This course is an advanced graduate colloquium on international political economy. It focuses on the key issues in international political economy, such as trade, monetary policy, foreign investment, migration, globalization, development, foreign aid, national security, and international institutions and cooperation.

Requirements: The required readings are essential. This course will be run as a discussion group in which everyone is expected to participate and talk about the readings. In addition to the weekly readings, each student must write 4 short papers (about 3-5 pages), roughly one every other week, comparing and criticizing the readings. One of the papers must replicate the findings and advance the debate in one paper we read that week. Papers are due no later than Sunday noon, and we will discuss them in class. They should be emailed to the entire class. Each student is also responsible for presenting one of the readings in class each session. Students also need to write a research paper (about 30-40 pages) on some original research question. The paper will count for 50% of your grade; the rest of the grade will be based upon class participation (20%) and the short papers (30%).

For at least one of the short papers you will need to replicate and add to the findings of one of the empirical papers we read in the class. You will present this at one of the classes. We will make the datasets and do files used by the author available to you. They are marked with an * below. And some technical help will be provided. It is hoped that you use this as a way to apply your quantitative skills learned in the methods classes. The final paper may also use such data and analysis.

Some key book to read as an introduction:

Recent books by young IPE scholars of note:

PLEASE NOTE THERE IS READING FOR THE FIRST CLASS.

Week 1: Feb 4. Some History and Changes in IPE (216 pages)

Week 2: Feb 11: Theoretical Debates (154 pages)

Additional Readings:
Week 3: Feb 18. Trade and Domestic Politics (246 pages)

Additional Readings:

Week 4: Feb 25. Trade and International Politics (150 pages)


**Additional Readings:**


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**Week 5: Mar 4. International Monetary Politics. (171 pages)**

*We will move this to dinner sometime in the semester.*


*Additional Readings:*

**Week 6: Mar 11 Finance, Capital Mobility, Debt, and Money (143 pages)**
Additional Reading:


Week 7: Mar 25. FDI, MNCs and GVCs (134 pages)


Additional Readings:


Li, Quan, and Adam Resnick. 2003. “Reversal of Fortunes: Democratic Institutions and Foreign Direct Investment to Developing Countries.” *International Organization* 57 (1): 175–211.


Week 8: Apr 1. Foreign Aid, Natural Resources, and Development (187 pages)


Additional Readings:

Week 9: Apr 8. Migration, Labor and Globalization (152 pages)

Additional Readings:


Week 10: Apr 15. International Institutions and IPE (200 pages)


Additional Readings:


Week 11: Apr 22. IPE and National Security. China (188 pages)


Additional Readings:


**Week 12: Apr 29. Globalization & Populism (207 pages)**


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