

Advanced Study Course: Global Justice and Advocacy

About the course

subject	Global Studies / Internationale udviklingsstudier / International Public Administration and Politics / Politik / Politik og forvaltning
activitytype	master course
Teaching language	English
Registration	<p>You register for activities through stads selvbetjening during the announced registration period, which you can see on the Study administration homepage.</p> <p>When registering for courses, please be aware of the potential conflicts and overlaps between course and exam time and dates. The planning of course activities at Roskilde University is based on the recommended study programmes, which should not overlap. However, if you choose optional courses and/or study plans that goes beyond the recommended study programmes, an overlap of lectures or exam dates may occur depending on which courses you choose.</p>
Detailed description of content	<p>This course covers advanced research on global justice campaigns and advocacy. It gives students a historical and theoretical overview of the development and increasingly global nature of social movements and the moral, ideological, and political implications of this development. This will include advanced methodological and theoretical knowledge of the groups operating across borders and beyond the reach of governments. Through case studies from different parts of the world and recourse to theories of civil society and global justice, students will discuss how we can make sense of 'action from below' in relation to some of the most important social movements today dealing with pressing issues such as the climate, migration, feminism, peace, and human rights. The first half of the course has a more conceptual and historical approach, whereas the last part of the course presents more casebased approaches.</p> <h3>Portfolio exam questions</h3> <h4>First assignment</h4> <p>Choose a justice movement and apply key theoretical concepts to analyze why it has developed as it has and how it globally advocates for justice. The maximum length of the assignment paper is 14,400 characters, including spaces.</p> <h4>Second Assignment</h4> <p>Choose and contrast two concepts / theoretical perspectives from the course and discuss their conceptions of justice and advocacy. The maximum length of the assignment paper is 14,400 characters, including spaces.</p>
Expected work effort (ECTS-declaration)	270 hours 26 hours Class presence and workshop participation 26 hours Preparation of student presentation 78 hours preparation for class, readings etc. (on average 6 hours preparation per week) 70 hours Exam assignment 1 70 hours Exam assignment 2
Course material and Reading list	<p>Course materials and readings are available either through the course moodle page or through the library databases. Readings primarily consist of research based academic articles and papers.</p> <p>Thomas Nagel, "The Problem of Global Justice," <i>Philosophy & Public Affairs</i> 33 (2), 2005. Sikkink and Kech, <i>Transnational advocacy networks in international politics</i>, in <i>Activists Beyond Borders</i>. Cornell University Press. Lawrie Balfour: "Reparations After Identity Politics," <i>Political Theory</i> 33 (6), 2005 Killingsworth, Matt, Matthew Sussex, and Jan Pakulski, eds. "Introduction: understanding violence and the state" in: <i>Violence and the State</i>. Manchester University Press, 2016.</p>
Evaluation- and feedback forms	Students will receive feedback from lecturers during class discussions and group work. There will also be peer learning elements of the course. Through examination. Course evaluation adheres to ISE and study board standards.
Administration of exams	ISE Studyadministration (ise-studyadministration@ruc.dk)
Responsible for the activity	Jacob Rasmussen (jacobra@ruc.dk)

