

COURSE DETAIL

DOCUMENTING THE PERIPHERY

Country

France

Host Institution

UC Center, Paris

Program(s)

Social Justice and Activism

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Urban Studies Sociology Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number

154

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

DOCUMENTING THE PERIPHERY

UCEAP Transcript Title

DOCUMNTNG PERIPHERY

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This interdisciplinary course examines historical and current social movements in Paris against social and economic disenfranchisement and discrimination based on citizenship, migratory status, racialization, gender, and sexuality. It introduces a wide range of activist tools and historical and current struggles for the access to health, education, and labor rights and against police violence, detention, and incarceration. The course introduces and reflects on a variety of ways of documenting social justice and injustice in France, ranging from documentary film and photography; reports and investigations led by state agencies and non-profit organizations and networks; and museography and artistic expressions. Through urban walks, the course explores spaces of disenfranchisement and gentrification and pays attention to official and non-official memory work, such as monuments, graffiti, and street art in the Parisian city-scape that contribute to commemorate or render invisible specific struggles for social justice.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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Host Institution Campus

UC Center, Paris

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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