COURSE DETAIL

CARIBBEAN SOCIAL PROBLEMS
Country Barbados
Host Institution University of the West Indies
Program(s) University of the West Indies
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology
UCEAP Course Number 124
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title CARIBBEAN SOCIAL PROBLEMS
UCEAP Transcript Title CARIB SOCIAL PROB
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description
This course offers a sociological analysis of several issues in Caribbean society. It draws topics from the study of social problems, consensus theory, conflict theory, and action theory. This course explores conceptual issues of under-development in the Caribbean, as well as development strategies. It also discusses issues relating to social inequality, such as income distribution and poverty, distribution of land and wealth, housing conditions, health and nutrition, race and racism, sex and sexism, and population growth. Other topics include: social problems of age, the labor market, unemployment, access to welfare and education, gangs, family function and family conflict, drug abuse, mental health, politics, and media.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SOCI3035

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
UWI-Cave Hill

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Government, Sociology and Social Work

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