

COURSE DETAIL

EMOTIONS

Country

Denmark

Host Institution

Aarhus University

Program(s)

Aarhus University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

112

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

EMOTIONS

UCEAP Transcript Title

EMOTIONS

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course considers a variety of contemporary philosophical and psychological responses to the question of: What are emotions? It begins by examining the most prominent theories about the composition of emotions: are they feelings? Judgments? Perceptions? Then, it moves on to questions about the significance of emotions for human life, with a particular focus on their relation to rationality. Is there such a thing as emotional rationality? How do emotions contribute to and/or interfere with our epistemic capacities? Finally, the course addresses some special topics: empathy, emotion and fiction, and the moral significance of emotional lives.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

115191U001

Host Institution Course Title

EMOTIONS

Host Institution Campus

Faculty of Arts

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Culture and Society

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