COURSE DETAIL

THE CONTEXTUAL TURN IN EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY: ON SITUATING PHENOMENA IN THE WORLD

Country
Denmark

Host Institution
Aarhus University

Program(s)
Aarhus University

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Psychology

UCEAP Course Number
117

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
THE CONTEXTUAL TURN IN EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY: ON SITUATING PHENOMENA IN THE WORLD

UCEAP Transcript Title
CONTEXTUAL EDU PSY

UCEAP Quarter Units
8.00

UCEAP Semester Units
5.30

Course Description
This course covers the turn in psychology, which emphasized the significance of the cultural, the contextual, and social interaction in understanding the individual. First, the course works with different ideas of how we are to understand and work with context. Through this, participants learn to relate to and judge these different terms' and concepts' strengths and weaknesses. Following this, the course works with different theoretical directions and their accompanying empirical work using these understandings of context. This includes, among others, critical psychology, practice theory, complex systems theory, socio-cultural theory, discourse psychology, position theory, situated learning and narrative social constructivism. The seminar touches upon themes such as the significance of context for social interaction, cognition, learning, education, praxis, participation, development, and identity. Further, upon initiative from the students, the course allows for discussion on how the themes relate to fields of interest to the students.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
441191U006

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
Faculty of Business and Social Sciences

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Psychology and Behavioural Sciences

Course Last Reviewed

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