COURSE DETAIL

THE ROOTS OF THE REFUGEE CRISIS IN GERMANY
Country Germany
Host Institution Free University of Berlin
Program(s) Free University Berlin
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) German Film & Media Studies European Studies
UCEAP Course Number 126
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title THE ROOTS OF THE REFUGEE CRISIS IN GERMANY
UCEAP Transcript Title REFUGEE CRISIS GER
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description
Since the refugee crisis in 2015, migration has become one of the most important topics of political debate in Europe. The seminar shows that the conflict has its roots not predominantly in cultural and political differences, but that the media and their presentation of refugees and migrants has played an important role in the process of political polarization. In order to understand the roots of the refugee crisis, the course looks at migration in Germany and at the representation of migration in German media in the second half of the twentieth century. It takes into account facts, figures, and statistics and analyzes German television programs (in translation), paying particular attention to political framing concerning the use of language and visual images.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
16880

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