COURSE DETAIL

WHAT COMES AFTER DENIAL? CLIMATE, FASCISM, AND DEMOCRACY
Country Denmark
Host Institution University of Copenhagen
Program(s) University of Copenhagen
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science
UCEAP Course Number 140
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title WHAT COMES AFTER DENIAL? CLIMATE, FASCISM, AND DEMOCRACY
UCEAP Transcript Title CLIMATE/FASCISM&DEM
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This political theory course considers whether the end of climate change denial leads to climate justice or new forms of fascisms. It takes seriously the emergence of new ecofascist tendencies as complex phenomena to be critically studied, analyzed, and contested. The course is divided into three parts. The first part explores various conceptualizations of fascism and climate change generally. It then analyzes the tendency from climate change denial towards realism about (anthropogenic) climate change and the forms of fascism that may follow from it. Finally, it discusses democratic responses to the emerging phenomena. The course draws on political theories concerning climate change, democracy, and fascism. It presents ecofascist, neo-Malthusian, petro-masculinist, and collapsologist movements that in some cases convey racist, misogynic, and homophobic ideas and critically discusses them within materialist, new materialist, and critical theoretical frameworks.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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