COURSE DETAIL

CRITICAL STUDIES OF BRAZILIAN ARCHITECTURE

Country

Brazil

Host Institution

Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro

Program(s)

Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Architecture

UCEAP Course Number

115

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

CRITICAL STUDIES OF BRAZILIAN ARCHITECTURE

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course offers a study of Brazilian architecture as well as architecture of neighboring countries. It looks at the influence that various groups have had on Brazilian and Latin American architecture including Portuguese, Spanish, Africans, French, Germans, and Italians. Topics include: industrialization and artisanal continuity; critical regionalism; Ferroconcrete and its role in Brazilian architecture; Brasilia and political architectural expression; tension between ethical and aesthetic concerns; social architectural dilemmas.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ARQ 9113

Host Institution Course Title

CRITICAL STUDIES OF BRAZILIAN ARCHITECTURE

Host Institution Campus

PUC-Rio

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Departamento de Arquitetura e Urbanismo

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