COURSE DETAIL

URBAN GEOGRAPHY
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Utrecht University – University College Utrecht
Program(s) University College Utrecht
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology Geography
UCEAP Course Number 104
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title URBAN GEOGRAPHY
UCEAP Transcript Title URBAN GEOGRAPHY
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course offers an introduction to the study of urban geography. The course discusses the identification of socio-spatial developments in urban areas, in particular those that are related to ongoing economic restructuring, as well as the concept of “urban landscape” which reflects the historical evolution and current developments of a wide range of social-cultural phenomena. The course examines topics including socio-spatial developments in urban areas; the interpretation of these developments by placing them in a relevant economic, political, and socio-cultural context; potential explanations for varying spatial developments; spatial behavior of individuals and households; and the identification and analysis of characteristics of areas and the effects of these characteristics on the behavior of the residents and other users. The course consists of lectures, student presentations, and discussions. Students participate in two field trips, group research, and the creation of a walking tour in Utrecht. The course requires the completion of the equivalent of an Introduction to Human Geography course as a prerequisite.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
UCSSCGEO21

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Geography

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