COURSE DETAIL

TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION: SOCIAL AND BUSINESS PERSPECTIVES

Country Hong Kong

Host Institution Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)

Program(s) Hong Kong Summer, HKUST

UCEAP Course Level Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Business Administration

UCEAP Course Number 37

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION: SOCIAL AND BUSINESS PERSPECTIVES

UCEAP Transcript Title TECH & INNOVATION

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

The development of new technology and innovation plays an increasingly important role in enhancing the competitiveness of countries, firms and individuals. This course describes the development of technology and innovation from social and business perspectives. It covers the technology side of innovations, how an invention can be developed into a successful commercial product, the role of innovation in society and how innovations are created from a socioeconomic perspective. It highlights that successful development and adoption of innovative products relies not only on the technology itself but also a complex process that is subject to the impact of cultural, political, economic and managerial factors. Assessment: Class participation (10%), midterm exam (25%), group project (25%), and final exam (40%).

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number ISOM1380

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Host Institution Campus

HKUST International Summer School

Host Institution Faculty

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Host Institution Department

Information Systems, Business Statistics, and Operations Management

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