

## COURSE DETAIL

### MIND THE MAP: APPROACHES TO CARTOGRAPHY

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

**Program(s)**

Sciences Po Paris

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Geography Agricultural Sciences

**UCEAP Course Number**

121

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

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

CARTOGRAPHY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

Mapping and cartography have long been used in social sciences, in geography and beyond. Political scientists, historians and sociologists have increasingly used such tools, which have become more and more present in the media, the administrations and the corporate world as well. Maps in all their forms have gained a strong foothold in all these fields and are now easier to produce thanks to the digital tools making their production easily accessible by non-specialists. This workshop has two main objectives. The first is to master critical approaches to cartographic designs, not only thanks to a better understanding of the foundations of cartography but also of their status as a discourse on various objects of study. The second is for the students to acquire skills enabling them to make their own maps and designs with some of the basic digital tools available, in relation to multidisciplinary issues.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

BMET 25A06

### Host Institution Course Title

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### Host Institution Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

Methodology Workshop

### Host Institution Department

Political Science

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