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FLS6359 Instituições
Políticas e Desigualdade: Teorias e Explicações
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I. Objetivo

O objetivo do curso é apresentar e discutir as abordagens da ciência política contemporânea acerca das relações entre instituições políticas e produção/redução das desigualdades. Esta será abordada apenas do ponto de vista da desigualdade entre indivíduos.

II. Justificativa da disciplina

A desigualdade tornou-se um dos temas centrais da análise comparada das instituições políticas. O curso se justifica pela necessidade de formar teórica e conceitualmente alunos de pós-graduação para desenvolver estudos comparados sobre o tema. III. Metodologia O curso será desenvolvido de forma presencial. Para cada aula, há leituras indicadas, que deverão ser realizadas previamente. Para cada aula, os alunos enviarão uma resenha das leituras obrigatórias, a serem entregues até às 18h do dia anterior à respectiva sessão.

III. Avaliação

A avaliação será baseada em nota composta pelos exercícios entregues a cada aula e por um trabalho final.

IV. Programa

• AULA 1: A redução da desigualdade via violência

Leitura obrigatória:

Scheidel, Walter (2017). The Great Leveler. Princeton: Princeton University Press. Introdução. Pp. 1-23. 2

Leituras complementares:

Kuznets, Simon (1955). Economic Growth and Income Inequality. The American Economic Review, Volume 45, Issue 1, Mar, pp. 1-28.

Piketty, T. (2014). O Capital no Século XXI. São Paulo: Intrínseca. Capítulos Sete (Desigualdade e Concentração: primeiras impressões) e Oito (Os dois mundos). Pp. 233-295.

Piketty, Thomas and Saez, Emmanuel (2014). Inequality in the long run. Science, 344 (6186), May, pp. 838-42.

Piketty, Thomas (2015). Putting Distribution Back at the Center of Economics: Reflections in the Twenty-First Century. Journal of Economics Perspectives, 29 (1); 67-88.

Alvaredo, Facundo; Atkinson, Anthony B.; Piketty, Thomas; Saez, Manuel (2013). The Top 1 Percent in International and Historical Perspective. Journal of Economics Perspectives, 27 (3): 3-20.

• AULA 2: A teoria do eleitor mediano

Leituras obrigatórias:

Meltzer, A. H. and Richard, S. F (1981). A Rational Theory of the Size of Government, Journal of Political Economy, 89, pp. 914-27.

Lupu, Noam and Pontusson, Jonas (2011). The Structure of Inequality and the Politics of Redistribution. The American Political Science Review, 105(2): 316-36.

Leituras complementares:

Downs, Anthony [1957](1999). Uma Teoria Econômica da Democracia. São Paulo: Edusp. Cap. 7

AULA 3: A dependência estrutural do estado em relação ao capital

Leitura obrigatória:

Przeworski, Adam. "A social-democracia como um fenômeno histórico". in: Przeworski, Adam. Capitalismo e Social-democracia. São Paulo, Companhia das Letras, 1989. Cap. 1.

Leituras complementares:

Przeworski, Adam and Sprague, John (1986). Paper Stones: A History of Electoral Socialism. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

Przeworski, Adam and Wallerstein, Michael (1988). Structural Dependence of the State on Capital. The American Political Science Review, 82 (1): 11-29.

Przeworski, Adam (2023). The future of social democracy. Ralph Miliband Memorial Lecture, delivered at the London School of Economics on June 7, 2023.

• AULA 4: Regimes de bem-estar social e a teoria das relações de poder

Leituras obrigatórias:

Esping-Andersen, G. (1991). As três economias políticas do Welfare State. In: Lua Nova, No. 24.

Huber, Evelyne; Machtei, Itay; Stephens, John D. (2023). Testing Theories of Redistribution: Structure of Inequality, Electoral Institutions, and Partisan Politics. LIS Working Paper Series, No. 854, February.

Emanuele, Vincenzo & Trastulli, Federico. (2024). Left governmental power and the reduction of inequalities in Western Europe (1871-2020). Perspectives on Politics. 10.1017/S1537592724000628.

Leituras complementares:

Arretche, Marta T. S. (1995). "Emergência e desenvolvimento do Welfare State: teorias explicativas". In: BIB: Boletim Bibliográfico de Ciências Sociais, No. 39

Batista, Cristiane (2008). "Partidos Políticos, Ideologia e Política Social na América Latina: 1980-1999", DADOS. Revista de Ciências Sociais, 51 (3): 647-86.

Bradley, David; Huber, Evelyne; Moller, Staphanie; Nielsen, François; Stephens, John D. (2003). Distribution and Redistribution in Post-industrial Societies. World Politics, 55, pp. 193-228.

Castles, Francis (1986). Social Expenditure and the Political Right: a methodological note. European Journal of Political Research, 14: 669-76.

