COURSE DETAIL

HEALTH AND DIET THROUGH HUMAN HISTORY
Country Sweden
Host Institution Lund University
Program(s) Lund University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) History Health Sciences Anthropology
UCEAP Course Number 139
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title HEALTH AND DIET THROUGH HUMAN HISTORY
UCEAP Transcript Title HLTH DIET HUMN HIST
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

The course provides an overview of the last 200,000 years of human history with a focus on diet and health and deals with different aspects of the relationship between mankind and the environment. The concept of transition is discussed with reference to osteological, archaeological, and historical source material on the Neolithic revolution, urbanization, and industrialization. To understand the population growth from a few individuals to 7 billion people in less than 200,000 years, the course employs an interdisciplinary perspective interweaving biological, social, and economic developments and climate change.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SASH73

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Host Institution Campus
Lund University

Host Institution Faculty
Humanities and Theology

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Archaeology and Ancient History

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