

COURSE DETAIL

BIOPSYCHOSOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Country

Norway

Host Institution

University of Oslo

Program(s)

University of Oslo

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

104

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

BIOPSYCHOSOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

UCEAP Transcript Title

BIOPSYCHOSOCL DEVEL

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

The course provides a basis for understanding development in childhood and adolescence from a biopsychosocial perspective. The course focuses on interactions and associations between children's genetic dispositions, neurocognitive, and psychological factors. Psychosocial development is understood as a complex interplay between the individual and the environment. Of particular interests is the focus on early adversity, family risks, and social relationship. The syllabus and lectures address topics such as contextualized and dynamic developmental models, gene x environment interactions, risk and resilience factors for emerging mental health problems, social influences on brain and psychological development, and development of risk-taking. A general theme through the course is on developmental mechanisms and transactional processes.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PSY2205

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BIOPSYCHOSOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Psychology

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