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Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
RI311	International Environmental Policies	5	3	0	0	3	5

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	French
Course Type	Elective
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	To help students to analyze current environmental issues in the global governance, mainly the conservation and sustainable use of the biodiversity and climate change. The course explores the evolution of ecopolitics through the philosophical origins of ecocentrism and anthropocentrism and the transition from a state-level protection to a multilevel sustainable development paradigm.
Content	See "Weekly Contents"

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An Inconvenient Truth 1 and 2: An Inconvenient Sequel: Truth to Power

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Climate crisis: Extinction Climate crisis: Wildfires

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	Definition of ecology and ecosophy
2	Classification of environmental problems
3	Social environmentalist movements
4	Political environmentalism: Green Parties
5	International ecopolitics: From national environmental policies to global environmental governance
6	Actors of ecopolitics I: States
7	Actors of ecopolitics II : Non-state actors and multilevel governance
8	Sustainable development and related UN Conferences
9	From sustainability to green economy, UN Sustainable Development Goals
10	Implementation of the Convention on Biological Diversity and Nagoya Protocol on Access and Benefit-Sharing

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11	Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety and Nagoya-Kuala Lumpur Additional Protocol on Liability and Redress	
12	UN Framework Convention on Climate Change and the implementation of the Kyoto Protocol	
13	Paris Agreement: States' changing positions and problems	
14	Environment and global security issues	