COURSE DETAIL

SOCIOLOGY OF CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH
Country Australia
Host Institution University of Sydney
Program(s) University of Sydney
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology
UCEAP Course Number 121
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title SOCIOLOGY OF CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH
UCEAP Transcript Title SOC OF CHILD&YOUTH
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description
This course explores the main sociological approaches to childhood and youth in modern industrial societies, as well as the ways in which particular perspectives on childhood are central to all social theory. Students examine the debates surrounding the historical development of childhood and the various approaches to the impact of state intervention and social policies, from both the experiences of childhood and youth and the transition to adulthood. Further topics of study include the social construction of child abuse; youth homelessness and youth criminality as social problems; the stolen generations; children and the law; the fertility decline; and the differentiation of childhood experience along lines of class, gender, race, and ethnicity.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SCLG2613

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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
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Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Sociology and Social Policy

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