

# COURSE DETAIL

## INTRODUCTION TO ETHNOGRAPHIC METHODS

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

**Program(s)**

Sciences Po Paris

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology

**UCEAP Course Number**

116

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO ETHNOGRAPHIC METHODS

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ETHOGRAPHIC METHODS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## **Course Description**

This course familiarizes students with diverse qualitative methods. It is taught as a workshop to learn techniques and proper tools to perform qualitative inquiries. Students engage in an exploratory survey using a general question related to social sciences: the notion of “deviance.” The course uses case studies to instruct students how to: construct a table of observations, analyze these observations, construct a guide to interviewing, conduct a sociological interview, use visual methods in an interview, and find and use written sources. The course also introduces a few elements of deontology. In groups, students identify a research topic related to the theme of “deviance”, lead an exploratory inquiry which allow them to formulate a research question which leads to a summary of the inquiry presented and discussed in class. The goal of this class to take on a collective research project. Time is given at each session to discuss how the research is progressing.

## **Language(s) of Instruction**

French

## **Host Institution Course Number**

BMET 25F19

## **Host Institution Course Title**

INITIATION AUX MÉTHODES ETHNOGRAPHIQUES

## **Host Institution Course Details**

## **Host Institution Campus**

French Workshop

## **Host Institution Faculty**

## **Host Institution Degree**

## **Host Institution Department**

Methodology

## **Course Last Reviewed**

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