COURSE DETAIL

TRANSITIONS TO ADULTHOOD: A MULTI-DISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVE

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

King's College London

Program(s)

King's College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology

UCEAP Course Number

106

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

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UCEAP Transcript Title

TRANSITN TO ADULTHD

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This interdisciplinary course aims to make sense of what it means for children to grow up into adults. It considers competing arguments that childhood has been extended in recent decades and that children are growing up "too fast," and it assesses the factors that contribute to a successful transition to adulthood. The course draws on perspectives from psychology, sociology, public health, cultural and environmental studies, anthropology, and geography. Students gain an understanding of the different perspectives from which this range of disciplines debate issues around transitions to adulthood, problematizing the key concepts and assumptions underlying these debates and critically examining processes of personal development and identity formation.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

6SSES008

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

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