COURSE DETAIL

THE POLITICS OF GERMAN COAL, 1862-2038
Country Germany
Host Institution Free University of Berlin
Program(s) Free University Berlin
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science German
UCEAP Course Number 147
UCEAP Course Suffix B
UCEAP Official Title THE POLITICS OF GERMAN COAL, 1862-2038
UCEAP Transcript Title POL OF GERMAN COAL
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course sets the politics of German coal in technological, social, and environmental perspective. The course examines trends in the German energy mix—with a focus on the decline of nuclear energy as a source of power and the rise of natural gas, biofuels, and wind—and considers the extent to which those trends relate to the policy stances of the various political parties in government. The course also discusses the role of coal at pivotal moments in German history: before and after unification in 1871; from the Treaty of Versailles to the occupation of the Ruhr in 1923; and after the establishment, in 1951, of the European Coal and Steel Community, the institutional forerunner of the European Union.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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