COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO DISABILITY STUDIES
Country United Kingdom - Scotland
Host Institution University of Edinburgh
Program(s) University of Edinburgh
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology Health Sciences
UCEAP Course Number 137
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title INTRODUCTION TO DISABILITY STUDIES
UCEAP Transcript Title DISABILITY STUDIES
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This interdisciplinary course introduces you to the growing and important field of disability studies. This course has a strong focus on the lived experience of disability and values the knowledge embodied in this experience. It takes an explicit advocacy orientation, exploring the range of challenges experienced by disabled people locally, nationally and globally, while critically examining policies and interventions aimed at helping to reduce and eliminate barriers to full participation. It also takes an intersectional approach, looking at how disability intersecting with other aspects of identity such as race, ethnicity, age, and gender provide additional challenges that need to be taken into account in interventions aimed at eliminating inequities.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SHSS08006

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Host Institution Campus
University of Edinburgh

Host Institution Faculty
School of Health in Social Science

Host Institution Degree

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