Course Number PSC-243-01 **Course Description** This course offers a working knowledge of Latin America's current politics, trends, and challenges. Years after democratization, regular elections are in place, and support for democracy in the region seems widespread. Still, as local traditions infuse the principles of liberal democracy, politics in Latin America reveal unique traits. Exploring the political as an interpretive endeavor, the course's readings, assignments, and class discussions will help to identify key political institutions, traditions, and cleavages, as well as forms of agency and leadership, both in specific countries and at the regional level. Academic Term 22/FA Instructor Seri, Guillermina Location & Meeting Time Bailey Hall-104+ T/TH 01:55PM-03:40PM LEC Credits 1.00 Capacity 25 **Total Students** 19 **Common Curriculum** LCC SOCS **GCHF GSPE** Interdisciplinary Programs Latin American Studies Academic Department **Political Science** Field Of Study Political Science (PSC)