

## COURSE DETAIL

### CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN SOCIETY: ISSUES, PREOCCUPATIONS, AND DREAMS

**Country**

Denmark

**Host Institution**

University of Copenhagen

**Program(s)**

University of Copenhagen

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology American Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

101

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

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

CONTMPRY US SOCIETY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

**Course Description**

This course explores and ascertains the issues that Americans are grappling with today. The seminar offers examinations and explanations of the major issues facing American society, including the role of race, gender, and class in contemporary America. The course also addresses issues of education and mobility; whether the nation is as polarized as some commentators have claimed; the consequences of mass migration; the salience of religion; technology and changing media; the social and economic effects of regionalization and globalization; and where America's security starts and finishes in an age of fluidity. These factors are important components of contemporary American society. One theme of the course to be considered is the idea and application of the American Dream.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

HENB01353U

**Host Institution Course Title**

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**Host Institution Course Details****Host Institution Campus**

Humanities

**Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

English, Germanic and Romance Studies

## Course Last Reviewed

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