# **COURSE DETAIL**

## **ARCHAEOLOGY OF THE AFRICAN DIASPORA**

## **Country**

Ghana

#### **Host Institution**

University of Ghana, Legon

## Program(s)

University of Ghana

#### **UCEAP Course Level**

**Upper Division** 

## **UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Archaeology Anthropology African Studies

### **UCEAP Course Number**

131

### **UCEAP Course Suffix**

#### **UCEAP Official Title**

ARCHAEOLOGY OF THE AFRICAN DIASPORA

## **UCEAP Transcript Title**

ARCOL/AFR DIASPORA

## **UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.00

#### **UCEAP Semester Units**

3.30

#### **Course Description**

This course focuses on the history and culture of the Africans in the diaspora on the African continent (especially West Africa) and the Americas (North America, the Caribbean, and South America). The course examines major issues and conditions in Africa that sent many people into diaspora communities in Africa. Specific issues considered in this direction are those related to Islamic Jihads, Trans-Saharan Trade, Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade, Colonialism, and plantation slavery in West Africa, as these events led to the relocation and redistribution of African populations in Africa. Additionally, the course reviews archaeological evidence that provides insights into the historical experiences of the African Diaspora as seen from the Americas.

### Language(s) of Instruction

**English** 

**Host Institution Course Number** 

**ARCH 429** 

**Host Institution Course Title** 

ARCHAFOLOGY OF THE AFRICAN DIASPORA

**Host Institution Campus** 

**Host Institution Faculty** 

**Host Institution Degree** 

**Host Institution Department** 

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