COURSE DETAIL

THE ETHICS OF CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

Country
United Kingdom - England

Host Institution
University College London

Program(s)
University College London

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science

UCEAP Course Number
156

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
THE ETHICS OF CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

UCEAP Transcript Title
ETHICS/CRIME&PUNISH

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units
4.00

Course Description
This course explores what is arguably the paradigmatic exercise of state power: the decision to criminalize some conduct, and accordingly to punish those who engage in it. It gives students an opportunity to think about these and other issues in an intellectual search for the moral principles that ought to govern how crime and punishment are approached. Each week, students read and argue with each other about important work in contemporary political, moral, and legal philosophy, applying what they learn to pressing political controversies.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
POLS0030

Host Institution Course Title
THE ETHICS OF CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

Host Institution Course Details
https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-at-ucl/modules/pols0030...

Host Institution Campus
University College London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Political Science

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