COURSE DETAIL

POLITICAL ANTHROPOLOGY

Country
Ireland

Host Institution
University of Galway

Program(s)
University of Galway

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number
113

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
POLITICAL ANTHROPOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title
POLITICAL ANTHRO

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.00

UCEAP Semester Units
2.70

Course Description

The course begins with classical political anthropology's focus on non-Western political systems during the colonial era, using the example of "stateless societies." Students then examine anthropology's critique of colonialism and of classical anthropology, which includes themes of domination, resistance, and accommodation in colonial contexts. Students also focus on the concerns of political anthropology in the post-colonial era, in particular the problematics of modernization in states with large agrarian populations, the importance of local level politics and relations of power, and social movements and resistance.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SP469

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

NUI Galway

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Sociological and Political Studies

Course Last Reviewed

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