COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT
Country United Kingdom - England
Host Institution University of Manchester
Program(s) University of Manchester
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Urban Studies
UCEAP Course Number 131
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title INTRODUCTION TO PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT
UCEAP Transcript Title INTRO PLANNING&DEV
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This course introduces students to key theoretical ideas about the growth, development, and change of urban areas. It is divided into two parts. The first part of the course provides an overview of the evolution of planning and development, with a focus on the UK from the 19th century to the 1980s. The second part of the course introduces a range of key concepts that are necessary for understanding contemporary cities, covering issues of modernist urban planning, deindustrialization, urban competitiveness, neoliberalism, urban regeneration, gentrification, creating spatial order in cities, and so on. Through discussing these topics, students develop an understanding of the evolution of urban planning and development approaches and the ability to analyze how economic, social, political, and environmental pressures shape patterns of land use in urban areas.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
PLAN10041

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Planning

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