COURSE DETAIL

SOCIAL AND POLITICAL THEORY
Country United Kingdom - England
Host Institution University of East Anglia
Program(s) Environment and Sustainability, East Anglia
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science
UCEAP Course Number 114
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title SOCIAL AND POLITICAL THEORY
UCEAP Transcript Title SOCIAL & POL THEORY
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description
This course introduces the core issues of modern social and political thought by means of in-depth study of key texts by leading thinkers of the 19th and 20th century. The course emphasizes classical social theory and liberal political theory as well as more recent departures from those traditions. Special attention is paid to the three fundamental values that inspired the French Revolution: liberty, equality, and fraternity/solidarity. Students read and discuss major works of social theory by Karl Marx, Emile Durkheim, Max Weber, and Pierre Bourdieu, and of political theory by J. S. Mill, John Rawls, Robert Nozick, and Iris Marion Young.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Campus
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Politics, Philosophy, Language and Communication

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