COURSE DETAIL

SURVEILLANCE: DATA, TECHNOLOGIES, PRACTICES
Country Norway
Host Institution University of Oslo
Program(s) University of Oslo
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Legal Studies
UCEAP Course Number 109
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title SURVEILLANCE: DATA, TECHNOLOGIES, PRACTICES
UCEAP Transcript Title SURVEILLANCE
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

Surveillance is an ever-expanding practice, that criminologists need to be equipped to address and assess. This course explores the many dimensions of surveillance in the management of populations, including crime control. It walks through key surveillance theories, moving from classic models to more recent understandings that take into account new surveillance technologies, as well as practices of resistance to surveillance. Core themes include the relation between the surveillant and the surveilled; different forms of surveillance in many contexts, as well as the actors and tools involved; surveillance as crime control and how it influences police work; and the societal effects and the politics of surveillance. Each session combines theoretical concepts and relevant empirical case studies of surveillance practices and considers readings from criminology, critical security studies, media studies, as well as science and technology studies.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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KRIM2957

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Law

Host Institution Degree
Bachelor

Host Institution Department

Criminology and the Sociology of Law

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