



**COURSE OF STUDY** Philosophical sciences LM78

**ACADEMIC YEAR** A:A: 2023-2024

**ACADEMIC SUBJECT** History of modern political thought

General information	
Year of the course	1
Academic calendar (starting and ending date)	February 25 <sup>th</sup> May 17 <sup>th</sup>
Credits (CFU/ETCS):	6 CFU
SSD	SPS/02
Language	Italian
Mode of attendance	optional

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Work schedule			
Hours			
Total	Lectures	Hands-on (laboratory, workshops, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours
150	42		108
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<b>Learning Objectives</b>	<i>Knowledge and ability to understand political processes and theoretical reflections around the nature of politics and the state, as well as their historical transformations. Ability to analyze current political dynamics and to establish communicative and interactive processes capable of influencing the mechanisms of elite formation. Ability to independently interpret contemporary history and the present.</i>
<b>Course prerequisites</b>	<i>Knowledge and ability of at least one foreign language and of the fundamental lines of modern and contemporary philosophy</i>

<b>Teaching strategie</b>	<i>Frontal teaching and seminars. Further bibliographical indications will be given during the course</i>
<b>Expected learning outcomes in terms of</b>	
<b>Knowledge and understanding on:</b>	Knowledge and understanding of political processes and theoretical reflections on the nature of political and the state, as well as their historical transformations. Ability to analyze current political dynamics and to set up



	communicative and interactive processes capable of influencing the mechanism of formation of elite.
<b>Applying knowledge and understanding on:</b>	Ability to continue the study autonomously throughout life( ability through the study of political-institutional mechanisms).Students must have developed those learning skills which are necessary for them to undertake further studies with a high degree of autonomy.
<b>Soft skills</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Making informed judgments and choices</i> Interpret historical and political events through.</li> <li>• <i>Communicating knowledge and understanding</i></li> </ul> <p>Ability to learn independently.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Capacities to continue learning</i> At the end of the courses the students will have to be able to learn the texts autonomously demonstrating that they have read a critical edition.</li> </ul>
<b>Syllabus</b>	
<b>Content knowledge</b>	<i>The critical analysis of the present in relation to its having become historical . As well as the necessary overcoming of social anomie. The finality of the course is the identification of the fundamental characteristics of modern democracy as it has been defined from Machiavelli to the present day. Through the reading of philosophical, historical and literary texts, the forms of consciousness that have marked the history of modern Europe will be identified.</i>
<b>Texts and readings</b>	<i>Gramsci, Nel mondo grande e terribile. Antologia degli scritti 1914-1935, a cura di G.Vacca ,Einaudi,Torino 2014; Karl Bracher , Il Novecento secolo delle ideologie,Laterza. Manuale di storia del pensiero politico, a cura di C.Galli, parte quarta e quinta ( '800 e '900 ).</i>
<b>Notes, additional materials</b>	<i>No additional teaching materials are provided.</i>
<b>Repository</b>	

<b>Assessment</b>	
Assessment methods	<i>Oral and or written examination</i>
Assessment criteria	<i>Verification of the Knowledge of the texts proposed in the course. Knowledge of the political and institutional mechanism of different national and European nations.</i>
Final exam and grading criteria	<i>Oral final exam</i>
<b>Further information</b>	Office hours are published on the teacher's web page..
	.These times are subject to change. Student are advised to check the teacher's web page and the department website for possible variations.