

COURSE DETAIL

LANGUAGE AND MIGRATION

Country

Hong Kong

Host Institution

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)

Program(s)

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Linguistics

UCEAP Course Number

129

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

LANGUAGE AND MIGRATION

UCEAP Transcript Title

LANGUAGE& MIGRATION

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course examines language in relation to migration in the contemporary multilingual world. It looks at how language is used by people on the move, and by those with whom they interact, in areas including health, education, the law and the workplace. It also explores how language practices are shaped by face-to-face and mediated encounters and by the constraints of political and institutional contexts. Key questions are: What languages and forms of communication get used, when, why and where? What linguistic factors enable and limit access for migrants to services and resources? What are the consequences?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HUMA3060

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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