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Report on Course Bidding at SAIS Bologna, Fall 2013

Following preliminary registration on September 20, the status of capped courses was as follows:

	Course	Professor	Enrolled	Limit
1	War, Democratization and Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa, I	Kuehne, Winrich	14	16
2	Theory & Practice of Int'l Peacekeeping	Kuehne, Winrich	15	16
3	Weak and Failed States	Belding, William	36	20
4	Strategy And Policy	Cesa, Marco	35	25
5	Economic Migrants, Refugees & Human Security	Jessen-Petersen, Soren	52	20

There was also a slight imbalance between the two sections of Microeconomics, but this leveled out during the first week of class.

1. This course had not met at time of writing, but it is unlikely that they will need to go to bid.
2. As above
3. An additional section was offered for *Weak and Failed States*, the need to bid was averted.
4. Strategy and Policy is a required course for Strategic Studies concentrators, so enrollment priority was given to students in that concentration. The enrollment number exceeded the number of Strategic Studies majors so no other students could be accommodated.
5. Bidding was announced by email to the Classof2014@jhuc.it on Thursday afternoon (Sept. 26). Students were required to be registered for the course by 8 pm that evening in order to be eligible to bid. Bidding ran online on the BCWeb from 2 pm on Friday through 2 pm on Saturday. Results were announced by email on Sunday.

Bidding details are below:

Course:	Economic Migrants, Refugees and Human Security (SA.650.726.20)
Professor:	Jessen-Petersen
Limit:	20
Preliminary Enrollment:	52
Enrolled at time of bidding:	45
Number who actually bid:	36
Highest Bid:	1001
Lowest Bid:	111
Average Bid:	414
Clearing Price: (lowest successful bid)*	385