COURSE DETAIL

DUTCH SOCIETY

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Utrecht University

Program(s)

Utrecht University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology International Studies Dutch

UCEAP Course Number

123

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

DUTCH SOCIETY

UCEAP Transcript Title

DUTCH SOCIETY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces the concept of national culture, and different approaches to studying national culture. It considers the construction of a national self-image as part of a public discourse, and explores the concept of "the other", and representations of other national cultures. Within such an intercultural framework, the course discuss selected case studies from contemporary Dutch society in an international context, e.g. the workings of the educational system, policies of toleration concerning ethical issues, the political stage and the rise of populism, and issues of religious and ethnic diversity. The handbook and supplementary texts present various disciplinary perspectives. Participants are encouraged to seek out and contribute representations of Dutch society from their own perspectives, thus exploring the dynamics of an intercultural context in the course.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

NE2V14002

Host Institution Course Title

DUTCH SOCIETY

Host Institution Campus

Humanities

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Languages, Literature, and Communication

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