COURSE DETAIL

DATING, MATING, AND CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS
Country Denmark
Host Institution University of Copenhagen
Program(s) University of Copenhagen
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Psychology
UCEAP Course Number 114
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title DATING, MATING, AND CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS
UCEAP Transcript Title DATING/MATING&RELAT
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course deals with dating, mating, and close (intimate) relationships. Although other relationships such as family and friendship are addressed, the main focus is on adult romantic relationships. It discusses core concepts and frameworks of close relationships (attachment, interdependence, love); cycles of close relationships from stages of initial attraction (and underlying mechanisms) to relationship formation, maintenance, repair, and in some cases dissolution; important aspects of close relationships such as trust, commitment, satisfaction, and sacrifice; communication and interaction patterns, conflict, and the relationship's social context; and dishonesty in romantic relationships and ongoing research. Throughout the course and more in-depth towards the end, it also addresses crucial contemporary matters such as cross-cultural differences and multi-ethnic couples; the LGBTQIA+ community; technology and online dating; and casual, short-term, and non-monogamous relationships.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
APSK15757U

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree
Master

Host Institution Department
Psychology

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