Castles, Francis G. and Obinger, Herbert (2007). Journal of European Social Policy, 17(3): 206-22.

Hibbs Jr., Douglas A. (1977). Political Parties and Macroeconomic Policy, The American Political Science Review, LXXI(4): 1467-1487, December.

Huber, Evelyne; Pribble, Henny; Nielsen, François, Stephens, John D. (2006). Politics and Inequality in Latin America and the Caribbean, American Sociological Review, 71: 943-63.

Huber, Evelyne and Stephens, John D. (2013) Democracy and the Left. Social policy and inequality in Latin America. Chicago: The University of Chicago Press. Capítulo 2 (Theoretical Framework and Methodological Approach).

Kingstone, Peter and Young, Joseph (2009). Partisanship and Policy Choice. What's Left for the Left in Latin America? Political Research Quarterly, 62 (1): 29-41.

• AULA 5: O Papel das Instituições

Leituras obrigatórias:

Acemoglu, D; Naidu, S.; Restrepo, P. and Robinson, J. (2015). "Democracy, Redistribution, and inequality", in: Atkinson, A. Bourguignon, F. (2015). Handbook of Income Distribution. Volume 2B. Oxford: North-Holland. Pp.1885-1960. 4

Iversen, T. and Soskice, D (2006). Electoral Institutions and the Politics of Coalitions: why some democracies redistribute more than others, American Political Science Review, 100(2): 165-181.

Leituras complementares:

Acemoglu, Daron and Robinson, James A (2015). The Rise and Decline of General Laws of Capitalism. Journal of Economic Perspectives, 29 (1): 3-28.

Acemoglu, Daron; Johnson, Simon; Robinson, James A. Acemoglu (2005). Institutions as a Fundamental Cause of Long-Run Growth, in: Handbook of Economic Growth, Edited by Philippe Aghion and Steven N. Durlauf. Elsevier. Chapter 6.

• AULA 6: Arenas de veto

Leitura obrigatória:

Immergut, Ellen M (1996). "As Regras do Jogo: A lógica da política de saúde na França, na Suíça e na Suécia", in: Revista Brasileira de Ciências Sociais, (30) 11: 139-63.

Leituras complementares:

Immergut, Ellen M. (1992). Health Politics. Interests and Institutions in Western Europe. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Tsebelis, George, and Jeannette Money. 1997. Bicameralism. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Tsebelis, George. 1997. Processo decisório em sistemas políticos: Veto players no presidencialismo, parlamentarismo, multicameralismo e multipartidarismo. Revista Brasileira de Ciências Sociais 12 (34): 89-118.

• AULA 7: Teorias da Captura do estado

Leituras obrigatórias:

Page, Benjamin and Gilens, Martin (2017). Democracy in America? What has gone wrong and what we can do about it. Cap 2 (Unequal Wealth Distorts Politics?) and Cap 3 (Thwarting the Will of the People).

Achen, Christopher and Bartels, Larry (2016). Democracy for realists: why elections do not produce responsive government. Cap 1 (Democracy Ideas and Reality), Cap 2 (The Elusive Mandate: elections and the mirage of popular control), cap 3 (Tumbling down into a democratic republic: “pure democracy” and the pitfalls of popular control).

Leituras complementares:

Bartels, Larry (2008). Unequal Democracy. Cap 9 (Economic Inequality and Political Representation). Pp. 252-282.

Elkjaer, Mads Andresa and Iversen, Torben (2024). Democracy, class interest, and Redistribution, in: Lupu (Noam) and Pontusson, Jonas (2024). Unequal Democracies: Public Policy, Responsiveness, and Redistribution in an Era of Rising Economic Inequality. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Pp. 54-97.

Gilens, Martin (2012). Affluence and influence: economic inequality and political power in America. Princeton: Princeton University Press. Cap 3 (The Preference/Policy Link) e Cap 4. (Policy Domains and Democratic Responsiveness) Pp. 70-123

Karabarbounis, Loukas. 2011. “One Dollar, One Vote.” Economic Journal, 121:621–651.

Scheve, Kenneth and Stasavage, David (2017). “Wealth Inequality and Democracy”, Annual Review of Political Science, 20:451–68.

Mathisen, Ruben; Schakel, Wouter; Hence, Svenja; Elsässer, Lea; Persson, Mikael; Pontusson, Jonas (2014). Unequal Responsiveness and Government Partisanship in Northwest Europe, in: Lupu (Noam) and Pontusson, Jonas (2024). Unequal

Democracies: Public Policy, Responsiveness, and Redistribution in an Era of Rising Economic Inequality. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Pp. 29-53.

