

COURSE DETAIL

POLITICS AND SOCIABILITY IN EUROPEAN ENLIGHTENMENT

Country

Taiwan

Host Institution

National Taiwan University

Program(s)

National Taiwan University

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy History

UCEAP Course Number

42

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

POLITICS AND SOCIABILITY IN EUROPEAN ENLIGHTENMENT

UCEAP Transcript Title

POL/EU ENLIGHTENMNT

UCEAP Quarter Units

3.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.00

Course Description

The so-called period of “Enlightenment” in European history provided a wide range of debates that continues to provoke critical engagements in the following centuries. This course provides a comprehensive introduction to one of the most profound questions in Enlightenment debates, a question that is still seen by many as highly relevant to today's social and political theory, as well as moral and legal philosophy; that is, what constitutes a just society? The course covers texts constituting the “canon” in Enlightenment social and political thought, and will end with a brief reflection on how such debates might still preoccupy some of our own understandings of the nature of politics and sociability.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LibEdu1042

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Liberal Education

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