

# COURSE DETAIL

## CARTOGRAPHY AND VISUALIZATION

**Country**

Singapore

**Host Institution**

National University of Singapore

**Program(s)**

National University of Singapore

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Geography

**UCEAP Course Number**

103

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

CARTOGRAPHY AND VISUALIZATION

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

CARTOGRAPHY& VISUAL

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## **Course Description**

This course provides theory and hands-on experience for developing thematic maps. Thematic maps are effective means for delivering spatial information. Depending on the way thematic maps are created, they could have huge impact on the way physical or human environments are perceived and managed. The course focuses on human perception and visualization of map elements, data processing, symbolic encoding and decoding, and how these factors affect the design of thematic maps. Common types of thematic maps are introduced. The course also provides working knowledge of commercial software commonly used for creating maps (e.g., ESRI's ArcGIS).

## **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

## **Host Institution Course Number**

GE2227

## **Host Institution Course Title**

CARTOGRAPHY AND VISUALISATION

## **Host Institution Course Details**

## **Host Institution Campus**

## **Host Institution Faculty**

## **Host Institution Degree**

## **Host Institution Department**

Geography

## **Course Last Reviewed**

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