COURSE DETAIL

PERCEPTION, ATTENTION AND PERFORMANCE
Country Ireland
Host Institution University of Galway
Program(s) University of Galway
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Psychology
UCEAP Course Number 123
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title PERCEPTION, ATTENTION AND PERFORMANCE
UCEAP Transcript Title PERCPT/ATTN&PERFORM
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units 3.30

Course Description

This course provides an introduction to sensory and perceptual processes, blending classical and contemporary approaches to basic information processing. The course uses a flipped-classroom approach with the explicit aim of combining Information Transfer Teacher Focused (ITTF) and Conceptual Change Student Focused (CCSF) approaches. In the first case, and mainly via readings as well as pre-recorded lectures, students learn "facts" related to perception; in the latter case, via both class Buzz-group activity as well as a theoretically-oriented Capstone Project, students learn that perception is a complex multidimensional topic that is not completely understood . In Buzz groups, students present and discuss some of the key theoretical issues and methodological contributions in perception science. The course also touches areas in which the application of knowledge of sensory and perceptual processes is applied to other areas of cognitive psychology and neuroscience.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
PS415

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Psychology

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