COURSE DETAIL

CRIME AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Country
United Kingdom - England

Host Institution
University of Cambridge, Pembroke College

Program(s)
Summer in Cambridge

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Sociology Psychology Legal Studies

UCEAP Course Number
115

UCEAP Course Suffix
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UCEAP Official Title
CRIME AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

UCEAP Transcript Title
CRIMINAL JUSTICE

UCEAP Quarter Units
5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description
Crime affects most people at some point in their lives, yet there is ongoing debate in academia, politics ,and the public about what causes it and how best to deal with it. This course explores both the concept of crime and the criminal justice system which exists to deal with crime. The criminal justice system is a multifaceted system which encompasses a variety of aims, some of which are competing – in this sense, the course aims to disentangle what the system tries to do. This leads students to form a theoretically informed understanding of criminal justice. The course introduces students to criminology, theories of crime, and relevant issues regarding trials and sentencing. The course is primarily focused on criminal justice in the UK and the US, but students are encouraged to use experience and knowledge from other countries to contribute to the debates.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Course Details
http://www.pem.cam.ac.uk/international-programmes/pembroke-kings-programme/acad...

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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