COURSE DETAIL

MEDICAL ANTHROPOLOGY
Country Denmark
Host Institution University of Copenhagen
Program(s) University of Copenhagen
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Health Sciences Anthropology
UCEAP Course Number 130
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title MEDICAL ANTHROPOLOGY
UCEAP Transcript Title MEDICAL ANTHROPOLGY
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course examines changing contours of human life including the experiences of health and illness and conceptions of life and death in relation to the development, production, and use of new or emerging technology. Moreover, looking into the entanglement of biomedical knowledge, policy, and technology in everyday life, it explores how life itself is made into an object of technological intervention. The course furthermore explores how this process, rather than simply offering solutions to given problems, also might reshape our bodily experiences of and relations with the world while engendering novel ethical and cultural problems for us to deal with. This course engages in extensive reading, contemplation, and discussion of literature in and around medical anthropology and science and technology. The format, with interactive class activities and oral and written assignments requires active participation.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
AANA18106U

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree
Bachelor

Host Institution Department

Anthropology

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