

COURSE DETAIL

COMPARING WELFARE STATES - PHILOSOPHICAL AND SOCIOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES ON THEIR FUNCTIONS, FORMS, AND FOUNDATIONS

Country

Germany

Host Institution

Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s)

Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

125

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

COMP WELFARE STATES

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course introduces students to various philosophical and sociological perspectives for analyzing and comparing welfare states. After defining the basic varieties of welfare states, the course explores how individuals interact with the welfare state and the role that politics, family, and the market have on the funding and distribution of welfare programs. To this end, students examine in depth several case studies from different countries. The course also incorporates philosophical justifications for each type of welfare state as well as any social justice implications.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

530734

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Host Institution Campus**Host Institution Faculty**

KULTUR-, SOZIAL- UND BILDUNGSWISSENSCHAFTLICHE FAKULTÄT

Host Institution Degree**Host Institution Department**

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