
(Bc) Programme: Politics, Philosophy and Economics (BP_PPE)

Programme B0312A200010: Politics, Philosophy and Economics (BP_PPE)

Academic year: 2021/2022

Politics, Philosophy, Economics (PPE) is a multidisciplinary programme aimed to provide the students with a multifaceted view of the problems faced by contemporary society. It is inspired by the British model of undergraduate degree aimed at elite education of future leaders in civil service, politics, journalism, as well as business, first introduced in 1920s at the University of Oxford.

The required courses cover the three principal modules of the programme: politics, philosophy and economics. However, students also have an opportunity to adjust their study programme to their personal interests by choosing from a variety of elective and optional courses. Moreover, after the third semester, students choose one of three specialisations: Politics & Philosophy, Economics & Politics of Philosophy & Economics. This choice determines the required number of credits from the "specialising elective courses".

The careers most commonly chosen by PPE graduates are in politics, banking and finance, business management, journalism and broadcasting, education, social work, and the many branches of the public services, including diplomacy and local government. Graduates of the PPE Bachelor's programme may obviously also pursue graduate degree in PPE, Politics, Philosophy, Economics and other related disciplines at Charles University as well as other prestigious universities around the world.

Programme director: Janusz Salamon, PhD

Programme coordinator: Jakub Franěk, PhD

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| Total number of required credits: | 180 |
| Compulsory courses credits: | 114 |
| Specialising elective course credits – at least: | 34/35* |
| Other elective courses credits – at least: | 5 |
| Student's choice credits – at least: | 27/26** |

* Economics & Politics specialisation: 34 credits, Politics & Philosophy and Philosophy & Economics specialisations: 35 credits.

** Economics & Politics specialisation: 27 credits, Politics & Philosophy and Philosophy & Economics specialisations: 26 credits. The student choice credits can be earned for optional courses as well as elective courses.

The comprehensive state examination consists of the following four parts:

- (JBAK01) Bachelor's thesis defence
- (JSZ486) Oral examination in Political Science
- (JSZ383) Oral examination in Philosophy
- (JSZ485) Oral examination in Economics

Compulsory courses: J#0210

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| Code | Course title | Course leader | Semester | Hours per week | Course assessment | ECTS credit points |
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| JLB065 | English Academic Writing | Kunzová | WS/SS | 0/2 | Examination | 4 |

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| JPB096 | <u>Evolution of International Relations on the Map</u> | <u>Romancov</u> | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB150 | <u>Methodology of Social Sciences</u> | <u>Hájek Halamka</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 7 |
| JPB151 | <u>Political Systems in Comparative Perspective</u> | <u>Brunclík</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB152 | <u>Introduction to International Relations</u> | <u>Tesař</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB153 | <u>Introduction to Security Studies</u> | <u>Karásek</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB154 | <u>Geopolitics and World Order</u> | <u>Riegl</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB155 | <u>Introduction to Political Theory</u> | <u>Franěk</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB156 | <u>Introduction to Philosophy: A Global Approach</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB157 | <u>Contemporary Political Philosophy</u> | <u>Franěk</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB158 | <u>Moral Philosophy and Value Theory</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB159 | <u>Introduction to Statistics</u> | <u>Soukup Petrušek</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB160 | <u>BA Thesis Seminar I</u> | <u>Hájek</u> | SS | 0/2 | Course credit | 4 |
| JPB161 | <u>BA Thesis Seminar II</u> | <u>Franěk Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 0/2 | Course credit | 4 |
| JPB195 | <u>Classics of Political Philosophy</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB330 | <u>Principles of Economics II</u> | <u>Janský</u> | SS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB331 | <u>Institutional Economics</u> | <u>Schwarz</u> | WS | 2/0 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB332 | <u>Economic History</u> | <u>Doležalová</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB333 | <u>Comparative Economics</u> | <u>Semerák</u> | SS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB362 | <u>Principles of Economics I</u> | <u>Janský</u> | WS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |

Total number of credits: 114

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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| Code | Course title | Pre-requisite | Co-requisite | Interchangeability | Incompatibility |
|--------|---|---------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| JPB096 | Evolution of International Relations on the Map | | | | JPB132 |
| JPB150 | Methodology of Social Sciences | | | | JPB135 |
| JPB151 | Political Systems in Comparative Perspective | | | | JPB139 |
| JPB152 | Introduction to International Relations | | | | JPB197 |
| JPB153 | Introduction to Security Studies | | | | JPB248 |
| JPB154 | Geopolitics and World Order | | | | JPB277 |
| JPB155 | Introduction to Political Theory | | | | JPB339 |
| JPB157 | Contemporary Political Philosophy | JPB195 | | | |
| JPB158 | Moral Philosophy and Value Theory | JPB156 | | | JPM768 |
| JPB161 | BA Thesis Seminar II | JPB160 | | | |
| JPB195 | Classics of Political Philosophy | JPB156 | | | JPB578 |
| JPB330 | Principles of Economics II | JPB362 | | | JEB004 JEB102 |
| JPB331 | Institutional Economics | JPB330 | | | JEB022 |
| JPB332 | Economic History | | | | JEB133 |
| JPB333 | Comparative Economics | | | | JEB103 JPB363 |
| JPB362 | Principles of Economics I | | | | JEB003 JEB101 |

