COURSE DETAIL

AFRICAN PHILOSOPHY

Country
Ghana

Host Institution
University of Ghana, Legon

Program(s)
Explore Ghana,University of Ghana

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number
108

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
AFRICAN PHILOSOPHY

UCEAP Transcript Title
AFRICAN PHILOSOPHY

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.00

UCEAP Semester Units
2.70

Course Description
This course introduces the philosophical thought of both the sages in traditional African cultures and contemporary academic African philosophers. It sets out by exploring the question of philosophical thinking in traditional African cultures and proceeds to examine issues such as the supposed distinction between philosophy and 'ethnophilosophy', examines such concepts and questions that have engaged the attention of African philosophers as: the existence, place and role of God; the relationship between the individual and society; views of morality and their foundations; knowledge, truth, and the relevance of traditional philosophical thinking for life in contemporary Africa.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
PHIL 310

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Philosophy

Course Last Reviewed

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