

# COURSE DETAIL

## DIVIDING THE WORLD

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

University of Lyon 2

**Program(s)**

University of Lyon

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Geography

**UCEAP Course Number**

101

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

DIVIDING THE WORLD

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

DIVIDING THE WORLD

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## **Course Description**

Using an approach over several disciplines, such as meta-geography, geopolitics, geohistory, cartography (ancient and contemporary) and the epistemology of geography (including the history of the discipline), this class looks at the divisions of the world. This class addresses topics such as: the measure of time and space while considering region, scale, and temporality; the geohistorical dispersion of the human genus on Earth and corresponding representation (Brandt, Hungington, Saïd); limits and conventions of continents; invented continents (Lemutian, Atlantis); rotundity and stature of the earth, looking at projections and the prime meridian, epistemic changes, quantifications and visualization; the "cosmographic revolution", definition, delimitation and cartography of the sea; the modern mapping device; and the invention of the Far East and the Middle East.

## **Language(s) of Instruction**

French

## **Host Institution Course Number**

2BAGA034

## **Host Institution Course Title**

DÉCOUPAGES DU MONDE

## **Host Institution Course Details**

## **Host Institution Campus**

LYON 2

## **Host Institution Faculty**

## **Host Institution Degree**

## **Host Institution Department**

Geography

## **Course Last Reviewed**

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