COURSE DETAIL

MIGRATION, SETTLEMENT AND BELONGING

Country

United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution

University of Glasgow

Program(s)

University of Glasgow

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology

UCEAP Course Number

113

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

MIGRATION, SETTLEMENT AND BELONGING

UCEAP Transcript Title

MIGRATION&BELONGING

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

The course combines an exploration of key theoretical and conceptual frameworks from sociology and related disciplines with the analysis of empirical material foregrounding the perspectives of migrants themselves as well as political and policy perspectives. Central to the course is the exploration of key debates around citizenships, diversity, multiculturalism, belonging, and social cohesion. Students explore the role these debates play in migrants' sense of home and belonging, as well as look at how difference is experienced and negotiated on an everyday basis in UK cities and neighborhoods. Drawing from sociological, social-anthropological, and policy debates, the course addresses questions such as: what different forms of citizenship exist and how might these be practiced in society? How do migrants forge a sense of identity and belonging across geopolitical and cultural borders? What is the relationship between racial and ethno-cultural diversity and citizenship? What facilitates or hinders the integration of settled migrant groups and individuals? How do policies on migrant integration and multiculturalism compare across the UK, Scotland, and other European countries? What is their impact on the lives of migrant groups?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SOCIO4108

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

University of Glasgow

Host Institution Faculty

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Host Institution Department

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