

L-838-UTRI. Iceland's Foreign Policy. Course Outline

1. 25 Aug. Introduction. "Let us accept the challenge"!
2. 1 Sept. Formative Cold War Years. A Small State between the Superpowers, 1944-1961
3. 8 Sept. Vital Interests. Iceland and the Law of the Sea, 1945-1961
4. 15 Sept. "Independent People". Iceland and European Integration, 1951-1970
5. 22 Sept. Cod War and Cold War, 1971-1989
6. 29 Sept. Into Europe. The EEA, EU and Iceland, 1989-2008
7. 6 Oct. "On the edge of nowhere"? The End of the Cold War and the US presence, 1989-2006
8. 13 Oct. Iceland and the UN (special emphasis on the UN Security Council elections)
9. 20 Oct. Essay week. Submission of drafts (no class)
10. 27 Oct. The Icelandic "Outvasion". Icelandic Entrepreneurs abroad, 1999-2008
11. 3 Nov. New Responsibilities. Peacekeeping and Development Aid
12. 10 Nov. "The Small State Phenomenon". Iceland's Place in the World at the Start of the 21st Century.

13. 17 Nov. The Future of Iceland's Foreign Relations: A Discussion at the Foreign Ministry.

14. 24 Nov. Summary. Essay Discussion.