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# Studijní obor 6702T046: European Politics and Society (EPS)

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## European Politics and Society

**Academic year: 2018/2019**

The European Politics and Society (EPS): Vaclav Havel Joint Master Programme is a multidisciplinary two-year Joint Master Degree Programme linking the fields of European politics, contemporary history and culture, economy, international relations and policymaking. The key role of the programme is to identify and analyse challenges Europe faces today (migration, security, populism). The first semester of the EPS Programme is based on Master level introductory courses (in Prague); the second semester focuses on EU related courses (Krakow, Leiden). In the third and fourth semesters, the programme offers four different study tracks reflecting the diverse expertise of the Consortium members (Prague, Krakow, Barcelona, and Leiden). Each track combines various elective courses, research methods training, an internship and language tuition with an advanced research dissertation supervised by key staff from each Partner University.

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**European Politics and Society - course structure:**

<i>Compulsory courses (semester 1)</i>	30 ECTS
<i>Elective courses 1 (semester 2)</i>	20 ECTS
<i>Elective courses 2 (specialised track semesters 3 &amp;4)</i>	45 ECTS
<i>Common elective courses</i>	13-25 ECTS
<i>Optional courses (out of the list)</i>	max. 12 ECTS
<i>Defence of Master Thesis</i>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>120 ECTS</b>

**Compulsory courses (semester 1, Prague)**

(J#0344)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ331	<u>Qualitative Methods in Social Sciences</u>	<u>Weiss Young Nisbet</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	6
JMMZ332	<u>Culture and Politics in Europe</u>	<u>Tomalová</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JMMZ333	<u>Transnational History of</u>	<u>Matějka</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6

	Contemporary Europe					
JMMZ334	Current Challenges in Europe	Tomalová Mejstřík	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JMM530	European Comparative Politics and Society	Rovná	WS	1/1	Examination	6

Total number of ECTS: 30

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
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#### Elective courses 1 (semester 2) - Krakow

(J#0346)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ346	Language Course	Mach Mejstřík	SS	0/2	Examination	5
JMMZ347	Quantitative Methods of Social Research	Czarnik Mejstřík	SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ348	Finances in the EU	Trojak Mejstřík	SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ349	EU Administration, Justice and Home Affairs	Gruszczak Mejstřík	SS	1/1	Examination	5

Total number of ECTS: 20

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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#### Elective courses 1 (semester 2) - Leiden

(J#0347)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ350	Language Course		SS	0/2	Examination	5
JMMZ351	Methods in International Relations and European Studies Research		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ352	Economics of the EU		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ353	Justice and Home Affairs		SS	1/1	Examination	5

Total number of ECTS: 20

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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#### Elective courses 2 (semesters 3 & 4) - Practice Track Prague

(J#0349)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ354	<u>Internship</u>	<u>Tomalová Mejstřík</u>	WS/SS	0/22	Course credit	15
JMMZ355	<u>MA Thesis Seminar I</u>	<u>Vykoukal</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	15
JMMZ356	<u>MA Thesis Seminar II</u>	<u>Vykoukal</u>	SS	0/2	Course credit	15

Total number of ECTS: 45

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
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**Elective courses 2 (semesters 3 & 4) - Practice Track Krakow**

(J#0350)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ357	<u>Internship</u>	<u>Mach Mejstřík</u>	WS/SS	0/22	Course credit	15
JMMZ358	<u>MA Thesis Seminar I</u>	<u>Mach Mejstřík</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	15
JMMZ359	<u>MA Thesis Seminar II and Thesis</u>	<u>Mach Mejstřík</u>	SS	0/2	Examination	15

Total number of ECTS: 45

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
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**Elective courses 2 (semesters 3 & 4) - Practice Track Leiden**

(J#0351)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ360	<u>Internship</u>		WS/SS	0/22	Examination	15
JMMZ361	<u>MA Thesis Writing</u>		SS	0/0	Examination	30

Total number of ECTS: 45

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
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**Elective courses 2 (semesters 3 & 4) - Research Track Barcelona**

(J#0352)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ362	<u>Fundamentals of Political Research</u>		WS/SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ363	<u>Construction of the European Union and its Consequences</u>		WS/SS	1/1	Examination	5

	on European Citizens					
JMMZ364	Qualitative Research Methods		WS/SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ365	MA Thesis Writing		SS	0/0	Examination	30

Total number of ECTS: 45

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
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### Common elective courses

(J#0353)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ051	Political Systems of EastCentral and South Eastern Europe Today	Kubát	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JMMZ053	Problems of the Post-Soviet Space	Šír	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JMMZ155	Grand Debates of European Integration	Kasáková	SS	0/2	Examination	6
JMMZ225	(Post) Conflict Society in the Western Balkans after the break-up of the Eastern Bloc	Žila	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JMMZ374	International morality between ethical ideals and reality	Allan Lukešová Pisklová	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JMMZ380	Contemporary Migration in Europe: Policies, Politics, and Strategies		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ381	Europeanisation and Transformation of Collective Identity		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ382	Foreign and International Relations in CEE - extended		SS	2/2	Examination	10

JMMZ383	<u>The Holocaust: Foundations and Execution</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ384	<u>Foreign and International Relations in CEE</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ385	<u>Politics and Society in the Balkans</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ386	<u>Economy of Central Europe: from Transition to EU Membership</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ387	<u>Totalitarian Systems: Ideology and Terror</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ388	<u>Gender, Citizenship and Democracy in CEE</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ389	<u>Political Challenges to the European Integration</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ390	<u>Imagining and Building Borders: A Global History of Migration Regulation and Restriction</u>		SS	2/2	Examination	10
JMMZ391	<u>Germany and European Integration</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ392	<u>Europe on the World Stage: the Development of the EU Policies</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ393	<u>EU Public Affairs and Lobbying</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ394	<u>Euroscepticism</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ395	<u>Economic and Monetary Union</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ396	<u>Migration Law and Policy in the EU</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5

