

<b>Course Number and Name</b>	PSCE 301 Comparative Politics and Government
<b>Intended Learning Outcomes</b>	At the end of the course students will be able to apply the different tools in comparative politics to analyze the various systems of government.
<b>Course Contents</b>	Introduction to Comparative Politics and Government: origin, development, nature; Approaches: constitutionalism, structural and functional analysis, system analysis, modernization approach, political culture, political socialization, political communication; Comparing Systems of Government: unitary and federal, cabinet and presidential; Comparing Political Systems: early developers-British, US and French Model, middle developers-Germany, late developers-Former USSR, experimental developers-South Africa.
<b>Assessment Strategy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Time of Assessment - End of the Year</li> <li>ii. Assessment Method - Written examination</li> </ul> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Assigned Percentage for each Component- 100%</p>
<b>Recommended References</b>	<p>Almond, G.A &amp; G.B.Powell, Comparative Politics: System, Process and Policy, Little Brown, Boston, 1978.</p> <p>Almond, G.A, G.B.Powell, K.Strom, J.R. Dalton, Comparative Politics: A World View, Longman, New York, 2000,</p> <p>Almond, G.A, G.B.Powell, Comparative Politics: A Developmental Approach, Little Brown and Company, U.S.A, 1966.</p> <p>Almond, G.A &amp; S.Verba, The Civic Culture, Little Brown, Boston, 1967.</p> <p>Bill, James, A &amp; Hardgrave, Robert, L., Comparative Politics: The Quest for Theory, University Press of America, 1981.</p> <p>Blondel, Jean (ed), Comparative Government: A Reader, Macmillan Press, London, 1975.</p> <p>Conway M. Margret &amp; Feigert, B.Frank, Political Analysis: An Introduction, Alley &amp; Bacon, Boston, 1972.</p> <p>Eckstein, H &amp; D.Apter, Comparative Politics, Free Press, New York, 1963. Green, December \$ Laura Luehrmann, Comparative Politics of the Third World: linkin Concepts and Cases, Viva Books Pvt Ltd, New York, 2004.</p> <p>Jan W.Von Deth, (Edi), Comparative Politics: The problem of Equivalence, Routledge, London, 1998.</p> <p>Rod Hague &amp; Martin Harrop, Comparative Government and Politics-An Introduction, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, 2004 (4th Edi).</p>