COURSE DETAIL

POLITICS OF MEMORY AND REMEMBRANCE CULTURE IN GERMANY WITH REGARD TO NATIONAL SOCIALISM AND COLONIALISM

Country

Germany

Host Institution

Free University of Berlin

Program(s)

Free University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

160

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

POLITICS OF MEMORY AND REMEMBRANCE CULTURE IN GERMANY WITH REGARD TO NATIONAL SOCIALISM AND COLONIALISM

UCEAP Transcript Title

POLITICS MEMRY GER

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

The culture of remembrance in the Federal Republic of Germany is characterized by a critical handling of one's own past. Lately, German colonialism has become a point of controversy, as the arguments about the "Humboldt Forum" show. The seminar looks at the politics of memory in Germany, which has become an important field of action and career for political scientists. The course considers how the memory of National Socialism and colonialism has changed over the decades. The challenges of memorial sites and actors of political-historical education are covered along with the question of whether the politics of memory are about to be reoriented or whether the memory of colonial crimes should be embedded in the established culture of remembrance.

Language(s) of Instruction

German

Host Institution Course Number

15415

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