Content

Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
RI102	Political Science	2	3	0	0	3	3

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	French	
Course Type	Compulsory	
Course Level	Bachelor Degree	
Objective	The objective of this course is to make known to the students the concepts, the currents and the big authors of the political science. Besides the course aims that the students of communication are in a position to situate and link up the political one to their knowledge presented by of other courses.	
Content	(Subject Headings)	
References	 Course notes Dominique Chagnollaud, Science Politique. Elémenets de sociologie politique, Paris: Editions Dalloz, 2000. Philippe Guillot, Introduction à la Science Politique, Paris: Armand Collin, 1998. Dominique Colas, Sociologie Politique, Paris: PUF, 1994. Yves Schemeil, La Science Politique, Paris: Armand Collin, 1994. Jean-Marie Denquin, Science Politique, 5e edition, Paris: PUF, 1985. 	

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Knowledge and presentation of the course and program
2	Definition of politics
3	The object of political science
4	State: The definition, elements, characteristics, philosophical foundations
5	Political power
6	Systemic analysis of political life (David Easton)
7	MIDTERM
8	Political culture
9	Political Socialization and Political Participation
10	Political actors
11	Political systems
12	Political parties
13	The elections and the democracy
14	The media and politics