COURSE DETAIL

RACE ETHNICITY AND REPRESENTATION
Country Australia
Host Institution Australian National University
Program(s) Australian National University,International Security
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science
UCEAP Course Number 102
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title RACE ETHNICITY AND REPRESENTATION
UCEAP Transcript Title RACE ETHNICITY
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description
As industrialized societies become more diverse, there is a growing need to understand how ‘racial,' ethnic and religious minorities participate in politics and society. This course focuses on the political and social inclusion of migrant and ethnic minority (MEM) groups in Australia and other countries. It considers such questions as: Are there differences in the participation and voting behaviors of members from migrant and ethnic minority groups, compared to other citizens? Is there such a thing as the ‘ethnic vote'? What are the political behaviors of ethnic, ‘racial' and religious minorities in comparison to citizens from majority groups? What are the sources of mobilization for minority political participation? What are the individual, cultural and structural barriers to full participation among MEM groups within Western democracies? The course considers these questions in both an Australian and comparative context, and looks carefully at how contextual differences matter.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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POLS2135

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