COURSE DETAIL

INTEGRATION IN GERMANY: POLICY AND DEBATE

Country
Germany

Host Institution
Free University of Berlin

Program(s)
Free University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Sociology Political Science German

UCEAP Course Number
119

UCEAP Course Suffix
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UCEAP Official Title
INTEGRATION IN GERMANY: POLICY AND DEBATE

UCEAP Transcript Title
INTEGRATN IN GERMNY

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

In January 2021 a commission appointed by the federal government released an extensive report on the integration of people with a Migrationshintergrund, or migration background, in Germany. The report set out a concept of integration, discussed integration with regard to a wide range of policy areas, including health and housing, education, and employment, and raised issues like religion and language. Also included in the report were the dissenting positions of several commission members, which underline the extent to which integration remains a contested and controversial idea. The course uses this report as the starting point for an analysis of the concept of integration. The course considers the economic, social, political, and cultural aspects of the concept developed in the report, and compares it with terms like cosmopolitanism and multiculturalism. The course also discusses the implications of integration for employment and education policy.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
16911

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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
PHILOSOPHIE UND GEISTESWISSENSCHAFTEN

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Deutsche und Niederländische Philologie

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