

# COURSE DETAIL

## HISTORY AND POLITICS OF GLOBAL MIGRATION

**Country**

Netherlands

**Host Institution**

Leiden University College

**Program(s)**

Leiden University College

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science International Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

101

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

HISTORY AND POLITICS OF GLOBAL MIGRATION

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

HIST&POL MIGRATION

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

This course examines how migration has shaped the modern world. Most of the focus is dedicated to what has occurred since the 1800s. The course starts in week 1 by looking at the various theories put forward to explain why people migrate and what effect this has for the sender communities, the receiver communities, and for migrants themselves. It then turns to more empirical examples of migration. Each week a different type of movement is examined. One weekly seminar is dedicated to an historical case study, while the other weekly seminar focuses on a more contemporary case study on a related type of movement. Topics covered include slavery, colonial and post-colonial migration, labor migration, internal migration, and asylum. Due to the global nature of the course, texts include studies concerning Africa, North America, Europe, Asia, the Caribbean, the Middle East, the Gulf States and Australia. Through this course, students are enabled to consider contemporary migration debates from historical perspectives.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

5890LU035Y

## Host Institution Course Title

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## Host Institution Course Details

## Host Institution Campus

Leiden University College, The Hague

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

World Politics

## Course Last Reviewed

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