COURSE DETAIL

SOCIOLOGICAL DIAGNOSES OF OUR TIMES

Country Denmark

Host Institution University of Copenhagen

Program(s) University of Copenhagen

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology

UCEAP Course Number 107

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title SOCIOLOGICAL DIAGNOSES OF OUR TIMES

UCEAP Transcript Title SOC DIAGNOSES

UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00

UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course focuses on the task of sociology to provide interpretations of the current situation and diagnoses of the times. The first part of the course defines the general meaning of diagnosis of the times and the role this kind of analysis plays in sociology. The second part identifies and distinguishes between various conceptions of social transformation and how modern societies have changed over time, with a study of the most recent structural transformations. The last part of the course focuses on the normative use of social diagnosis to conceive that not only persons but also societies can be understood as sick. The course accounts for how this kind of analysis can be used to evaluate and criticize social change and provides an opportunity to plan and perform research and carry out critical investigations of structural transformations of modern societies and institutions.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number ASOK16203U

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Faculty of Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Bachelor

Host Institution Department Department of Sociology

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