COURSE DETAIL

INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES ON EDUCATION

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Utrecht University

Program(s)

Utrecht University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

International Studies Education

UCEAP Course Number

110

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES ON EDUCATION

UCEAP Transcript Title

INTL PERSPECTVE EDU

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course focuses on studying education and training from an international perspective. It examines how global or international developments affect teaching and learning across continents and countries. Educational policies and practices of different countries with regard to specific themes are compared. An overarching framework focused on the complex interplay between economic, political, historical, social, and cultural factors, and how these factors affect national educational policies and practices is used. Topics that can be addressed during the course include cross-cultural perspectives on education; comparison of goals of education across nations; comparisons of educational systems through worldwide studies examining students' academic performance (e.g., PISA, TIMSS, PIRLS); comparison of educational policies with regard to themes such as inclusive education, learning problems, and students with educational disadvantages; the role of the government, non-governmental organizations (NGO's), and public organizations Internationalization of (higher) education. Students conduct an international comparative case study based on policy documents and scientific literature.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

201700026

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Utrecht University

Host Institution Faculty

Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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