

COURSE DETAIL

SOCIAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

Country

Australia

Host Institution

University of New South Wales

Program(s)

University of New South Wales

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

115

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

SOCIAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course covers the basic principles of research and theory in social psychology, with a special emphasis on understanding how people relate to each other. Issues such as the nature of human sociability, the perception and interpretation of social behavior, ambiguities of interpretation of interpersonal behavior, verbal and nonverbal communication processes, impression formation and impression management, and related topics will be covered. The course also covers developmental psychology, including the age at which certain abilities or dispositions develop or are learned, and the processes by which developmental changes occur. Issues such as nature and nurture, continuity vs discontinuity, nomothetic vs ideographic approaches, and the methods and ethics of developmental research will be covered from various perspectives— psychodynamic, biological/ethological, environmental/learning, and cognitive-developmental.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PSYC2061

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SOCIAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

Host Institution Campus

New South Wales

Host Institution Faculty

Psychology

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Psychology

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