

## COURSE DETAIL

### CHINESE CULTURAL REVOLUTION

**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)**

Asian Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

121

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

CHINESE CULTURAL REVOLUTION

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

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**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

This class introduces the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution (1966-1976) in China, a landmark event that defines the early history of the People's Republic of China. The course begins with an overview of the Cultural Revolution in Chinese history and Mao's vision of a new China. It then examines the Cultural Revolution from various perspectives, from elite politics in Beijing to local factional struggles and international receptions; from the Red Guard movement to Sent-down Youth; and from the Mao cult and extreme violence to everyday life experience. Four decades later, the legacy of the Cultural Revolution has not faded as it remains a contentious issue in Chinese life and politics.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

CHES2100,UGEC2431

## Host Institution Course Title

THE CULTURAL REVOLUTION

## Host Institution Course Details

## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

China Studies

## Course Last Reviewed

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