

# COURSE DETAIL

## ENVIRONMENTAL ANTHROPOLOGY

**Country**

Norway

**Host Institution**

University of Oslo

**Program(s)**

University of Oslo

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Anthropology

**UCEAP Course Number**

114

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

ENVIRONMENTAL ANTHROPOLOGY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ENVIRONMENTAL ANTH

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

5.30

## Course Description

This course is an introduction to some of the central themes in environmental anthropology as well as an exploration of some recent anthropological analyses of environmental change. Drawing on a range of ethnographic studies, the course provides perspectives on topics such as: how peoples' understanding of the environment can be related to their sense of self, identity, and moral obligation; how nature—animals, plants and landscapes—can become sites of contestation and conflict; how environments can elicit different forms of knowledge; how global inequality and colonial dispossession are connected to climate change and biodiversity loss; and how both slow and sudden environmental crises affect how we think about the future and what it means to be human.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

SOSANT 2510

## Host Institution Course Title

ENVIRONMENTAL ANTHROPOLOGY

## Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.uio.no/studier/emner/sv/sai/SOSANT2510/>

## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

Social Sciences

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Social Anthropology

## Course Last Reviewed

2023-2024

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