

國立台灣大學政治學系
比較政治理論教學大綱
(Comparative Politics)
(99 學年上學期)

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壹、課程內容

「比較政治」是政治學研究中一個非常重要的次領域，按照 Munck(2007)的整理分析，比較政治的研究一共經歷四次重大的變革，分別是：比較政府或憲法階段(1880-1920)、行為主義階段(1921-1966)、後行為主義階段(1967-1988)、第二次科學革命階段(1989-迄今)。各階段在研究主題的選擇、理論建構的策略，以及研究方法的運用上都有很大的差異。又如 Minck and Snyder(2007)兩人針對比較政治裡三個最主要的期刊，亦即 World Politics, Comparative Politics, Comparative Political Studies 作分析，歸納出在比較政治領域裡，目前並沒有存在一個具有主導性地位的研究典範，反而是多種研究議題、解釋理論與研究方法並存的現象。因此，本課程將先從比較政治理論的發展趨勢出發，接著談及比較政治的研究方法。隨後，將挑選一些熱門的研究主題，並介紹不同學者針對這些研究主題的爭議與看法。修讀此課程，希望同學能建立對比較政治理論有更清楚的認知與理解，培養未來研究比較政治領域的興趣。

貳、課程要求與評分標準

所有選課同學均需準時上課，關掉手機，並積極參與課堂的討論。本課程的授課大綱與內容大綱，將公佈在個人教學網站上，同學可自由前往下載參考。每單元授課方式，將由老師介紹該單元的理論背景、基本議題、理論主張與爭議，以及此議題對比較政治研究的重要性。之後，老師將選擇一些具有代表性的期刊論文（英文），每位同學必須選擇一篇論文，在第 6 週後（10/22）陸續安排時間進行分組討論，由老師擔任主持人，被指定的同學負責回答各種問題，其餘同學也可參與討論。分組討論後隔週，負責討論的每位同學必須繳交一份書面報告，逾期將被扣分。最後，每學期將舉行一次考試（筆試），在期末時舉行，考試範圍以學期授課的內容為主，分組討論的內容為輔。學期成績評量方式，同學上課出席與討論狀況佔總成績的 10%、書面報告佔總成績的 30%，期末考試佔總成績的 60%。

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肆、課程進度安排

99 學年上學期：

I. Introduction(9/17)

II. Theory: The Past and Present of Comparative Politics(9/24, 10/1 and 10/8)

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III. Methodology: How and Why Compare(10/15)

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IV. State and Identity(10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12) (10/22 開始進行小組討論)

Tilly, Charles. 1985. “War Making and the State Making as Organized Crime.” In Peter B. Evans, Dietrich Rueschemeyer, and Theda Skocpol, eds. *Bringing the State Back In*. New York: Cambridge University Press.
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Stepan, Alfred, Juan J. Linz, and Yogendra Yadav. 2010. “The Rise of ‘State-Nations’.” *Journal of Democracy*, 21(3): 50-68.

V. Democracy in Advanced Countries(11/19, 11/26, 12/3, and 12/10)

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VI. Transition to Democracy (12/17, 12/24, 12/31, and 1/7)

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Schedler, Andreas. 1998. "What Is Democratic Consolidation?" *Journal of Democracy*, 9(2): 91-107.

Diamond, Larry. 2008. "The Democratic Rollback: The Resurgence of the Predatory State." *Foreign Affairs*, 87(2): 36-47.

1/14. Final Quiz

Happy Winter Vacation!