

COURSE DETAIL

RACE AND ETHNIC STUDIES

Country

Taiwan

Host Institution

National Taiwan University

Program(s)

National Taiwan University

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology

UCEAP Course Number

15

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

RACE AND ETHNIC STUDIES

UCEAP Transcript Title

RACE ETHNIC STUDIES

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course introduces students to the fundamental theories and concepts of race and ethnicity. These theories and concepts enrich classic sociological canons and provide sociologists racial/ethnic lens for insightful analyses of the racialized institutions behind social phenomena. The first six weeks of this course focuses on these fundamental race/ethnicity theories and concepts. The course also investigates the role of history in the construction of race/ethnicity theories and explores how we can connect the contemporary globalized, multiracial world with these theories generated in the Western context (mostly with the White/Black divide). We then examine how race and ethnicity shape the individual's personal, cultural, and national identity; interact with capitalist society; serve as a form of social classification, and how they are challenged or reinforced by educational systems in various cultural contexts.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

Soc3050

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Sociology

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