

CITIZENS AND ALIENS: **MODELS OF CITIZENSHIP IN THE E.U. AND U.S.**

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Seminar Overview:

Students are strongly encouraged to contact the instructors to express their particular goals and interests within the broad issue of citizenship, and how those fit into their current or future academic or professional plans. Hence, students should approach instructors by e-mail even before the beginning of the course.

In the first session of the C&A seminar (May 29), an extra 'wine and cheese session' will be scheduled for the most convenient date and time for the group, during which students will have a chance to get better acquainted with each other and with the teaching faculty. At that time, the instructors will also introduce their latest project: Future Citizenship (www.futurecitizenship.com)

Evaluation Requirements:

Between May 29 and June 5, each student must submit one 250-300 word (equiv. to half-page single spaced) response to each of the two challenges posted on the *Citizens and Aliens* blog (www.citizensandaliens.com).

Each student will be expected to give a short in-class oral report (no longer than 15 minutes) on one of the readings assigned (see below). Readings may be chosen by students on a first-come first-served basis. In case students have not chosen their reading before May 29, the instructors will assign one.

A 2000-2500 word paper (double spaced, Times New Roman 12) is due July 6, 2009.

Discussion Themes and Reading Assignments

Part 1 – Main Issues of Contemporary Citizenship

Section 1 - Friday, May 29, 2009. 6-8 p.m.

Introduction: Rights and Duties of Citizenship

- Kymlicka, Will, and Wayne Norman. 1994. "Return of the Citizen : A Survey of Recent Work on Citizenship Theory." *Ethics* 104 (2):352-81.

- Bauböck, Rainer. 2006. "Migration and citizenship : legal status, rights and political participation." In *IMISCOE reports*. Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press. [pp. 5-17]

Section 2 - Saturday, May 30, 2009. 3-5 p.m.

Identity and Belonging in Contemporary Political Communities

- Fukuyama, Francis. 2006. "Identity, Immigration, and Democracy." *Journal of Democracy* 17 (2):5-20.

Section 3 - Saturday, May 30, 2009. 5:30-7:30 p.m.

The EU: Citizenship in a Multi-State Political Association

- Schierup, Carl-Ulrik, Peo Hansen, and Stephen Castles. 2006. "Migration, Citizenship, and the European Social Model." In *Migration, citizenship, and the European welfare state : a European dilemma*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. [pp. 48-80]

Part 2 – Culture, Political Community and Integration

Section 4 - Friday, June 5, 2009. 6-8 p.m.

The Future of Citizenship

- Soysal, Yasemin Nuhoglu. 1998. "Toward a Postnational Model of Membership." In *The citizenship debates : a reader*. Gershon Shafir (Ed.). Minneapolis, MN, University of Minnesota Press. [pp. 189-217]
- Kivisto, Peter, and Thomas Faist. 2007. *Citizenship : discourse, theory, and transnational prospects*. Malden, MA, Blackwell Publishing. [pp. 122-140]

Section 5 - Saturday, June 6, 2009. 10-12 a.m.

Pluralism and Political Citizenship in the EU

- Schierup, Carl-Ulrik, Peo Hansen, and Stephen Castles. 2006. "What Creed in Europe?" In *Migration, citizenship, and the European welfare state : a European dilemma*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. [pp. 247-271]

Section 6 - Saturday, June 6, 2009. 12:30-14:30 p.m.

Multiculturalism and Political Citizenship in the US

- Smith, Rogers M. 1988. "The 'American Creed' and American Identity : The Limits of Liberal Citizenship in the United States." *The Western Political Quarterly* 41 (2):225-51.
- Pickus, Noah M. Jedidiah. 2005. *True faith and allegiance : immigration and American civic nationalism*. Princeton, N.J.: Princeton University Press. [Introduction, pp. 1-13]