COURSE DETAIL

SOUTH ASIA IN SINGAPORE
Country Singapore
Host Institution National University of Singapore
Program(s) National University of Singapore
UCEAP Course Level Lower Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) South & SE Asian Studies Sociology
UCEAP Course Number 53
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title SOUTH ASIA IN SINGAPORE
UCEAP Transcript Title SO ASIANS/SINGAPORE
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course examines issues concerning South Asians in Singapore through a study of the historical and socio-economic development of these communities, and issues pertaining to their identity. Topics include the migration and establishment of South Asian communities in Singapore during the colonial period, from the early 19th century to the middle of the 20th century, and the new movement of ‘professional’ migrants from the sub-continent in the late 20th century; the interplay of state policies in Singapore, local conditions, and linkages with South Asia and their impact on the social, economic and political development of these communities in Singapore; aspects of the everyday life of South Asians in Singapore including language, religion, and popular culture; and how South Asians in Singapore are portrayed and how they perceive and present themselves.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
GES1007,SSA2219,GESS1005

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
South Asian Studies

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