

Master Course: *The Political, Economic and Cultural Consequences of Migration*

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Seminar time:

Introductory session: Thursday, 14th April 2016, 16:00-17:30

(Room 203, Gottfried-Keller-Straße 6)

Block 1: Saturday, 14th May 2016, 9:00-15:00 (S 65, 103 Philosophikum)

Block 2: Saturday, 28th May 2016, 9:00-15:00 (S 65, 103 Philosophikum)

Block 3: Saturday, 11th June 2016, 9:00-15:00 (S 65, 103 Philosophikum)

Course description

As the recent “refugee crisis” makes clear once again, the impact of immigration on host societies’ political, social and economic systems often leads to politically controversial discussions in both politics and media. The same also applies to the academic debate, where the impact of immigration is discussed in a wide area of sub-disciplines including political science, sociology, social-psychology and economics. The seminar offers an introduction into these debates and their dominant theories, including issues like the impact of immigration on social trust, attitudes towards migrants, the electoral success of Extreme Right Parties, and the welfare state. Critically examining empirical findings and discussing diverging theories and methodological approaches, the seminar focus on international-comparative and mainly quantitative studies.

Reading: All texts will be made available on the seminar’s ILIAS website.

Course Schedule

Date	Subject
14.4.	<p data-bbox="296 329 440 356"><u>Introduction</u></p> <p data-bbox="296 394 596 421">Obligatory literature: none</p> <p data-bbox="296 459 507 486">Further Literature: Freeman, Gary P., and Kessler, Alan E. 2008. "Political Economy and Migration Policy." <i>Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies</i> 34(4): 655-678.</p> <p data-bbox="296 589 1390 647">Reitz, Jeffrey G. 2002. "Host Societies and the Reception of Immigrants: Research Themes, Emerging Theories and Methodological Issues." <i>International Migration Review</i> 36(4): 1005-1019.</p>
14.5.	<p data-bbox="296 687 373 714"><u>Block I</u></p> <p data-bbox="296 752 884 779"><u>Subject 1: Attitudes towards migrants and migration</u></p> <p data-bbox="296 817 536 844">Obligatory literature: Fetzer, Joel S. 2000. <i>Public Attitudes Toward Immigration in the United States, France, and Germany</i>. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, ch. 1.</p> <p data-bbox="296 947 507 974">Further Literature: Di Giusto, Gerald M., and Seth K. Jolly. 2008. "French Xenophobia and Immigrant Contact: Public Attitudes toward Immigration." Conference Paper for the Annual Conference of the American Political Science Association, Boston, 28-31 August 2008.</p> <p data-bbox="296 1111 702 1137"><u>Subject 2: Migration and social trust</u></p> <p data-bbox="296 1176 536 1202">Obligatory literature: Putnam, Robert D. 2007. "E Pluribus Unum: Diversity and Community in the Twenty-first Century The 2006 Johan Skytte Prize Lecture." <i>Scandinavian Political Studies</i> 30(2): 137-174.</p> <p data-bbox="296 1305 507 1332">Further Literature: Gesthuizen, Maurice, Tom van der Meer, and Peer Scheepers. 2008. "Ethnic Diversity and Social Capital in Europe: Tests of Putnam's Thesis in European Countries." <i>Scandinavian Political Studies</i> 32(2): 121-142.</p> <p data-bbox="296 1469 635 1496"><u>Subject 3: Migrant integration</u></p> <p data-bbox="296 1534 536 1561">Obligatory literature: Ersanilli, Evelyn and Koopmans, Ruud. 2011. "Do Immigrant Integration Policies Matter? A Three-Country Comparison among Turkish Immigrants". <i>West European Politics</i>, 34: 2, 208 — 234.</p> <p data-bbox="296 1664 507 1691">Further Literature: Ruud Koopmans. 2010. Trade-Offs between Equality and Difference: Immigrant Integration, Multiculturalism and the Welfare State in Cross-National Perspective, <i>Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies</i>, 36:1, 1-26.</p>
28.5.	<p data-bbox="296 1856 379 1883"><u>Block II</u></p> <p data-bbox="296 1921 890 1948"><u>Subject 4: Is the welfare state a „migration-magnet“?</u></p> <p data-bbox="296 1986 536 2013">Obligatory literature: Boeri, Tito. 2006. "Migration Policy and the Welfare State." <i>Reinventing the Welfare State</i>, April</p>

