Chapter 20

**Knowledge based**

1. What are the main stages of the policy cycle, and how does this concept enhance our understanding of policy-making?
2. Which actors—societal and political—participate in the single stages?
3. What is the role of political institutions in policy-making?
4. How can we define normative and cognitive frames?
5. What are national policy styles?

**Critical thinking**

1. How can we think of policy-making in terms of theory?
2. In which ways are policy typologies related to the policy-making process?
3. Which theoretical concepts cope with the effects of internationalization on domestic policy-making?
4. What are the mechanisms behind these concepts? And how do they interact with domestic policy-making?
5. Does internationalization matter empirically?