

## COURSE DETAIL

### NUCLEAR ENERGY: ITS REALITY AND ROLE FOR THE FUTURE

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

Sciences Po Reims

**Program(s)**

Sciences Po Reims

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Political Science Environmental Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

161

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

NUCLEAR ENERGY: ITS REALITY AND ROLE FOR THE FUTURE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

NUCLEAR ENERGY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

This course considers how nuclear energy is viewed from a science, political, and public standpoint. It investigates how one of the most sought-after solutions to climate change is also the most decried one. Based on recognized institutions reports and experts interviews, the course turns to history and physics to explain this energy (and its track record) to address politically and culturally the root of the various debates surrounding its use, impact, and potential threats; investigate the potential it represents in addressing the greatest challenges of our generation and the next; and overall, to rebalance the debate on nuclear energy by exploring its advantages as well as disadvantages, as far removed as possible from the passion it sometimes inspires.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

DSPO 27A43

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### Host Institution Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

Seminar

### Host Institution Department

Political Science

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