COURSE DETAIL

COMPARATIVE SOCIAL POLICY: GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES
Country United Kingdom - Scotland
Host Institution University of Edinburgh
Program(s) University of Edinburgh
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science International Studies
UCEAP Course Number 134
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title COMPARATIVE SOCIAL POLICY: GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES
UCEAP Transcript Title COMP SOCIAL POLICY
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This course has four parts: firstly, it sets the scene by introducing a series of analytical categories and dimensions that can be employed to examine social policy in comparative perspective; secondly, it illustrates similarities and differences in the social policies of high-income countries by reviewing in detail selected national models of welfare state; thirdly, it moves from the national to the supranational level by examining the role of selected supranational institutions in shaping social policies in the Global North and the Global South (e.g. European Union; World Bank; ILO); fourthly, it reviews some key challenges that welfare states are currently faced with and the opportunities for renewal that these challenges may offer.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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