

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

Host Institution Course Title

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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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