

## COURSE DETAIL

### SOLIDARITY AND SOCIAL JUSTICE IN CONTEMPORARY SOCIETIES

**Country**

Netherlands

**Host Institution**

Utrecht University

**Program(s)**

Utrecht University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology

**UCEAP Course Number**

102

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

SOLIDARITY AND SOCIAL JUSTICE IN CONTEMPORARY SOCIETIES

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

SOLIDARITY&SOC JUST

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

This course covers some of the most pressing social inequality issues as they relate to welfare and health. By focusing on European societies, the course compares and contrasts social inequality patterns, as well as societal and policy responses to social inequality. Questions posed in this course include: How do various societies respond to enduring, growing, or changing inequalities? Do these challenges lead to an erosion of solidarity, in an 'us versus them' rhetoric? When and why do people stand up for social justice (or not)? And to what extent are we accepting of social inequality? Taking a sociological, psychological, and political philosophical approach to these topics, this course offers an interdisciplinary approach to understanding social inequality and the societal as well as social policy responses in contemporary Europe.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

201900020

## Host Institution Course Title

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## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

Social and Behavioral Sciences

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

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