

COURSE DETAIL

ECONOMIC SOCIOLOGY

Country

France

Host Institution

Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

Program(s)

Sciences Po Paris

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Economics

UCEAP Course Number

171

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ECONOMIC SOCIOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

ECONOMIC SOCIOLOGY

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course develops tools for analyzing the effect of social networks, the way that culture constrains and enables economic outcomes, and the effect that systems of power have the reproduction of economic inequalities. These tools are the foundation on which economic sociology seeks to explain, criticize, influence, and predict economic action. The first part of the course establishes three primary intellectual camps or “theories” of economic action: power, culture, and rational action. The second part of the course applies these theoretical approaches to address a series of contemporary economic questions and concerns.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

DSOC 25A01

Host Institution Course Title

ECONOMIC SOCIOLOGY

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Seminar

Host Institution Department

Sociology

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