

# COURSE DETAIL

## NORTH KOREA: IDEOLOGY, SOCIETY AND POLITICS

**Country**

Norway

**Host Institution**

University of Oslo

**Program(s)**

University of Oslo

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Asian Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

102

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

NORTH KOREA: IDEOLOGY, SOCIETY AND POLITICS

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

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**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

## **Course Description**

North Korea is a society that challenges our conventional ideas about development and modernity. While still proclaiming itself a socialist country, it relies heavily upon essentially Confucian notions of loyalty and filial piety for legitimizing itself internally. This course gives a coherent outline of North Korea's development from its beginnings to the present day in economy, society, politics, and ideology. Students gain an understanding of North Korean culture through literature, visual arts, and cinema. Students acquire a structured and coherent understanding of the process of North Korea's historical development. They gain in-depth knowledge of the main features of North Korea's economy, society, and its political and ideological system. Furthermore, students develop skills in critical understanding of North Korea's cultural products.

## **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

## **Host Institution Course Number**

KOR2510

## **Host Institution Course Title**

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## **Host Institution Course Details**

## **Host Institution Campus**

Humanities

## **Host Institution Faculty**

## **Host Institution Degree**

## **Host Institution Department**

Culture Studies and Oriental Languages

## **Course Last Reviewed**

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