ECTS	10
Learning outcomes and assessment criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialised knowledge and understanding of a particular topic within one of the three pillars in Global Studies • Advanced knowledge of academic and methodological debates related to the subject • Skills in selecting and critically applying relevant theories and methods • Skills in choosing relevant theories in order to investigate a problem area • Skills in communicating and discussing theories and empirical results • Competences in assuming responsibility for and reflecting on own learning and that of fellow students by actively participating in group work, presentations and discussions • Competences in critically, independently and creatively selecting and utilising academic literature relevant to a specific research question
Overall content	<p>The objective of the advanced study course is to provide the students with advanced knowledge and understanding within a specific research area covered by one of the three pillars in Global Studies: Global Politics, Global Sociology and Global Political Economy. At least two advanced study courses will be offered per semester. The courses offered will change every semester within the following subjects:</p> <p>Global Politics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International public sector organisations and global governance • Regionalisation and regional integration in international politics • International security • International law and human rights <p>Global Sociology:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Mobility and information flow • International political movements and social change • International civil society, law and defence • Contentious identities and new global actors <p>Global Political Economy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work and globalization • Natural resources and geopolitics • Trade, investment and global production networks • International Financial Economics
Teaching and working methods	The courses are based on lectures, but will also include other teaching and working methods such as group work, exercises, student presentations, peer feedback and field trips or guest lectures as well as other practical activities.
Type of activity	Elective course
Form of examination (p1)	<p>Individual written portfolio.</p> <p>The portfolio consists of 2 written products, that wholly or partially are developed during the course. For example, products can be exercise responses, speech papers for presentations, written feedback, reflection, written assignments. The preparation of the products may be subject to time limits.</p> <p>The character limit: maximum 28,800 characters, including spaces. The character limits include the cover, table of contents, bibliography, figures and other illustrations, but exclude any appendices.</p> <p>The portfolio's specific products and the (if relevant) recommended size (character limit) for the individual products are made public on study.ruc.dk before the course begins.</p> <p>The entire portfolio must be handed in at the same time. The submission deadline will be public on study.ruc.dk before the course begins.</p> <p>The assessment is individual and based on the entire portfolio.</p> <p>Assessment: 7-point grading scale.</p>
Form of Re-examination (p1)	Samme som ordinær eksamen
Exam code(s)	Exam code(s) : U40343

Course days:

Hold: 1

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 14-02-2022 14:15 til
14-02-2022 16:00

location 06.1-032 - teorirum (65)

Teacher Sune Haugbølle (suneha@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 28-02-2022 14:15 til
28-02-2022 16:00

location 06.1-032 - teorirum (65)

Teacher Jacob Rasmussen (jacobra@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 07-03-2022 14:15 til
07-03-2022 16:00

location 06.1-032 - teorirum (65)

Teacher Sune Haugbølle (suneha@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 14-03-2022 14:15 til
14-03-2022 16:00

location 06.1-032 - teorirum (65)

Teacher Jacob Rasmussen (jacobra@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 21-03-2022 14:15 til
21-03-2022 17:30

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location 06.1-032 - teorirum (65)

Teacher Silas Fehmerling Harrebye (silas@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 28-03-2022 14:15 til
28-03-2022 16:00

location 06.1-032 - teorirum (65)

Teacher Sune Haugbølle (suneha@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 04-04-2022 14:15 til
04-04-2022 16:00

location 06.1-032 - teorirum (65)

Teacher Silas Fehmerling Harrebye (silas@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 11-04-2022 14:15 til
11-04-2022 16:00

location 07.1-008 - undervisningslokale (60)

Teacher Jacob Rasmussen (jacobra@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 25-04-2022 14:15 til
25-04-2022 16:00

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location 05.1-032 - teorirum 05.1 (65)

Teacher Line Engbo Gissel (lgissel@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 02-05-2022 14:15 til
02-05-2022 16:00

location 07.1-008 - undervisningslokale (60)

Teacher Morten Koch Andersen (mkocha@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time 16-05-2022 14:15 til
16-05-2022 16:00

location 07.1-008 - undervisningslokale (60)

Teacher Sune Haugbølle (suneha@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time	19-05-2022 08:15 til 19-05-2022 10:00
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location	05.1-032 - teorirum 05.1 (65)
Teacher	Jacob Rasmussen (jacobra@ruc.dk)

Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy - Submission, portfolio (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time	15-06-2022 10:00 til 15-06-2022 10:00
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Global Civil Society, Justice and Advocacy - Resubmission, portfolio (GS, IDS, IPAP, PF, POL)

time	15-08-2022 10:00 til 15-08-2022 10:00
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