



## *Syllabus*

# *Structural Analysis of Netanyahu Governments: Governability against Democracy? - 56994*

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*HU Credits: 4*

*Responsible Department: Political Science*

*Academic year: 0*

*Semester: Yearly*

*Teaching Languages: Hebrew*

*Campus: Mt. Scopus*

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*Course/Module description:*

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*The course is a research workshop analyzing the crisis of legitimation in comparative manner in Israel both in theory and in empirical study.*

Course/Module aims:

*To develop a comparative framework for analyzing democracies  
To give comparative analysis of different democracies  
To develop analytical skills*

Learning outcomes - On successful completion of this module, students should be able to:

- Developing shared analytical framework*
- Working in research teams comparing countries*
- Comparing actors, institutions and ideologies*
- Independent research skills*

Attendance requirements(%):

*80% + active participation*

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: - Workshop research

- Team work*
- Lectures*
- Discussion*
- Case studies*

Course/Module Content:

- Crisis theory*
- Democratic theory*
- Party system change*
- Civil society change*

Required Reading:

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#### Additional Reading Material:

None

#### Grading Scheme:

#### Additional information:

None