

COURSE DETAIL

PUBLIC HEALTH POLICYMAKING

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Maastricht University - University College Maastricht

Program(s)

University College Maastricht

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Political Science Health Sciences

UCEAP Course Number

120

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

PUBLIC HEALTH POLICYMAKING

UCEAP Transcript Title

PUBLIC HEALTH POLCY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course familiarizes students with: the epidemiology of mortality and disease; the determinants of health; the ageing of society and its implications for medical care; the unequal distribution of health; moral issues in public health; the economics of public health; health systems analysis; public health genomics; markets and public health; public health disasters. Students become familiar with public policymaking, including: the various components of public policy (values, objectives, instruments, policy paradigm); the concept of the policy cycle (problem recognition and definition, agenda building, policy formation, policy implementation, policy evaluation and feedback); theoretical approaches of public policy making (rational model, political model, institutionalist model); stakeholder and policy community analysis; types of state-society relationships (elitist model, pluralist model, corporatist model, regulatory agency model, communitarian model); the role of power in public policymaking.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SSC2053

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Host Institution Campus

University College Maastricht

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Social Sciences

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