

COURSE DETAIL

“FOOD FOR THOUGHT”: POLITICS OF FOOD AND ENVIRONMENT IN FRANCE

Country

France

Host Institution

UC Center, Paris

Program(s)

French in Paris

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science European Studies Environmental Studies

UCEAP Course Number

127

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

“FOOD FOR THOUGHT”: POLITICS OF FOOD AND ENVIRONMENT IN FRANCE

UCEAP Transcript Title

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course introduces students to the politics and controversies of environmental issues in France and their inter-connections with food and similar politics at the EU and UN levels. The course explores pressing environmental issues facing the country such as GMO politics, food wastage, air pollution, water pollution, species extinction, environmental justice, trade, climate change, and the impact of chemicals on health. The course assesses the nature of problems encountered, and discusses workable solutions for sustainable development in order to avoid a “tragedy of the commons.”

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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Host Institution Campus

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Host Institution Faculty

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