	<p>2006.</p> <p>Further Literature: Bruecker, Herbert et al. 2002. "Welfare State Provision." <i>In Immigration Policy and the Welfare System: A Report for the Fondazione Rodolfo Debenedetti</i>, eds. Tito Boeri, Gordon Hanson, and Barry McCormick. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 66-90.</p> <p>Hanson, Gordon et al. 2002. "Fiscal Impacts of Immigration." <i>In Immigration Policy and the Welfare System: A Report for the Fondazione Rodolfo Debenedetti</i>, eds. Tito Boeri, Gordon Hanson, and Barry McCormick. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 232-249.</p> <p>Geddes, Andrew. 2003. "Migration and the Welfare State in Europe." <i>The Political Quarterly</i> 74(1): 150-162.</p> <p><u>Subject 5: Migration and redistribution</u></p> <p>Obligatory literature: Alesina, Alberto, and Edward L. Glaeser. 2004. <i>Fighting Poverty in the US and Europe: A World of Difference</i>. Oxford: Oxford University Press, ch. 1.</p> <p>Alesina, Alberto, and Edward L. Glaeser. 2004. <i>Fighting Poverty in the US and Europe: A World of Difference</i>. Oxford: Oxford University Press, ch. 6.</p> <p>Further Literature: Soroka, Stuart, Keith Banting, and Richard Johnston. 2003. "Immigration and Redistribution in a Global Era." Conference Paper for the Annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, Halifax, NS, May 29-June 1 2003.</p> <p><u>Subject 6: Ethnic diversity and welfare support</u></p> <p>Obligatory literature: Gilens, Martin. 1995. "Racial Attitudes and Opposition to Welfare." <i>The Journal of Politics</i> 57(4): 994-1014.</p> <p>Further Literature: Spies, Dennis C. and Alexander Schmidt-Catran. 2015. Migration, Migrant Integration and Support for Social Spending: The Case of Switzerland. <i>Journal of European Social Policy</i> (forthcoming).</p>
11.6.	<p><u>Block III</u></p> <p><u>Subject 7: Extreme Right Parties</u></p> <p>Obligatory literature: Arzheimer, Kai. 2008. "Protest, Neo-Liberalism or Anti-Immigrant Sentiment: What Motivates the Voters of the Extreme Right in Western Europe?" <i>Zeitschrift für Vergleichende Politikwissenschaft</i> 2(2): 173-197.</p> <p>Further Literature: Knigge, Pia. 1998. "The Ecological Correlates of Right-Wing Extremism in Western Europe." <i>European Journal of Political Research</i> 34(2): 249-279.</p> <p><u>Subject 8: The political integration of migrants</u></p> <p>Obligatory literature: Wüst, Andreas M. 2004. "Naturalised Citizens as Voters: Behaviour and Impact." <i>German Politics</i> 13(2): 341-359.</p>

Further Literature:

De la Garza, Rodolfo O., Angelo Falcon, and F. Chris Garcia. 1996.

Will The Real Americans Please Stand Up: Anglo and Mexican-American Support of Core American Political Values. *American Journal of Political Science* 40(2): 335-351.

Subject 9: Trade unions and employers' interest in migration

Obligatory literature:

Menz, Georg. 2011. "Employer Preferences for Labour Migration: Exploring 'Varieties of Capitalism'-Based Contextual Conditionality in Germany and the United Kingdom." *The British Journal of Politics and International Relations* 13(4): 534-550.

Further Literature:

Krings, Torben. 2010. "Trade Unions and Migrant Labour in the "Global Age": New Alliances or Old Antagonisms?" In *Labour Migration in Europe*, eds. Georg Menz, and Alexander Caviedes. Houndmills: Palgrave MacMillan, 101-123.