COURSE DETAIL

DEVIANT IDENTITIES

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

Brunel University London

Program(s)

English Universities

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology

UCEAP Course Number

122

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

DEVIANT IDENTITIES

UCEAP Transcript Title

DEVIANT IDENTITIES

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course explores the social constructions of so-called deviant identities and the discourses that sustain or challenge the idea of "deviant." The course looks at what has been considered deviant at given historical moments and at what is considered deviant in our own times. Students analyze the notion of criminal identity and its relation to deviance and rehabilitation/punishment. The course is based around the sociological idea that "normal" and "abnormal" are often socially and culturally constructed and draws on intellectual thought from: theology, philosophy, political science, law, biology, psychology, and human geography.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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SO2608

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Host Institution Campus

Brunel University London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Sociology

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