

## SYLLABUS

### “DOCUMENTARY ANALYSIS OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY” (PSC 477M-577M)

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(Three Credit Hours)

“Documentary Analysis of American Democracy” is a directed study course open to undergraduate students (Political Science 477M) and graduate students (Political Science 577M) for alphabetically graded credit.

(Alternatively, a variation of this course—“American Democracy”, PSC 478M-578M—may be taken for pass-fail credit. Students may enroll in either course, but not both.)

Consult with Admissions Office, Political Science Department, or Instructor for details and proper registration.

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The Course: This course consists of directed study of American democracy through a variety of documents and materials. The instructor will introduce students to the documents and will assign, direct, and supervise analytic research projects. The students must be prepared to work on these projects at a greater-than-usual level of independence and discretion. Academic credit will be awarded according to the nature of the assignment and the quality of student performance. This course may be taken for either alphabetically graded credit (PSC 477M-PSC 577M) or pass-fail credit (PSC 478M-PSC 578M); student should consult with the instructor for additional information.