COURSE DETAIL

TECHNOLOGY AND SOCIETY: A MODERN HISTORY

Country

Hong Kong

Host Institution

University of Hong Kong

Program(s)

University of Hong Kong

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

UCEAP Course Number

142

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

TECHNOLOGY AND SOCIETY: A MODERN HISTORY

UCEAP Transcript Title

TECH& SOCIETY: HIST

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course examines the history of technology since the late 18th century. It covers both the major tenets of the development of technology during the past two centuries and major debates among historians of technology. It also covers major technologies that have influenced and changed modern society, such as the steam engine, railways or the computer, and also explores how new technologies and modern society influenced each other. The scope of the course is global, but it will particularly focus on developments in Europe, North America and East Asia.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HIST2204

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Course Details

https://history.hku.hk/ug_cd/

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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