

COURSE OUTLINE		
TERM: FALL 2020	COURSE NO: POL 340	
INSTRUCTOR:	COURSE TITLE: CITIZENSHIP AND BELONGING: FROM LOCAL TO GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES	
OFFICE: LOCAL: E-MAIL: @capilanou.ca	SECTION NO(S):	CREDITS: 3.0
OFFICE HOURS: TBA		
COURSE WEBSITE:		

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COURSE FORMAT

Three hours of class time, plus an additional hour delivered through on-line or other activities for a 15-week semester, which includes two weeks for final exams.

COURSE PREREQUISITES

45 credits of 100-level or higher coursework

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

This course provides a comprehensive overview of the main debates on citizenship in liberal democracies and the implications of globalization on those debates. The course will examine citizenship from the perspective of rights, participatory democracy and identity politics as expressed in cultural, ethnic, national, and gendered contexts. The course will also consider the degree to which globalization has de-territorialized and fragmented citizenship thereby raising new challenges about how community identity, civic ties, human rights, environmental stewardship and social justice are to be practiced and experienced.

COURSE NOTE

POL 340 is an approved Self and Society course for Cap Core requirements.

REQUIRED TEXTS AND/OR RESOURCES

Isin, Engin F. and Bryan S. Turner, eds., *Handbook of Citizenship Studies*. London: Sage Publications, 2002 (on reserve in the Capilano University library – available in print and “e” versions).

All additional readings are posted on the Course Moodle site

COURSE STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

On successful completion of this course, students will be able to do the following:

- Define and articulate connections between key concepts such as citizenship, democracy, liberalism, republicanism, feminism, pluralism, cosmopolitanism, civil society and globalization.
- Analyse how the politics and practice of citizenship is used by humans to negotiate political recognition, power and belonging both within and between states.
- Critically evaluate, through use of a number of different analytical tools, the major theoretical approaches to the politics and practice of citizenship.
- Research, evaluate, document, and synthesize information from library, online and media sources.
- Design and write a research “think” essay that demonstrates an understanding and critical evaluation of the course readings encountered during the term.

Students who complete this Self and Society course will be able to do the following:

- Identify potential root causes of local/global problems and how they affect local/global cultures, economies, politics, and policies.
- Assess and evaluate individual and collective responsibilities within a diverse and interconnected global society.
- Analyse the impact of colonialism and racism on Indigenous peoples.
- Synthesize a range of differing community perspectives on ethics and justice and explain how these perspectives can inform structural change.
- Explain how contexts (e.g. cultural, historical, colonial, economic, technological) shape identity formation and social structures.

COURSE CONTENT

WEEK-BY-WEEK SCHEDULE

PART I: CITIZENSHIP AND BELONGING: FRAMING THE DEBATE

1. Introduction to the Course
2. What is Citizenship and Why Does it Matter?
3. Historical Considerations: The Roots of Liberal-Democratic Citizenship

PART II: CITIZENSHIP AS RIGHTS, CITIZENSHIP AS DUTIES

4. Liberal Citizenship – Part One
5. Liberal Citizenship – Part Two
6. Republican Citizenship
7. Course Interlude # 1 – Writing Skills Work-Shop

PART III: CITIZENSHIP AS DIFFERENCE

8. Sexual Citizenship
9. Multicultural Citizenship
10. Aboriginal Nationalism

PART IV: CITIZENSHIP AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

11. Cosmopolitanism
12. Course Interlude #2 – Discuss Writing Projects

13. Creating Citizenship Locally and Globally
14-15. Final Exam Period

EVALUATION PROFILE

Participation 10%
Reflection Papers (3 X 5%) 15%
Class Presentation 10%
Op-Ed piece 15%
Research "Think" Essay 25%
Final Exam 25%
Total 100%

Participation:

Students are expected to attend classes, be on time, and to complete the readings. Participation grades will be based on punctuality, attendance, demonstration of knowledge of assigned readings, active and positive engagement in class discussions, and ability to raise critical questions and relevant, insightful and clear ideas in class.

GRADING PROFILE

A+ = 90 - 100	B+ = 77 - 79	C+ = 67 - 69	D = 50 - 59
A = 85 - 89	B = 73 - 76	C = 63 - 66	F = 0 - 49
A- = 80 - 84	B- = 70 - 72	C- = 60 - 62	

Incomplete Grades

Grades of Incomplete "I" are assigned only in exceptional circumstances when a student requests extra time to complete their coursework. Such agreements are made only at the request of the student, who is responsible to determine from the instructor the outstanding requirements of the course.

