Title and Code of Course: Readings in Modern Political Ideologies ERPB-MAD 2261

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| Credit Point Value: | Number of Lessons <br> 6 | Type of Course: <br> per Week: 2 | Method of Evaluation: <br> Oral Examination $\square$ <br> Lecture $\square$ |
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|  |  |  | In-Class Presentation $\boxtimes$ <br> Other $\boxtimes$ |

## Course Description:

The course builds on The Introduction to Political Ideologies but may be taken without that. It aims at elaborating on either of the four 'non-classic' or 'newer' ideologies that greatly shape our present: nationalism (the birth, definitions and future of nations), feminism (an overview of British-American 1-3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ wave-feminism), and religious fundamentalism or ecologism.
The seminar is designed in a way that an introduction - including student-presentation(s) - is followed by a debate on readings and issues covered by them, focusing on pros and cons of certain toics and students will be required to take sides and argue in defense of their position.

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Betty Friedan. Feminine Mystique. W. W. Norton Company, 2003.

