

COURSE DETAIL

EMERGING ASIA: ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION IN EAST AND SOUTH EAST ASIA

Country

Sweden

Host Institution

Lund University

Program(s)

Lund University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Economics

UCEAP Course Number

169

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

EMERGING ASIA: ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION IN EAST AND SOUTH EAST ASIA

UCEAP Transcript Title

ECON TRANSFORM ASIA

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

The course explores and explains the historical processes of rapid industrialization and socio-economic modernization in Pacific Asia. First, fundamental factors and forces behind the rise of Asia's first industrial nation, Japan, are analyzed. Japan is also contrasted against the early failures of modernization in Imperial China. Secondly, explanations are provided for the emergence of Taiwan, South Korea, Singapore, and Hong Kong as Newly Industrialized Countries after 1960. Thirdly, the more recent industrial development in the ASEAN countries is studied, with reference to current trends and forces of globalization in the region. Themes such as agricultural modernization, rural industrialization, expansion of trade, impact of foreign investments and patterns of regional integration are explored and evaluated. Concepts such as developmental state, export-led growth, and growth with equity are employed and critically analyzed.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

EKHE42

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Host Institution Campus

Economics and Management

Host Institution Faculty**Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Economic History

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