Field	Materials Engineering	Total	L	T	LB	P	IS
Specialization	Materials Science	50	14	14			22

Pre-requisites from the curriculum <sup>5</sup>	Compulsory	
	Recommended	

General objective <sup>6</sup>	Presentation and explanation of the main political ideas and doctrines
Specific objectives <sup>7</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation and understanding of specific notions of the discipline</li> <li>• Identifying the specific elements of each political doctrine</li> <li>• Awareness of the role and importance of political ideas in contemporary society</li> </ul>
Course description <sup>8</sup>	<p>8.1.1. The evolution of political ideas during antiquity 8.1.2. Social-political thinking in the Middle Ages 8.1.3. Renaissance and Reformation. Their role in the process of establishing modern political science; 8.1.4. Political Ideas in the Age of Enlightenment 8.1.5. The main political doctrines in the modern era 8.1.6. Representative figures of the history of political ideas and doctrines 8.1.7. Political ideas in the Romanian space.</p> <p>8.2.1. Social-political thinking in ancient Greece and Rome 8.2.2. Doctrine of natural law 8.2.3. Liberalism and conservatism in the Romanian space 8.2.4. Representatives of European liberalism 8.2.5. Extremist political doctrines in the 20th century 8.2.6. Europe from Stalin to Putin 8.2.7. Political ideas in the European Union.</p>

Assesment			Schedule <sup>9</sup>	Percentage of the final grade (minimum grade) <sup>10</sup>
A. Final assessment form <sup>11</sup> :	Class tests along the semester	%		50% (minimum 5)
	Home works	%		
	Other activities	%		
Colloquium	Examination procedures and conditions:	100% (minimum)		

		grade 5)	
B. Seminar	Activity during seminar		50% (minimum 5)
C. Laboratory	Activity during laboratory		% (minimum 5)
D. Project	Activity during project		% (minimum 5)

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Teaching assistants	<b>Associate professor Ph.D. Gabriel Asandului</b>	

<sup>1</sup>Course name from the curriculum

<sup>2</sup> DF – fundamental, DID – in the field, DS – specialty, DC – complementary (from the curriculum)

<sup>3</sup> DI – imposed, DO –optional, DL – facultative (from the curriculum)

<sup>4</sup> Points 3.8, 3.5, 3.6a,b,c, 3.7 from the Course guide – extended form (L-lecture, T-tutorial, LB-laboratory works, P-project, IS-individual study)

<sup>5</sup> According to 4.1 – Pre-requisites - from the Course guide – extended form

<sup>6</sup> According to 7.1 from the Course guide – extended form

<sup>7</sup> According to 7.2 from the Course guide – extended form

<sup>8</sup> Short description of the course, according to point 8 from the Course guide – extended form

<sup>9</sup> For continuous assessment: weeks 1 – 14, for final assessment – colloquium: week 14, for final assessment-exam: exam period

<sup>10</sup> A minimum grade might be imposed for some assessment stages

<sup>11</sup> Exam or colloquium