COURSE DETAIL

CONTENTIOUS ELECTORAL POLITICS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA
Country Denmark
Host Institution University of Copenhagen
Program(s) University of Copenhagen
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) South & SE Asian Studies Political Science
UCEAP Course Number 106
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title CONTENTIOUS ELECTORAL POLITICS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA
UCEAP Transcript Title ELECT POL/SE ASIA
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course examines recent developments in the contentious electoral politics of three Southeast Asian countries: Indonesia, Thailand, and the Philippines, with some comparative references to Burma/Myanmar. Following a brief review of the case countries, the course adopts a thematic approach, first reviewing the character of the state, including national mythologies and the historical role of the military. It then explores aspects of transition, including the changing political economy, the rise of electoral politics, the role of religion and media, and the phenomenon of rally politics. Challenges to national elites from the regions is also closely scrutinized. These themes and issues have a broader relevance to wider debates in comparative politics which students explore in their written assessment.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Faculty of Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree
Bachelor

Host Institution Department
Department of Political Science

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