COURSE DETAIL

DEVELOPMENT AND POLITICAL INSTITUTIONS

Country

Sweden

Host Institution

Uppsala University

Program(s)

Uppsala University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

122

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

DEVELOPMENT AND POLITICAL INSTITUTIONS

UCEAP Transcript Title

DEV&POL INSTITUTNS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

The course consists of two themes that are derived from connected dimensions of the relations between the exercise of state power and various identities and forms of organization in society in different regions in the global south: i) democracy, ii) political identities. The course discusses both these themes in relation to economic and social development. The first theme discusses forms of political rule and introduces different explanations of democracy and authoritarian rule. The theme also discusses theories of how these forms of political rule are related to levels of development. The second theme discusses how different political identities are connected to the organization of political institutions. This theme pays special attention to the question of how national identities are linked to other political identities based on gender, class, ethnicity, and religion, how identities affect and are affected by the organization of state institutions, and how this in turn is linked to issues of conflict and stability.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

2SK153

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Host Institution Course Details

https://www.uu.se/en/admissions/exchange/courses/list/coursedescription/?kKod=...

Host Institution Campus

Uppsala University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Department of Government

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