COURSE DETAIL

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
Country Hong Kong
Host Institution Chinese University of Hong Kong
Program(s) Chinese University of Hong Kong
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Geography Environmental Studies Development Studies
UCEAP Course Number 104
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
UCEAP Transcript Title SUSTAINABLE DEVELOP
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description
This course addresses fundamental issues related to the idea of sustainable development. Sustainable development is based upon three criteria: environmental protections, social progress and economic development. This course discusses various reasons why the present path of development is unsustainable, and the solutions to make the world a more sustainable place. It presents case studies pertaining to Hong Kong and examples from other parts of the world to illustrate the interconnections among processes in different regions and across geographical scales. Topics include: transgenic agriculture; sustainability and urban living space; pollution versus development; limits to growth; impacts of rich and poor on the environment; and resource management.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
GRMD2401/UGEC2171

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

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Geography & Resource Management

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