



FACULTY OF POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

ADDITIONAL TRAINING OBLIGATION (OFA) of READING COMPREHENSION (AND LOGIC)

■ **COURSE OF STUDY:**

- Communication management – COMMA
- International relations and global affairs – IRGA
- Criminology

■ **PROFESSORS:**

- Roberta Baldi, James Rock

■ **TIMETABLE OF THE COURSE:**

Date	Time	Professor (mode)
Saturday 10 January 2026	9.00-11.00 AM	Baldi (remote)
Saturday 17 January 2026	9.00-12.00 AM	Baldi (remote)
Saturday 24 January 2026	9.00-11.00 AM	Baldi (remote)
Saturday 31 January 2026	9.00-11.00 AM	Rock (remote)
Saturday 7 February 2026	9.00-12.00 AM	Rock (remote)
Saturday 14 February 2026	9.00-11.00 AM	Rock (remote)
Saturday 14 March 2026 (final exam)	9.00-10.00 AM	Rock, Baldi (remote)

■ **HOW TO ACCESS THE OFA COURSES:**

The OFA courses can be attended remotely accessing your iCatt page:

- select the "Blackboard courses" item
- click on the link of the course of interest

Please note: enrolment in the "OFA in Blackboard" course will be done automatically by the system.

Therefore, you are not required to enrol yourself. Please note that the system will carry out enrolment for all those who are in OFA debt up to the day before the start of the OFA course. Once this threshold has been exceeded, the system will no longer carry out further enrolments for the course for the specific session, and interested students will necessarily have to refer to the next edition of the OFA course to which they will always be automatically enrolled by the system.



- **ADDITIONAL TRAINING OBLIGATION (OFA) EXAMINATION:**
- The Final Assessment will be held online on **Saturday 14 March 2026 at 9.00 a.m.**
- **You will have to register for the Final Examination on your own** using the usual registration feature for exam dates available in iCatt within two weeks (from 25 February to 10 March 2026), i.e. no later than four days prior to the date of the **Final Examination** mentioned above.
Please note: the system enables registration for the **Final Examination** only if at least 70% of the lessons have been attended. In addition, for registration to be successful, it is necessary to select **the committee chairperson, Professor Amanda Clare Murphy**. If the above instructions are not followed, it will not be possible to register for the Final Examination
- If you wish to forego taking the **Final Examination** and postpone it until the end of a later edition, **you must cancel your registration** no later than the day before the date of the **Final Assessment**.