COURSE DETAIL

UN-MOTORIZED TRANSPORT REGIMES AND THEIR SOCIO-TECHNICAL SYSTEM

Country
Germany

Host Institution
Technical University Berlin

Program(s)
Technical University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Philosophy History

UCEAP Course Number
106

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
UN-MOTORIZED TRANSPORT REGIMES AND THEIR SOCIO-TECHNICAL SYSTEM

UCEAP Transcript Title
UNMOTORZD TRANSPORT

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units
3.00

Course Description
This seminar examines how low-profile and low-impact transport regimes, such as walking and biking, are only possible when a large socio-technical system is built for them. The final goal is to address technology as a mundane, banal, and ubiquitous element in everyday life. Europeans can travel as easy as never experienced before: fewer or no visa restrictions, low cost, and plenty of opportunities are the rally cries of today´s idea of mobility. The seminar addresses the technologies in use, the role of users and relevance of the governance. The aim is to define both the bright and dark sides of this phenomenon, well summarized by the advertising campaign “Generation EasyJet”.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
3131 L 311

Host Institution Course Title
UN-MOTORIZED BUT STILL TECHNOLOGY-DRIVEN: HORSE, WALKING AND CYCLING IN THE CITY

Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
FAKULTÄT I GEISTES- UND BILDUNGSWISSENSCHAFTEN

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Kultur und Technik

Course Last Reviewed

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