COURSE DETAIL

TERRORIZING LONDON: THE MAKING OF A MODERN CITY

Country
United Kingdom - England

Host Institution
King's College London

Program(s)
King's College London

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Sociology Political Science

UCEAP Course Number
129

UCEAP Course Suffix
N

UCEAP Official Title
TERRORIZING LONDON: THE MAKING OF A MODERN CITY

UCEAP Transcript Title
TERRORIZING LONDON

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course charts terrorism's shifting signature by examining its impact upon London's modernization. Students discover a city that has been subjected to rapid technological change and new political ideas, that are both wholly alien and eerily familiar. They encounter London as a symbolic target for post-colonial violence and a fulcrum through which terrorist action and state policy are aligned. Approaching the subject through a variety of disciplinary perspectives, students are exposed to a diversity of cultural texts (from novels to films, photographs to monuments) as well as a range of London archives that will contextualize each terrorist incident. These external resources prove invaluable for the final assessment, where students produce a digital e-portfolio exploring three of the terrorist events examined in the module.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
6ABLCF04

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Host Institution Campus
King's College London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Liberal Arts

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