

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

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Master

Host Institution Department

Psychology

Course Last Reviewed

2023-2024

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