

Revised Lecture/reading schedule

Topic	Date(s)	Assigned readings	Notes
I. Introduction	Sept. 3		
II. Unidimensional spatial model	Sept. 8	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 1, pp. 3–22, 45–46	Problems will be assigned at the end of class
III. Constitutional origins of Congress	Sept. 10	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 2; Appendix B. Stewart, “The Constitutional Origins of Congress” (available on the Stellar site)	Roundtable
NEW SCHEDULE BELOW; VESTIGE OF OLD SCHEDULE ABOVE			
IV. Origin & development of Congress	Sept. 24	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 3	Roundtable
	Sept. 29		
V. Congressional candidates	Oct. 1	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 4 Dodd & Oppenheimer, chaps. 4 & 6	Roundtable
	Oct. 6		
VI. Congressional voters	Oct. 8	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 5	Roundtable
	Oct. 15		Roundtable
	Oct. 20		
	Oct. 22		Roundtable
VII. Regulating congressional elections	Oct. 27	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 6 Dodd & Oppenheimer, chap. 5	
	Oct. 29		Roundtable
	Nov. 3		Midterm
	Nov. 5		Class (probably) cancelled
	Nov. 10		Class cancelled—Veterans day vacation
VIII. Multidimensional spatial model	Nov. 12	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap 1, pp. 22–45	Roundtable Problems will be distributed at the end of class
IX. Congressional parties & leadership	Nov. 17	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 7 Dodd & Oppenheimer, chaps. 8–10	(Election debrief)
	Nov. 19		Roundtable Hand in problems that were distributed on Nov. 12.
X. Congressional committees	Nov. 24	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 8 Dodd & Oppenheimer, chaps. 11&12	
	Nov. 26		Class cancelled—Thanksgiving
	Dec. 1		
XI. Rules of the chamber/ Roll call voting	Dec. 3	<i>Analyzing Congress</i> , chap. 9	Roundtable
	Dec. 8		

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XII. Review/wrap-up	Dec. 10	Mayhew (all) Dodd & Oppenheimer, chaps. 3, 16, & 18	Roundtable