Law, Politics & Society (1 cr)
Instructor: Dr. Kevin McMahon

This course examines the role of law in society and politics, with a particular focus on the United States and Italy (with site visits in Rome, and to Bologna, Florence, and Sicily). We will approach law as a living museum displaying the central values, choices, purposes, goals, and ideals of society. Topics covered include: Murder and Death in America, the Mafia and the Italian State, Trials and Society, Violent and non-violent political movements, political assassination, and restorative justice. Throughout, we will be concerned with law and its relation to cultural change and political conflict.

This course fulfills a 200-level major requirement in political science at Trinity College.

Application Deadline: MARCH 1, 2020
www.trincoll.edu/studyaway