

COURSE SYLLABUS FORMAT
Southeast Missouri State University

Department of Political Science, Philosophy, & Religion Course No. **PS691-PS696**

Title of Course: Topics in Political Science Revision _____
New XX

I. Catalog Description and Credit Hours of Course:

Analysis of variable topics in Political Science such as interest groups, rational choice theory or environmental politics. May be repeated for credit when different topics are offered. 3 credit hours

II. Prerequisite (s): Senior standing or admissions to the graduate school.

III. Purposes or Objectives of the Course:

- A. Familiarize students to current issues in political science.
- B. Develop analytical and evaluative skills to be applied to topic of study.

IV. Expectations of Students:

Varies with topic and instructor.

V. Course Content or Outline (Indicate number of class hours per unit or section):

Varies with topic and instructor.

VI. Textbook(s) and/or Other Required Materials or Equipment:

Varies with topic and instructor.

VII. Basis for Student Evaluation:

Varies with topic and instructor, but a research paper is to be expected in every case.

The weight of evaluation criteria may vary at the discretion of the instructor and will be indicated at the beginning of each course.