COURSE DETAIL

CLOCKS, SLEEP & THE RHYTHMS OF LIFE

Country United Kingdom - England

Host Institution University of Manchester

Program(s) University of Manchester

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Biological Sciences

UCEAP Course Number 166

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title CLOCKS, SLEEP & THE RHYTHMS OF LIFE

UCEAP Transcript Title SLEEP&RHYTHM/LIFE

UCEAP Quarter Units 4.00

UCEAP Semester Units 2.70

Course Description

This course introduces students to the study of biological timekeeping by examining how neural mechanisms of circadian rhythms, arousal, metabolism and sleep interact to dictate daily and seasonal variations in behavior and physiology. The course covers a range of topics with a particular focus on the neuronal basis for circadian timing and sleep in mammals, how these are regulated by environmental light, and how the internal clockwork influences the rest of the brain and body in health and disease.

Language(s) of Instruction English

Host Institution Course Number BIOL31681

Host Institution Course Title CLOCKS, SLEEP & THE RHYTHMS OF LIFE

Host Institution Campus

Manchester

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department Biological Sciences

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