• AULA 8: O papel dos interesses organizados

Leitura obrigatória:

Hacker, Jacob S. and Pierson, Paul (2010). Winner-Take-all Politics: Public Policy, Political Organization, and the Precipitous Rise of Top Incomes in the United States. *Politics & Society*, 38 (2): 152-204.

Leituras complementares:

Becher, Michael and Stegmüller, Daniel (2024). Organized interests and the Mechanisms behind unequal representation in legislatures, in: Lupu (Noam) and Pontusson, Jonas (2024). *Unequal Democracies: Public Policy, Responsiveness, and Redistribution in an Era of Rising Economic Inequality*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. Pp. 133-76.

Hacker, Jacob S. and Pierson, Paul. (2014). After the "Master Theory": Downs, Schattschneider, and the Rebirth of Policy-Focused Analysis. *Reflections*, 12 (3): 643-62.

Pierson, Paul (ed.) (2001). *The New Politics of the Welfare State*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Pierson, Paul (1994). Dismantling the Welfare State? Reagan, Thatcher, and the Politics of Retrenchment. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Pierson, Paul (ed.) (2001). Coping with Permanent Austerity: welfare state restructuring in affluent democracies, in: Pierson, P. *The New Politics of the Welfare State*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

• AULA 9: Crise e retração do welfare state

Leituras obrigatórias:

Pierson, P. (2001). "Coping with Permanent Austerity: Welfare State Restructuring in Affluent Democracies", in: Pierson, P. (ed.). *The New Politics of the Welfare State*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Arretche, Marta and Souza, Pedro H. G. f. (2024). When incumbents successfully retrench big and popular social policies: policy design matters, *Journal of Public Policy*, pp. 1-22.

Leituras complementares:

- Levy, J. D. (1999). "Vice into virtue? Progressive Politics and welfare reform in Continental Europe", *Politics & Society* 27(2): 239-73.
- Hacker, J. S. (2004). Privatizing risk without privatizing the welfare state: the hidden politics of social policy retrenchment in the United States, *The American Political Science Review*, 98(2): 243-60.
- Huber, E. & Stephens, J. (2001). *Development and crisis of the welfare state: parties and policies in global markets*, Chicago: Chicago University Press.
- Myles, J. & Pierson, P. "Friedman's revenge: the reform of 'liberal' welfare states in Canada and United States", *Politics and Society*, 25: 443-472.
- Pierson, P. (1994). *Dismantling the Welfare State? Reagan, Thatcher, and the Politics of Retrenchment* Cambridge University Press.
- Pierson, Paul (2001). "Post-industrial Pressures on the Mature Welfare States", in: PIERSON, P. (ed.). *The New Politics of the Welfare State*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Pierson, P. (1996). "The New Politics of the Welfare State", in: *World Politics*, 48(2):143-79.
- Swank, Duane (2001). "Political Institutions and Welfare State Restructuring: the impact of institutions on social policy change in developed democracies", in: Pierson, P. (ed.). *The New Politics of the Welfare State*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

• AULA 10: A Política da Queda da Desigualdade na América Latina

Leituras obrigatórias:

- Fairfield, Tasha and Garay, Candelaria (2017). Redistribution under the Right in Latin America: Electoral Competition and Organized Actors in Policy Making. In: *Comparative Political Studies*. Volume 50 (14): 1871–1906.
- Feierherd, G.; Larroulet, P.; Long, W.; Lustig, N (2023). The Pink Tide and Income Inequality in Latin America. *Latin American Politics and Society*, 65 (2): 110-44.

Leituras complementares:

- Birdsall, Nancy; Lustig, Nora; McLeod, Darryl (2011). *Declining Inequality in Latin America: Some Economics, Some Politics*. Working Paper, 1120, Tulane University.

Lustig, Nora (2015). Inequality and Fiscal Redistribution in Middle Income Countries: Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Indonesia, Mexico, Peru, and South Africa. Center for Global Development. Working Paper 410.

Roberts, Kenneth M. (2012). The politics of inequality and redistribution in Latin America's post-adjustment era, WIDER Working Paper, No. 2012/08.

• AULA 11: Desigualdade e Polarização Política

Leituras obrigatórias:

Barbosa, Pedro (2024). Inequality or redistribution? The determinants of political polarization in Latin America (mimeo)

Samuels, D.; Mello, F.; Zucco, C. (2024). Polarization and Perceptions of Status Gain and Loss: The Case of Brazil (mimeo)

Leituras complementares:

Grechyna, D. (2016). On the determinants of political polarization, Economic Letters, 114: 10-14.

McCarthy, Poole, K. T.; Rosenthal, H. (2008). Polarized America: The Dance of Ideology and Unequal Riches. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Rueda, David (2005). Insider-outsider Politics in Industrialized Countries: the challenge to social democratic parties. The American Political Science Review, 99 (1): 61-74.