

## **POLSC 020 Introduction to Comparative Politics**

3 hours

### **Majors, Minors & Degrees:**

#### **Majors**

Global Studies (B.A., B.S.)

International Business (B.A.)

Political Communication (B.A., B.S.)

Political Science (B.A., B.S.)

#### **Minors**

Global Studies

International Affairs

Political Science

### **Departments/Programs:**

Political Science

This course provides an introduction to the concepts and methods of comparative politics. It highlights those factors that are common to all political systems and the ways in which political behavior and institutions differ between nations. It will achieve these goals by examining the problems that all political systems face: political violence, power transfer, public policy, and what role the government plays in the society.