COURSE DETAIL

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND WORK

Country

Hong Kong

Host Institution

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)

Program(s)

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology

UCEAP Course Number

50

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND WORK

UCEAP Transcript Title

SCIENCE/TECH & WORK

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

The course examines the growing integration of science and technology in our workplaces, the impact of science and technology on the direction of work, the workplace and even capitalism itself. The course investigates how science and technology have been key factors in shaping work since at least the beginning of factory production and generally explores the interactions between science, technology and work since that period. Students examine a range of topics and readings from history, sociology and anthropology of the workplace. This course also includes comparative discussions of science and technology as it is integrated into the workplace in industry as compared to the services.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SOSC1150

Host Institution Course Title

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND WORK

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

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Social Science

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