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Course Code: 364.40973 (505955)

Course Title:
"Crime and Politics: Big Government’s Erratic Campaign for Law and Order"

Description:

During the 1980s, the electoral strategies and the social policies of the right-wing political parties on the national level were deeply aligned with broader ideological trends. This course aims to present a basic understanding of the criminal justice system and its impact on the political arena. The focus will be on the various aspects of criminal justice policy, including the role of politics in shaping crime and punishment. We will examine how political parties and public opinion influence the criminal justice system and how these factors are reflected in legislative and policy-making processes.

Course Requirements:

- Attendance at lectures.
- Participation in seminars on course topic.
- Submission of a short paper on a topic of personal interest.

Evaluation:

- Participation in course activities.
- Submission of seminar papers.
- Examination at the end of the course.

Recommended Reading:


Note: (*) indicates optional reading.


341.69 CRI 1999 (0505813)


356.6 KER (0503262).


364.132 VAR 2000 (0504791)


364.132 ROS (0549157)


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