

COURSE DETAIL

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT IN EUROPE

Country

Denmark

Host Institution

University of Copenhagen

Program(s)

University of Copenhagen

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Environmental Studies

UCEAP Course Number

124

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT IN EUROPE

UCEAP Transcript Title

ENVRNMT MGMT/EUROPE

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course focuses on environmental management of natural resources (soil, water, biodiversity and climate) from a European perspective. It discusses how the European Union (EU) sets the policy frame for almost all environmental regulation in the member states, and how this frame determines both the possibilities and the limitations for carrying out environmental management and developing environmental solutions in the EU. The course commences with an introduction to the overall concept of environmental management and current state of the European environment. It introduces environmental management theory and application and how it incorporates environmental monitoring and assessment, areas of governance including EU environmental law, economic tools for environmental valuation and cost benefit analysis, and EU environmental policy and lobbying. The course features different EU environmental policy initiatives related to soil, water, biodiversity and climate (e.g. European Green Deal, the Habitat Directive, the Water Framework Directive, and the Soil Framework Directive). It details and analyzes how these initiatives originated, and how they are interpreted and implemented from the EU level to the national, regional, and local levels. The intertwined character of environmental, economic, and social consequences of EU environmental policies are discussed, addressing the need for a combined systems approach and environmental policy integration.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

NPLK22000U

Host Institution Course Title

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT IN EUROPE

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Science

Host Institution Degree

Master

Host Institution Department

Plant and Environmental Sciences/Food and Resource

Economics/Geoscience and Natural Resource Management

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