



Department of Government

Good Governance and Global Corruption GOVT3070



Course Description

The World Bank estimates that worldwide about one trillion dollars per year is paid in bribes. This illegal activity leads to poor economic performance and human rights violations. This course examines the effects of corruption, identifies the contexts within which it flourishes, explores means of measuring it, and analyses the opportunity structure for corruption. The course also exposes students to other regional instruments of importance such as Inter-American Convention against Corruption, OECD Convention on Combating Bribery of Foreign Public Officials and the AU Convention, Council of Europe Conventions, OAS Convention, and EU Instruments.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course students should be familiar with the field of corruption research and policy, and will have developed analytical skills in assessing and responding to corruption. Students will be able to:

- Critically analyse types of corruption in different settings
- Evaluate interventions to control corruption
- Compare and contrast levels of corruption across the globe
- Explore strategies to prevent corruption

Day & Time: Mondays, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Room: GLT1

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