COURSE DETAIL

NORWEGIAN ARCHITECTURE, URBAN PLANNING AND DESIGN

Country Norway

Host Institution University of Oslo

Program(s) Oslo Summer

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Urban Studies Scandinavian Studies Architecture

UCEAP Course Number 101

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title NORWEGIAN ARCHITECTURE, URBAN PLANNING AND DESIGN

UCEAP Transcript Title NORWEGN ARCH&DESIGN

UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course provides a theoretical overview of the key historical developments and on-going contemporary debates in Norwegian architecture and design. The interplay between architecture, city planning and design, and the specific Norwegian cultural, economic, and political environment in which they are practiced as applied design disciplines, is a central focus for exploration and discussion in the course. Norway's role within overlapping Scandinavian, European, and increasingly global, contexts is also explored through the study of key international developments and the impact of these upon Norwegian architectural, city planning, and design discourse. The City of Oslo especially (considered in terms of its key historic and contemporary buildings, cultural institutions, public space and contrasting urban environments) is actively used as a "living classroom" for exploration of these issues and the wider questions that the issues subsequently raise.

Language(s) of Instruction English

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