

# COURSE DETAIL

## RESEARCH METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY

**Country**

Ghana

**Host Institution**

University of Ghana, Legon

**Program(s)**

Explore Ghana, University of Ghana

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology

**UCEAP Course Number**

126

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

RESEARCH METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

RESEARCH METHODS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.70

**Course Description**

This course presents the essential elements of research methods in social science with an emphasis on sociological research. Topics include the conceptual framework of research, the research problem, sampling, methods and processes of research, research tools, data analysis, and report writing. Students learn to formulate and carry out a research project of their own. Texts: T.B.K. Kumekpor, RESEARCH METHODS AND TECHNIQUES IN SOCIAL INVESTIGATIONS; P.A. Twumasi, SOCIAL RESEARCH IN RURAL COMMUNITIES; E.C. Osuala, INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH METHODS; J.Y. Opoku, A SHORT GUIDE TO RESEARCH WRITING IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES AND EDUCATION; and Legon Journal of Sociology, vol. 1 and 2.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

SOCI305

**Host Institution Course Title**

RESEARCH METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY

**Host Institution Course Details****Host Institution Campus****Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Sociology

**Course Last Reviewed**

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