# COURSE DETAIL

## ANTHROPOLOGY OF (DE)COLONIALITY: EPISTEMOLOGY, THEORY, AND PRACTICE

**Country**
Netherlands

**Host Institution**
Utrecht University – University College Utrecht

**Program(s)**
University College Utrecht

**UCEAP Course Level**
Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**
Anthropology

**UCEAP Course Number**
106

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

**UCEAP Official Title**
ANTHROPOLOGY OF (DE)COLONIALITY: EPISTEMOLOGY, THEORY, AND PRACTICE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**
DECOLONIZING ANTH

**UCEAP Quarter Units**
6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**
4.00

**Course Description**

This course introduces the richness, diversity, and potentials of anthropology in the world today. This course engages with questions regarding anthropology as a developing global discipline and the themes and theories it engages with. By reading contributions from leading anthropologists from different countries and anthropological traditions, this course gives voice to scholars outside the Global North. It shows the variety of methodologies, training, and approaches within the scholarly tradition of anthropology. The class focuses on various aspects of anthropological study: urban anthropology; the anthropology of global connections, focusing on politics and political economy; race and racism; and questions related to gender and sexuality. The course also focuses on the ways in which Euro-America has become the object of study for anthropologists, both from the Global South and the Global North. Students read (parts of) ethnographies of non-Western scholars regarding these issues produced in and thought from locations beyond the Anglo-American dominated Great Tradition. The course requires previous experience with Sociology or Cultural Anthropology.

**Language(s) of Instruction**
English

**Host Institution Course Number**
UCSSCANT26

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**Host Institution Course Details**
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**Host Institution Campus**
University College Utrecht

**Host Institution Faculty**
Social Science

**Host Institution Degree**

**Host Institution Department**
Anthropology

**Course Last Reviewed**
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