



Study Plan Double Degree in Politics, Philosophy and Economics with Sciences Po Bordeaux University

Bachelor's Degree in Politics, Philosophy and Economics

1st year at Luiss – a.y. 2021/2022

| Courses attended at Luiss | ECTS | Recognition in SPB study plan | ECTS |
|---|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Academic English | 8 | | |
| Contemporary History | 8 | Contemporary History | 8 |
| Sociology | 8 | Sociology | 8 |
| Microeconomics | 8 | Economics | 8 |
| Statistics | 8 | Political Studies | 8 |
| Public Law | 8 | Public Law | 8 |
| Behavioural Economics and Psychology | 8 | English | 6 |
| History of Political Thought (Distributive Justice) | 8 | Second Foreign Language | 6 |
| Political Philosophy | 8 | Writing + Rhetoric | 8 |
| Lab and computer skills | 2 | | |
| Elements of mathematical analysis | 0 | | |
| Total | 74 | Total | 60 |

2nd year at Luiss – a.y. 2022/2023

| Courses attended at Luiss | ECTS | Recognition in SPB study plan | ECTS |
|----------------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| International Law | 8 | | |
| Political Science | 8 | SPB accepts and recognizes Luiss' second-year courses to be equivalent to a year of study at SPB | |
| Methods of Social Research | 8 | | |
| European Union Law | 8 | | |
| International Relations | 8 | | |



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| Macroeconomics | 8 | |
| Laboratory of data analysis for economics and political sciences | 6 | |
| Academic writing workshop | 0 | |
| Other activities | 4 | |
| Total | 58 | Total |

3rd year at SPB – a.y. 2023/2024

| Courses attended at SPB | ECTS | Recognition in Luiss study plan | ECTS |
|---|-------------|--|-------------|
| Theories of European Security and the EU | 8 | Core Abroad 1 | 6 |
| Comparative Public Law (Lecture) | 8 | Core Abroad 2 | 6 |
| African Actors in World Politics (Lecture) | 8 | Elective Abroad 1 | 6 |
| Writing and Rhetoric (Seminar) | 6 | Elective Abroad 2 | 6 |
| International Economy Issues (Lecture) | 8 | Political Economy of Development | 6 |
| Data Analysis (Seminar) | 6 | | |
| French as a Foreign Language (Italian for non-Italian Students) | 6 | Francese | 8 |
| International Relations (Seminar) | 6 | Elective Abroad 3 | 6 |
| Thesis | 4 | Final work | 4 |
| Total | 60 | Total | 48 |

Important Rules

- This study plan is designed for students taking part in the mentioned Double Degree Program and spending the academic year 2023/2024 at SPB.
- The list of courses to be taken abroad may be subject to changes should the academic offer at SPB be amended.
- Interested students are required to read and understand the study plan and its rules. These are to be considered binding to the successful completion of the double degree program. Changes to the study plan are usually not possible. Any request in this sense must be conveyed to the International Development Office and the Academic Coordinators, that will evaluate the request.



- The listed exams must be taken and passed in the academic year indicated in the scheme (not after). Any possible change must be formally authorized by the Academic Commission.
- During the mobility, students will be subject to the rules of SPB, including those related to exams, available retakes and grading.
- At the end of the program, if compliant with both Luiss and SPB academic requirements, students will obtain both the Certificat de fin d'Études Politiques de premier cycle (Bachelor's Degree in Political Studies) released by Sciences Po Bordeaux and the BA Degree in Politics, Philosophy and Economics (issued by Luiss).

Thesis

- Students will complete their theses during their mobility period at SPB (2023/2024) with two supervisors: one from each university.
- Students must respect the thesis procedures and deadlines from both institutions. Each institution will grade the final thesis according to its own standards.
- Students are required to complete all academic activities prior to defending the thesis at SPB.
- Students will graduate in Luiss in one of the following sessions: Summer session (July) or Autumn Session (October/November). Students are reminded that they are required to comply with the Luiss regular procedure regarding the thesis assignment, registration for the degree exam and upload of the thesis. For further information, please check the [following page](#).
- Students will upload their thesis at SPB during the Spring academic session, following the calendar for third-year students in the general track program. They will graduate at Sciences Po Bordeaux in the Summer session (June). An oral defense is not necessary at SPB at the bachelor's level. Students are also reminded that they are required to comply with the SPB regular procedure regarding the registration for the degree exam and upload of the thesis.

Conversion Table

Courses taken at SPB during the a.y. 2023/2024 will be transferred to the Luiss degree according to the following grade conversion table:

| SPB | Luiss |
|-------------|------------------|
| 16 - 20 | 30 e lode |
| 14 - 15,9 | 30 |
| 13 - 13,9 | 29 |
| 12 - 12,9 | 28 |
| 11,5 - 11,9 | 26 |
| 11 - 11,4 | 25 |
| 10 - 10,9 | 23 |
| < 10 | fail |

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While every effort will be made to provide students with complete, accurate and timely information, Luiss reserves the right to change, amend, modify or revoke the aforementioned program. Luiss is not responsible for any cancellation or modification due to events beyond its control. If the program is cancelled or modified for these reasons, Luiss will inform all interested students in a timely manner.

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