COURSE DETAIL

SOCIAL NEUROSCIENCE
Country Ireland
Host Institution Trinity College Dublin
Program(s) Trinity College Dublin
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology Psychology
UCEAP Course Number 184
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title SOCIAL NEUROSCIENCE
UCEAP Transcript Title SOCIAL NEUROSCIENCE
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units 3.30

Course Description

Social Neuroscience is one of the newest fields in psychology and explores the neural systems underlying social behavior. The course outlines the theoretical origins of the field, basic neuroanatomy, and core methodologies including brain imaging techniques and behavioral paradigms. In addition, areas covered include how the brain enables the processing of faces, emotions, theory of mind, prejudice and stereotypes, moral judgments and economic decision making. The course considers some of the ethical implications associated with our growing understanding of the neural determinants of interpersonal behavior and the impact this knowledge can have on our notion of free will and responsibility.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
PSU34540

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Host Institution Course Details
https://www.tcd.ie/students/orientation/visiting-exchange/module-enrolment/full...

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Psychology

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