

COURSE DETAIL

THE INSTITUTIONALIZATION OF THE AGE COHORT IN A TRANSNATIONAL PERSPECTIVE

Country

Germany

Host Institution

Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s)

Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Education

UCEAP Course Number

101

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

AGE COHORT TRANSNTL

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course approaches the history of the institutionalization of the age cohort in a transnational perspective. The age cohort is a grouping form in which bureaucratic guidelines sort students into grades according to their age. The course covers other grouping forms such as denomination and gender, in addition to subject-specific ways of sorting, which group students according to their level of performance. The implications of age grouping are discussed along with the resulting forms of measurement, sorting, and selection which tend to move towards homogenization. The institutionalization process is analyzed in its regional, national, and transnational dimensions, using the United States as an example of an early adopter of the age group. As part of this, different types of sources –primarily statistics and text documents– are taken into account.

Language(s) of Instruction

German

Host Institution Course Number

54173

Host Institution Course Title

DIE INSTITUTIONALISIERUNG DER JAHRGANGSKLASSE - TRANSNATIONALE PERSPEKTIVEN AUF EIN SCHULISCHES ORGA

Host Institution Course Details**Host Institution Campus**

KULTUR-, SOZIAL- UND BILDUNGSWISSENSCHAFTLICHE FAKULTÄT

Host Institution Faculty**Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Erziehungswissenschaft

Course Last Reviewed

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