Elective courses - specialising - group 1a (Module Politics): J#021121

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| Code | Course title | Course leader | Semester | Hours per week | Course assessment | ECTS credit points |
|--------|---------------------------------|-------------------|----------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| JPB023 | War and Strategy in Nuclear Age | Ludvík | WS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB024 | Israel's Foreign Policy | Kalhousová | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB025 | History of European Integration | Lenčář Chalániová | WS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |

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| JPB026 | Contemporary Trends in Politics | Hájek | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB029 | Data Analysis and Mapping | Hájek | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB030 | Simulation of Politics | Hájek | WS | 1/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB043 | Czech Politics and History | Charvát | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB265 | Geopolitical Threats in the Contemporary World | Riegl Doboš | SS | 1/1 | Course credit | 5 |
| JPB281 | Local Politics in the EU | Jüptner | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB370 | Applied Game Theory | Tesař | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB371 | Global Politics of Development and Environment | Tesař | WS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB376 | The Israeli-Arab/Palestinian Conflict | Kalhousová | WS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB378 | Understanding EU Politics | Lenčěš Chalániová | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |

Minimal number of credits from group 1a: 17 for Politics & Philosophy specialisation; 17 for Economics & Politics specialisation; 0 for Philosophy & Economics specialisations

Elective courses - specialising - group 1b (Module Philosophy): J#021221

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| Code | Course title | Course leader | Semester | Hours per week | Course assessment | ECTS credit points |
|--------|--|---------------|----------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| JPB031 | Advanced Seminar in Contemporary Political Philosophy | Halamka | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB126 | The Politics of Regret | Kubátová | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB163 | Utopias and Dystopias in Political Philosophy and Literature | Franěk | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB164 | Advanced Seminar in Social and Political Ethics | Salamon | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB165 | Advanced Seminar in Political Theory | Franěk | WS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |

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| JPB166 | Philosophy of Cosmopolitanism | Salamon | WS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB167 | Global Ethics: The Current Debates | Salamon | WS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB369 | Political Philosophy of Republicanism | Halamka | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB372 | Contemporary Political Ideologies | Halamka | WS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB553 | Political Theory and Practice of Neoliberalism | Franěk | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB810 | Introducing Social/ Intersubjective Phenomenology | Salamon | WS | 1/1 | Examination | 4 |

Minimal number of credits from group 1b: 18 for Politics & Philosophy specialisation; 18 for Philosophy & Economics specialisations; 0 for Economics & Politics specialisation

Elective courses - specialising - group 1c (Module Economics): J#0213

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| Code | Course title | Course leader | Semester | Hours per week | Course assessment | ECTS credit points |
|--------|--|------------------|----------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| JPB044 | Cambridge Lectures in Economic History | Doležalová | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB334 | Economics of Global Business | Semerák | SS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB335 | International Finance | Semerák | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB336 | European Economic Integration | Komárek | WS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB337 | Economic Policy | Dlouhý Janský | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB338 | Ethics and Economics | Cahlík | WS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB340 | History of Economic Thought | Cahlík | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |

Minimal number of credits from group 1c: 17 for Economics & Politics specialisation; 17 for Philosophy & Economics specialisations; 0 for Politics & Philosophy specialisation

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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| Code | Course title | Pre-requisite | Co-requisite | Interchangeability | Incompatibility |
|--------|--|---------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| JPB044 | Cambridge Lectures in Economic History | JPB332 | | | |

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| JPB334 | Economics of Global Business | JPB330 | | | JEB135 |
| JPB335 | International Finance | JPB330 | | | JEB050 |
| JPB336 | European Economic Integration | JPB330 | | | JEB026 |
| JPB337 | Economic Policy | JPB330 | | | JEB020 |
| JPB338 | Ethics and Economics | JPB330 | | | JEM020 JPB368 |
| JPB340 | History of Economic Thought | JPB330 | | | JEB016 |

Elective courses - group 2: J#021421

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| Code | Course title | Course leader | Semester | Hours per week | Course assessment | ECTS credit points |
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| JPB002 | Political Dimension of International Migration | Burianová | WS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB279 | Politics and Society in Central Europe 1933-1945 | Kubátová | SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB354 | International Trade | Semerák | WS | 2/2 | Examination | 8 |
| JPB364 | Introductory Banking | Pečená | SS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB366 | Current Political Extremism | Charvát | WS | 1/1 | Course credit | 5 |
| JPB367 | US Government and Politics | Kotábová | WS | 1/1 | Course credit | 5 |
| JPB595 | Justice in Politics and International Relations | Salamon | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |

Minimal number of credits from group 2: 5

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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| Code | Course title | Pre-requisite | Co-requisite | Interchangeability | Incompatibility |
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| JPB354 | International Trade | | | | JEB039 |
| JPB364 | Introductory Banking | | | | JEB126 |
| JPB366 | Current Political Extremism | | | | JPB568 JPB597 |
| JPB367 | US Government and Politics | | | | JPB592 |

