

COURSE DETAIL

SOCIAL DESIGN & DESIGN THINKING FOR URBAN CHANGE

Country

Japan

Host Institution

Waseda University

Program(s)

Waseda University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Urban Studies

UCEAP Course Number

103

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

SOCIAL DESIGN & DESIGN THINKING FOR URBAN CHANGE

UCEAP Transcript Title

DESIGN/URBAN CHANGE

UCEAP Quarter Units

3.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.00

Course Description

This course explores ideas and practices of creating more convivial places through participatory, democratic practices that have a positive impact on streets, neighborhoods, communities, and cities. It examines the historical, cultural, economic, political, environmental, and other influences on places that determine what a place has become and how. Furthermore, it explores the role of design and the process of implementing a design idea into a realized project. At the end of course, students undertake original research and analysis on a topic of public interest and demonstrate how to use history, inputs and influences of places to understand what makes places successful or not.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

GSSH303L

Host Institution Course Title

SOCIAL DESIGN & DESIGN THINKING FOR URBAN CHANGE

Host Institution Campus

SILS

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

SILS - Social Science

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