

# COURSE DETAIL

## INTRODUCTION TO CLIMATE CHANGE

**Country**

**Host Institution**

**Program(s)**

University of Melbourne

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Environmental Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

40

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

**UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO CLIMATE CHANGE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

INTR CLIMATE CHANGE

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

**Course Description**

This course offers an introduction to the major topics in climate change including the scientific basis of the greenhouse effect, the history of Earth's climate, energy options, economics and public policy, the effect of climate change on food, water and health, and the national and international legal frameworks for the management of climate change. The issues around climate change are evolving rapidly, both politically and within the wider community. This course is the first of a sequence of three aimed to provide a broad, cross-disciplinary approach to climate change. In particular, students explore and debate the issues on a range of topics, with an emphasis on the international and global implications.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

UNIB10007

**Host Institution Course Title**

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

Melbourne

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

University Breadths

**Course Last Reviewed**

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