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| JPB595 | Justice in Politics and International Relations | | | | JPM769 |
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Bayreuth-Prague Double Degree courses: J#0217

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| Code | Course title | Course leader | Semester | Hours per week | Course assessment | ECTS credit points |
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| JPB132 | <u>Evolution of International Relations on the Map</u> | <u>Romancov</u> | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB135 | <u>Methodology of Social Sciences</u> | <u>Hájek Halamka</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB139 | <u>Political Systems in Comparative Perspective</u> | <u>Brunclík</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB180 | <u>BA Thesis Seminar I</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB181 | <u>BA Thesis Seminar II</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 7 |
| JPB197 | <u>Introduction to International Relations</u> | <u>Tesař</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB248 | <u>Introduction to Security Studies</u> | <u>Karásek</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB277 | <u>Geopolitics and World Order</u> | <u>Riegl</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB331 | <u>Institutional Economics</u> | <u>Schwarz</u> | WS | 2/0 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB339 | <u>Introduction to Political Theory</u> | <u>Franěk</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB363 | <u>Comparative Economics</u> | <u>Semerák</u> | SS | 2/2 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB368 | <u>Ethics and Economics</u> | <u>Cahlík</u> | WS | 2/2 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB701 | <u>Logic and Theory of Argumentation</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB702 | <u>Foundations of Mathematics</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB703 | <u>Introduction to Philosophical Analysis</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB704 | <u>Introduction to Philosophical Analysis II - Seminar</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 2 |
| JPB705 | <u>Ethics</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |

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| JPB706 | Microeconomics I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB707 | Political Philosophy I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB708 | Ethics II - Seminar | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 2 |
| JPB709 | Wittgenstein Lecture | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 2 |
| JPB710 | Foundations of Decision Making | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB711 | Microeconomics II | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB712 | Macroeconomic I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB713 | Writing and Presentation | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB714 | Political Philosophy II - Seminar | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 2 |
| JPB715 | Theory of Knowledge I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB716 | Philosophy of Science I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB717 | Advanced Philosophy I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB718 | Macroeconomic II | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB719 | Advanced Economics | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB720 | Statistical Methods I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB721 | Practice I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB722 | Practice II | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |

Total number of credits: 161

Students participating in the Double Degree offered in cooperation with the University of Bayreuth must take ALL the mandatory courses listed in the above table in order to be awarded two degrees: BA in Politics, Philosophy and Economics from Charles University and BA in Philosophy and Economics from the University of Bayreuth. To reach the prescribed **minimum of 180 credits**, each Bayreuth-Prague Double Degree student has to take the following **elective courses**:

- (a) at least 2 courses from the Module Politics (see group 1a above)
- (b) at least 1 course from the Module Philosophy (see group 1b above)
- (c) at least 1 course from the Module Economics (see group 1c above)

Prague-Bayreuth Double Degree courses: J#0218

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| Code | Course title | Course leader | Semester | Hours per week | Course assessment | ECTS credit points |
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| JLB065 | English Academic Writing | <u>Kunzová</u> | WS/SS | 0/2 | Examination | 4 |
| JPB096 | Evolution of International Relations on the Map | <u>Romancov</u> | SS | 2/0 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB150 | Methodology of Social Sciences | <u>Hájek Halámka</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 7 |
| JPB151 | Political Systems in Comparative Perspective | <u>Brunclík</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB152 | Introduction to International Relations | <u>Tesař</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB153 | Introduction to Security Studies | <u>Karásek</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB156 | Introduction to Philosophy: A Global Approach | <u>Salamon</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB157 | Contemporary Political Philosophy | <u>Franěk</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB158 | Moral Philosophy and Value Theory | <u>Salamon</u> | WS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB159 | Introduction to Statistics | <u>Soukup Petrůšek</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB330 | Principles of Economics II | <u>Janský</u> | SS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB331 | Institutional Economics | <u>Schwarz</u> | WS | 2/0 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB332 | Economic History | <u>Doležalová</u> | SS | 2/1 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB333 | Comparative Economics | <u>Semerák</u> | SS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB362 | Principles of Economics I | <u>Janský</u> | WS | 2/2 | Examination | 6 |
| JPB701 | Logic and Theory of Argumentation | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB708 | Ethics II - Seminar | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 2 |
| JPB709 | Wittgenstein Lecture | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 2 |
| JPB710 | Foundations of Decision Making | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB715 | Theory of Knowledge I | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |

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| JPB716 | <u>Philosophy of Science I</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB723 | <u>Practice I-II</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 10 |
| JPB724 | <u>Interdisciplinary Seminar I</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB725 | <u>Interdisciplinary Seminar II</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 5 |
| JPB726 | <u>Advanced Philosophy I</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 15 |
| JPB727 | <u>Advanced Economics</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 20 |
| JPB728 | <u>Thesis</u> | <u>Salamon</u> | WS/SS | 1/1 | Examination | 13 |

Total number of credits: 180

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Study plan codes:

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