# **COURSE DETAIL**

### **GLOBAL HISTORY OF CAPITALISM**

### **Country**

Canada

#### **Host Institution**

University of British Columbia

### Program(s)

University of British Columbia

#### **UCEAP Course Level**

**Lower Division** 

### **UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

History

### **UCEAP Course Number**

31

#### **UCEAP Course Suffix**

#### **UCEAP Official Title**

GLOBAL HISTORY OF CAPITALISM

### **UCEAP Transcript Title**

GLOBAL HIST: CAPITAL

## **UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

#### **UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

### **Course Description**

This course examines the spread of capitalism across the world in the late 19th – early 20th century, and the variety of responses to this phenomenon. Topics to be covered include the golden age of globalization in the early years of the century, the gold standard, the economic crises of 1914-1945, the divisions of the Cold War world, and the rise of the Bretton Woods system, and, ultimately, the turn toward global integration at the end of the twentieth century. The students will trace the patterns of change in the international markets, investments, and global trade and try to highlight the changes brought about by social movements, political ideologies, and shifts in the economic balance of power.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

**Host Institution Course Number** 

**HIST 108** 

**Host Institution Course Title** 

GLOBAL HISTORY OF CAPITALISM

**Host Institution Campus** 

**Host Institution Faculty** 

**Host Institution Degree** 

**Host Institution Department** 

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