

INDONESIAN POLITICAL SYSTEM

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course aims to provide students with an understanding of the political system in Indonesia from the beginning of independence to the present. The discussion in this course is divided into three major topic groups, namely the definition of the political system which includes units, functions, capacities, and the environment of the political system. The second topic is about the dynamics of interaction between the military, interest groups, the bureaucracy, and political parties in Indonesia. The third topic is the periodization of the Indonesian political system which includes Liberal, Guided Democracy, Pancasila, and democratic transition.

CREDIT

3 credit units

LECTURER



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SESSION THEMES

Session	Discussion	Sub-Discussion	Learning Strategy
1.	Introduction to the lecture	1. Lecturing draft	Lecture
		2. Learning contract	
		3. The importance of	
		studying the	
		Indonesian Political	
		System for IR students	
2.	Definition of political	1. Method of defining	Lecture, discussion and
	system	the concept	assignment
		2. Expert(s) opinion	
		on political system	
		3. Substantial points	
		in the definition of	
		political system	
3.	Elements related to political	1. The characteristics	Lecture, discussion and
	system	of political system	assignment
		2. The function of	
		political system	
		3. Political system	
		environment	
		4. Political system	
		capability	
		5. Political culture	
		6. Political	
		participation	
		7. Types of input	
4.	Function of input-output	1. Types of input	Learning, discussion and
		2. Political	assignment
		socialization and	
		recruitment	
		3. Articulation and	

		aggregation of	
		interests	
		4. Political	
		communication	
		5. Preparation,	
		implementation and	
		adjudication of	
		regulations	
5.	COMPETENCE TEST I	Concept of political	
		system	
6.	Interest groups	1. Definition and	Discussion and assignment
		typology of interest	
		groups	
		2. Channels used by	
		the interest groups	
7.	Political parties and	1. Definition of	Discussion and assignment
	elections	political party	
		2. Party systems	
		3. Election system	
8.	Military and politics	Military and politics	Discussion and assignment
9.	Bureaucracy	Bureaucracy and politics	Discussion and assignment
10.	COMPETENCE TEST II		
11.	The Indonesian political	1. Indicators of	Lecture and discussion
	system during the Guided Democracy and Parliamentary	political stability	
		2. People's	
		participation in	
		politics	
		3. Political	
		institutionalization	
		4. The economic and	
		social conditions of	

		the people	
		5. Relations dynamics	
		among Sukarno, the	
		Army and Political	
		Parties	
12	The New Order Indonesian	1. Presidential	Lecture and discussion
	political system	institute	
		2. Legislative body	
		3. Judicial body	
		4. Military in politics	
		5. Golkar and	
		Suharto's power	
		6. Bureaucracy in	
		politics	
13.	The Indonesian student movement	History and the role of the student movement within socio-political change in Indonesia	Lecture and discussion
14.	Explaining political life during the Transitional Democracy	Political life during the periods of Habibie, Gusdur and Megawati	Lecture and discussion
15.	Regional autonomy	What is regional autonomy?	
		How is the implementation of regional autonomy in the 'reform era?'	
16.	Contemporary political life	Contemporary political life	Lecture and discussion
17.	Review		
18.	COMPETENCE TEST III	Periodization of Indonesian Political System	

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