

COURSE DETAIL

POST CRISIS ECONOMICS

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of London, Royal Holloway

Program(s)

University of London, Royal Holloway

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Economics

UCEAP Course Number

121

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

POST CRISIS ECONOMICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

POST CRISIS ECON

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces students to the way economists think about current world problems such as generational inequality or the “other” side of Adam Smith. The course also introduces students to the topic of economic growth or how wealth is created and how it is influenced by technological change and institutions. It examines how this wealth is distributed most efficiently, including situations such as who gets the kidney from the donor or which firms get a license to offer mobile phone services. Finally, the course returns to inter-generational inequality including how economists think about tuition fees and university funding in general. The course concludes with a discussion on the usefulness and future of economics as an academic discipline.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

EC1103V

Host Institution Course Title

POST CRISIS ECONOMICS

Host Institution Campus

Royal Holloway, University of London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Economics

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