

# COURSE DETAIL

## GLOBAL ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL HISTORY

**Country**

Italy

**Host Institution**

University of Commerce Luigi Bocconi

**Program(s)**

Bocconi University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

History Economics

**UCEAP Course Number**

116

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

GLOBAL ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL HISTORY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

GLBL ECON SOC HIST

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## **Course Description**

This course focuses on understanding how the interconnected world economy and the global economy emerged historically and how globalization transformed economies and societies around the world. The course learns that globalization has not been a one-way street and that modern history witnessed periods of both increasing and diminishing globalization. The course provides students with the tools for understanding economic and social change in a historical and global perspective. The teaching material helps students develop critical thinking and narrative skills. The course examines how the global economy emerged in the past and how globalization transformed macro regions of the world. The first part of the course traces the connection between western expansion and the rise of the global economy from the 16th to 19th centuries and explains what factors - social, cultural, and technological - limited early globalization. The course studies how growing prosperity in Europe compared with the development of other world regions. The second part of the course discusses globalization and deglobalization in the industrial age and the shifts of global economic power they brought about. The course discusses modern economic history in a global context and focuses mainly on non-European regions.

## **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

## **Host Institution Course Number**

30530

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## **Host Institution Campus**

Bocconi University

**Host Institution Faculty**

**Host Institution Degree**

**Host Institution Department**

Social and Political Sciences

**Course Last Reviewed**

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