Late Assignments

Assignments are due at the beginning of the class on the due date listed. If you anticipate handing in an assignment late, please consult with your instructor beforehand. There may be penalties for late submission of assignments.

Missed Exams/Quizzes/Labs etc.

Make-up exams, quizzes and/or tests are given at the discretion of the instructor. They are generally given only in medical emergencies or severe personal crises. Some missed activities may not be able to be accommodated. Please consult with your instructor.

Attendance

Students are expected to attend all classes and associated activities.

English Usage

Students are expected to proofread all written work for any grammatical, spelling and stylistic errors. Instructors may deduct marks for incorrect grammar and spelling in written assignments.

Electronic Devices

Students may use electronic devices during class for note-taking only.

On-line Communication

Outside of the classroom, instructors will (if necessary) communicate with students using either their official Capilano University email or Moodle; please check both regularly. Official communication between Capilano University and students is delivered to students' Capilano University email addresses only.

UNIVERSITY OPERATIONAL DETAILS**Tools for Success**

Many services are available to support student success for Capilano University students. A central navigation point for all services can be found at: <https://www.capilanou.ca/student-life/>

Capilano University Security: download the [CapU Mobile Safety App](#)

Policy Statement (S2009-06)

Capilano University has policies on Academic Appeals (including appeal of final grade), Student Conduct, Academic Integrity, Academic Probation and other educational issues. These and other policies are available on the University website.

Academic Integrity (S2017-05)

Any instance of academic dishonesty or breach of the standards of academic integrity is serious and students will be held accountable for their actions, whether acting alone or in a group. See policy and procedures S2017-05 Academic Integrity for more information: <https://www.capilanou.ca/about-capu/governance/policies/>

Violations of academic integrity, including dishonesty in assignments, examinations, or other academic performances, are prohibited and will be handled in accordance with the Student Academic Integrity Procedures.

Academic dishonesty is any act that breaches one or more of the principles of academic integrity. Acts of academic dishonesty may include but are not limited to the following types:

Cheating: Using or providing unauthorized aids, assistance or materials while preparing or completing assessments, or when completing practical work (in clinical, practicum, or lab settings), including but not limited to the following:

- Copying or attempting to copy the work of another during an assessment;
- Communicating work to another student during an examination;
- Using unauthorized aids, notes, or electronic devices or means during an examination;
- Unauthorized possession of an assessment or answer key; and/or,
- Submitting of a substantially similar assessment by two or more students, except in the case where such submission is specifically authorized by the instructor.

Fraud: Creation or use of falsified documents.

Misuse or misrepresentation of sources: Presenting source material in such a way as to distort its original purpose or implication(s); misattributing words, ideas, etc. to someone other than the original source; misrepresenting or manipulating research findings or data; and/or suppressing aspects of findings or data in order to present conclusions in a light other than the research, taken as a whole, would support.

Plagiarism: Presenting or submitting, as one's own work, the research, words, ideas, artistic imagery, arguments, calculations, illustrations, or diagrams of another person or persons without explicit or accurate citation or credit.

Self-Plagiarism: Submitting one's own work for credit in more than one course without the permission of the instructors, or re-submitting work, in whole or in part, for which credit has already been granted without permission of the instructors.

Prohibited Conduct: The following are examples of other conduct specifically prohibited:

- Taking unauthorized possession of the work of another student (for example, intercepting and removing such work from a photocopier or printer, or collecting the graded work of another student from a stack of papers);
- Falsifying one's own and/or other students' attendance in a course;
- Impersonating or allowing the impersonation of an individual;
- Modifying a graded assessment then submitting it for re-grading; or,
- Assisting or attempting to assist another person to commit any breach of academic integrity.

Sexual Violence and Misconduct

All Members of the University Community have the right to work, teach and study in an environment that is free from all forms of sexual violence and misconduct. Policy B401 defines sexual assault as follows:

Sexual assault is any form of sexual contact that occurs without ongoing and freely given consent, including the threat of sexual contact without consent. Sexual assault can be committed by a stranger, someone known to the survivor or an intimate partner.

Safety and security at the University are a priority and any form of sexual violence and misconduct will not be tolerated or condoned. The University expects all Students and Members of the University Community to abide by all laws and University policies, including B.401 Sexual Violence and Misconduct Policy and B.401.1 Sexual Violence and Misconduct Procedure (found on Policy page <https://www.capilanou.ca/about-capu/governance/policies/>)

Emergencies: Students are expected to familiarise themselves with the emergency policies where appropriate and the emergency procedures posted on the wall of the classroom.