COURSE DETAIL

ATOMIC DREAMS: SOCIETY, SCIENCE, AND SOLDIERS IN NUCLEAR AMERICA, 1945-1979

Country
United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution
University of Glasgow

Program(s)
University of Glasgow

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
History

UCEAP Course Number
102

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
ATOMIC DREAMS: SOCIETY, SCIENCE, AND SOLDIERS IN NUCLEAR AMERICA, 1945-1979

UCEAP Transcript Title
NUCLEAR AMERICA

UCEAP Quarter Units
8.00

UCEAP Semester Units
5.30

Course Description
This course examines the diverse ways in which the society and military of the United States were affected by developments in nuclear technology during the early decades of the Cold War, in terms of such aspects as culture, protest, race, gender, civil defense, commercialization, energy, spaceflight, warfare, and international relations. Students use a range of both publicly available and declassified sources, from written documents to film clips, to explore the early postwar visions of an atomic-powered future and the lasting impact of their ideas on modern America.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
HIST4264

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Host Institution Campus
University of Glasgow

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
School of Humanities

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