COURSE DETAIL

CRITICAL THINKING

Country

Spain

Host Institution

Autonomous University of Barcelona

Program(s)

UAB Barcelona Summer School

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy Communication

UCEAP Course Number

70

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

CRITICAL THINKING

UCEAP Transcript Title

CRITICAL THINKING

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This introductory course discusses how to identify types of arguments, how to evaluate them, and how to avoid fallacies and mistaken beliefs. It approaches critical argumentation as a practical skill that is learned through examples of real arguments. The methods presented are based on techniques developed in argumentation theory and informal logic, as well as the most updated discoveries on cognition and argumentation. Coursework includes public debate on a selected topic.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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CRITICAL THINKING

Host Institution Campus

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Host Institution Faculty

Facultat de Lletres

Host Institution Degree

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