

Course and Examination Fact Sheet: Autumn Semester 2024

7,369: Industrial Policy and Sustainable Transition

ECTS credits: 4

Overview examination/s

(binding regulations see below)

decentral - Written work, Digital, Group work group grade (50%)

Examination time: Term time

decentral - Written work, Digital, Individual work individual grade (40%)

Examination time: Term time

decentral - Active participation, Analog, Individual work individual grade (10%)

Examination time: Term time

Attached courses

Timetable -- Language -- Lecturer

7,369,1.00 Industrial Policy and Sustainable Transition -- English -- Massoc Elsa Clara

Course information

Course prerequisites

There is no pre-requisite for this class. Basic knowledge in Economics and UE institutions are a plus.

Learning objectives

- The course will focus on the modalities of implementation of green industrial policies in the European context and encourage the students to discuss how green industrial policies may foster or impede the green transition.
- The students must encounter different and divergent perspectives in order to be adequately prepared for the interconnected, complex world in which they live and operate, the course will build on the literatures in international political economy, economics, law and business studies.
- The class will thus provide students with the analytical and empirical tools necessary to understand the complex challenges of the role of the state in fostering green finance, as well as with insights as to how integrate this complexity in effective decision-making.

Course content

• The green transition is not just a technical challenge, it is embedded in a complex web of private and public institutions at the domestic and international levels that may foster as well as challenge its enactment. The class will focus on how the green transition may be fostered or hindered by the implementation of industrial policy by states, which include the pursuit of goals such as growth, geo-economic advantage or the defence of national sovereignty. Building on the literature in international political economy and public policy, the class will provide students with the analytical and empirical tools necessary to understand the challenges of the green transition in a holistic way, as well as with insights as to how integrate this complexity in effective public policymaking.

Course structure and indications of the learning and teaching design

Note that the class is offered in Hybrid format, jointly with SciencesPo Paris.

- 6 weeks at SciencesPo (with HSG students joining online)
- 6 weeks at HSG (with SciencesPo students joining online)



Course literature

Students will find reading material on Canvas by the beginning of the term.

Additional course information

Note that the class is offered in **Hybrid** format, jointly with SciencesPo Paris.

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Examination information

Examination sub part/s

1. Examination sub part (1/3)

Examination modalities

Examination type Written work
Responsible for organisation decentral
Examination form Written work
Examination mode Digital
Time of examination Term time
Examination execution Asynchronous
Examination location Off Campus

Grading type Group work group grade

Weighting 50% Duration --

Examination languages Question language: English Answer language: English

Remark

Group policy report

Examination-aid rule

Free aids provision

Basically, students are free to choose aids. Any restrictions are defined by the faculty members in charge of the examination under supplementary aids.

Supplementary aids

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2. Examination sub part (2/3)

Examination modalities

Examination type Written work
Responsible for organisation decentral
Examination form Written work
Examination mode Digital
Time of examination Term time
Examination execution Asynchronous



Examination location Off Campus

Grading type Individual work individual grade

Weighting 40
Duration --

Examination languages Question language: English Answer language: English

Remark Memo

Examination-aid rule Free aids provision

Basically, students are free to choose aids. Any restrictions are defined by the faculty members in charge of the examination under supplementary aids.

Supplementary aids

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3. Examination sub part (3/3)

Examination modalities

Examination type Active participation

Responsible for organisation decentral

Examination form Oral examination

Examination mode Analog
Time of examination Term time
Examination execution Synchronous
Examination location On Campus

Grading type Individual work individual grade

Weighting 10% Duration --

Examination languages Question language: English Answer language: English

Remark

Participation oral & written

Examination-aid rule

Free aids provision

Basically, students are free to choose aids. Any restrictions are defined by the faculty members in charge of the examination under supplementary aids.

Supplementary aids

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Examination content

There are three parts: a written individual memo (40%), a group policy report (50%), and a participation grade (10%),



- The students write the **memo** at home about a specific area discussed in a class session, based on the readings. Within one week, students are required to immerse themselves into the subject matter of the problem assigned and formulate a reflected though "rough and ready" assessment of the question posed.
- The group policy report requires a substantiated engagement with one aspect of green industrial policy (a list of
 topics will be provided). The expectation is that students assess the problem from the perspective of different actors
 and weigh against disciplinary perspectives against each other and, finally, provide a decision with reasons.
- The **participation** grade rewards written (e.g in the discussion threads) and oral engagement in the class.

An exact description of the tasks and the expectations will be provided with the publication of the tasks.

Examination relevant literature

Students will find reading material on Canvas at the start of the term.

Please note

Please note that only this fact sheet and the examination schedule published at the time of bidding are binding and takes precedence over other information, such as information on StudyNet (Canvas), on lecturers' websites and information in lectures etc.

Any references and links to third-party content within the fact sheet are only of a supplementary, informative nature and lie outside the area of responsibility of the University of St.Gallen.

Documents and materials are only relevant for central examinations if they are available by the end of the lecture period (CW51) at the latest. In the case of centrally organised mid-term examinations, the documents and materials up to CW 42 are relevant for testing.

Binding nature of the fact sheets:

- Course information as well as examination date (organised centrally/decentrally) and form of examination: from bidding start in CW 34 (Thursday, 22nd August 2024);
- Examination information (supplementary aids, examination contents, examination literature) for decentralised examinations: in CW 12 (Monday, 18 March 2024);
- Examination information (supplementary aids, examination contents, examination literature) for centrally organised mid-term examinations: in CW 42 (Monday, 14 October 2024);
- Examination information (regulations on aids, examination contents, examination literature) for centrally
 organised examinations: two weeks before ending with de-registration period in CW 45 (Monday, 04
 November 2024).