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The Center for Public Policy and the Social Sciences

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PBPL 40: Economics of Public Policymaking

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The course will use the basic tools of economics to analyze the most significant current public policy issues in the United States. Given the time constraints of the course, we will focus on the issues that the current presidential administration is confronting. The goal is to understand both the substance and politics of each issue. We will examine the effects of recent policy changes and analyze the likely effects of current reforms, particularly those that are being debated in the political arena now.

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