### SYLLABUS DE COURS

**Intitulé du cours :** Violence and Politics  
**Nom de l’enseignant :** CALVINI-LEFEBVRE  
**Prénom :** Marc  

**Périodicité :**  
- Annuel ☐  
- Semestriel (1) ☐  
- Semestriel (2) ☐  

**Niveau d’enseignement concerné :**  
- 1ère année ☐  
- 2ème année ☐  
- 4ème année Master 1 ☐  
- 5ème année Master 2 ☐  
- Cours spécifique étudiants internationaux ☐  
- Conférence de Méthode ☐  
- Cours Magistral ☐

**Objectifs pédagogiques du cours :**
The principal aim is to explore, with the assistance of major works of political theory and historical case studies, the fraught relationship between violence and politics. This will raise a series of questions, namely:  
- Is the State truly an antidote to interpersonal violence?  
- Can liberation be achieved through violence or is violence a trap?  
- Is non-violence viable?  
- What makes mass extermination possible?  
- Is political violence gendered?

**Contenu / descriptif du cours :**
After defining the concept of “political violence”, this course divides up into three sections:  
- Section one, Violence and Political Order, explores debates in the Western world surrounding the idea that the State is the best solution to the problem of interpersonal violence. (...)  
- Section two, Violence and Political Change, explores the contrasting traditions that emerged from decolonisation with respect to the question of achieving political change through violence. (...)  
- Section three, Violence and Political Bodies, takes up the theme broached by Fanon in section two by exploring two ways in which political identities are shaped by political violence. (...)

**Indications bibliographiques :**