COURSE DETAIL

INFORMATION AND SOCIETY

Country
Germany

Host Institution
Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s)
Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Sociology Communication

UCEAP Course Number
118

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
INFORMATION AND SOCIETY

UCEAP Transcript Title
INFO & SOCIETY

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units
3.00

Course Description

This course enables students to reflect on the role of information in shaping today's society and information professions by learning about relevant social, societal, and ethical trends and perspectives, and to consider what information professionals and scholars can therefore do to affect, and hopefully improve, society. Possible course topics include core concepts values in library and information science, information and data ethics, fake news and censorship, surveillance and cybercrime, artificial intelligence, globalization, digital sovereignty and regulation, sustainability, and equity and diversity. Seminars consist of student presentations, discussion activities, and writing tutorials.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
51811

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
PHILOSOPHISCHE FAKULTÄT

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Bibliotheks- und Informationswissenschaft

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