JMMZ397	<u>International ethics between hypocrisy, collective arrogance, and dirty hands</u>	<u>Allan Lukešová Pisklová</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JMMZ400	<u>Employment Policies and Labour Market</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ401	<u>Social Policies and the Welfare State</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ402	<u>Citizenship and Democracy in the European Union</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ403	<u>Current Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on the Social Wellbeing</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ404	<u>Migration and Society</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ405	<u>Best Practice: Legislating and Regulating a Better Global Economy</u>		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JMMZ406	<u>Ideas in World Politics</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ407	<u>French 2 Pre-Intermediate</u>		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JMMZ408	<u>Diplomacy: History, Theory, and Practice</u>		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JMMZ409	<u>Challenges to the European Identity. The Rebirth of Nationalisms in Europe</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	4
JMMZ410	<u>Cultures of Resistance in the Post-colonial World</u>		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JMMZ411	<u>National-building and Resistance</u>		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JMMZ412	<u>European Civilisation</u>		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JMMZ413	<u>Russian Thought on Europe</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	5

JMMZ414	<u>The Museums of Krakow. Revealed and Hidden Stories of the European Past</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	4
JMMZ415	<u>Polish Course - Level A1 (I)</u>		WS	0/2	Examination	5
JMMZ416	<u>EU Law</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ417	<u>Institutions of the EU</u>		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ420	<u>International Security in Post-Cold War Europe</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ421	<u>Contemporary European Philosophy</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	4
JMMZ422	<u>European Models of Cultural Policies</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	4
JMMZ423	<u>Disintegration of Yugoslavia and Post-Conflict Transition in International Context</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ424	<u>Antisemitism after Auschwitz in Comparative Perspective</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ425	<u>International Operations Planning and Management</u>		SS	1/1	Examination	3
JMMZ435	<u>Contemporary Cultures and Literatures of Central and Eastern Europe</u>		WS/SS	1/1	Examination	6
JMMZ436	<u>Culture in the EU: programmes, projects, funds (practical approach)</u>		WS/SS	1/1	Examination	5
JMMZ437	<u>Polish language and culture</u>		WS/SS	0/2	Examination	5
JMMZ438	<u>Polish Course - Level A2 (I)</u>		WS	0/2	Examination	5
JMMZ439	<u>Polish Course - Level A2 (II)</u>		SS	0/2	Examination	5

JMMZ440	Political and Social History of CEE		WS	0/2	Examination	10
JMMZ441	Polish Course - Level A1 (II)		SS	0/2	Examination	5
JMM018	Contemporary Balkans	Králová	SS	1/1	macc	6
JMM027	Contemporary Mediterranean	Mejstřík Králová	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JMM188	Economic Transformations in the Post-Soviet Area	Svoboda	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JMM302	Russia after 1991	Svoboda	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JMM358	The Transformation of the Communist Successor Parties in Central Europe and Influence of the West European Leftists	Handl Mejstřík	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JMM671	Rebuilding Europe	Rovná	WS	0/2	Examination	6
JTM019	Problems of the post-Soviet Space	Šír	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM230	Citizenship and Democracy in the European Union		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JTM231	Current Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on the Social Wellbeing		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JTM232	Migration and Society		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JTM233	Best Practice: Legislating and Regulating a Better Global Economy		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JTM234	Ideas in World Politics		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JTM237	Challenges to the European Identity. The Rebirth of		WS	1/1	Examination	4



	Nationalisms in Europe					
JTM238	Cultures of Resistance in the Post-colonial World		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JTM239	National-building and Resistance		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JTM279	Russia after 1991	Svoboda	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM297	Rebuilding Europe: Challenge of the Climate Change	Rovná Kasáková	SS	0/2	Examination	6
JTM398	Institutions of the EU		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JTM399	European Law		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JTM401	Russian Thought on Europe		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JTM402	The Museums of Krakow. Revealed and Hidden Stories of the European Past		WS	1/1	Examination	4
JTM454	Regionalism in World Politics		WS	1/1	Examination	5
JTM455	International Relations in the Slavic Triangle: Russia, Ukraine, and Belarus		WS	2/2	Examination	10
JTM456	Global Governance and Human Rights: History, Theory and Practice		WS	2/2	Examination	10

Minimum ECTS: 13-25

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JMMZ051	Political Systems of EastCentral and South Eastern Europe Today			JMM095	JMM095
JMM027	Contemporary Mediterranean				JMM152
JTM019	Problems of the post-Soviet Space				JMMZ053

JTM230	Citizenship and Democracy in the European Union				JMMZ402
JTM231	Current Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on the Social Wellbeing				JMMZ403
JTM232	Migration and Society				JMMZ404
JTM233	Best Practice: Legislating and Regulating a Better Global Economy				JMMZ405
JTM234	Ideas in World Politics				JMMZ406
JTM237	Challenges to the European Identity. The Rebirth of Nationalisms in Europe				JMMZ409
JTM238	Cultures of Resistance in the Post-colonial World				JMMZ410
JTM239	National-building and Resistance				JMMZ411
JTM279	Russia after 1991				JMM302
JTM297	Rebuilding Europe: Challenge of the Climate Change				JMM671
JTM398	Institutions of the EU				JMMZ417
JTM399	European Law				JMMZ416
JTM401	Russian Thought on Europe				JMMZ413
JTM402	The Museums of Krakow. Revealed and Hidden Stories of the European Past				JMMZ414

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