



STATE MAKING, NATION BUILDING AND PUBLIC POLICY: A COMPARATIVE APPROACH

INSTITUTO BRASILEIRO DE Summary

ENSINO,

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PROGRAMA DE

MESTRADO

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PÚBLICA

The course focuses on the structure and functions of public bureaucracy and the organizations comprising it in various countries. Public administration involves those ongoing, publicly funded, and executed activities intended to carry out governmentally adopted public policies. The course will look at public administration from a conceptual and theoretical point of view and review the different structures, functions, and mechanisms for legitimization of public administration. In addition, the course will be guided by a humanistic viewpoint that recognizes that public administration takes place in organizations that are run by human beings and affected by culture, place, history and other pertinent humanistic influences.

Course Description

Carga Horária: 30h

Créditos: 02

Categoria: Optativa

The purpose of this course is to provide students with an overview of the basic concepts used to compare public administration across national settings. All public bureaucracies have goals (even if not clearly stated) and serve citizens, clients, or recipients. Comparative public administration aims to understand the different ways in which these bureaucracies organize and operate to achieve goals and deliver services and their effectiveness in doing so. As an academic study, comparative administration contributes to social knowledge by testing ideas about and concepts for comparing government organization and operation. It may provide ways to comparatively assess the extent to which public entities are producing desirable changes and benefits.



Módulo I

Leituras Obrigatórias

DEUTSCH, Karl Wolfgang; FOLTZ, William J. (Ed.). Nation building in comparative contexts. AldineTransaction, 2010.

Leituras Complementares

HUTCHISON, Marc L.; JOHNSON, Kristin. Capacity to trust? Institutional capacity, conflict, and political trust in Africa, 2000–2005. *Journal of Peace Research*, v. 48, n. 6, p. 737-752, 2011.



Módulo II

Leituras Obrigatórias

HEADY, Ferrel. Public Administration, A Comparative Perspective. CRC Press, 2001.

Leituras Complementares

KURTZ, Marcus J. Latin American state building in comparative perspective: Social foundations of institutional order. Cambridge University Press, 2013.



Módulo III

Leituras Obrigatórias

RAADSCHELDERS, Jos. Handbook of administrative history. Routledge, 2017.

Leituras Complementares



Módulo IV

Leituras Obrigatórias

RAADSCHELDERS, Jos; VIGODA-GADOT, Eran. Global dimensions of public administration and governance: A comparative voyage. John Wiley & Sons, 2015.

Leituras Complementares

GUY PETERS, B. The Politics of Bureaucracy. An Introduction to Comparative Public Administration. 2010.
