COURSE DETAIL

REVOLUTIONS, COUPS, AND REGIME CHANGE
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Utrecht University
Program(s) Utrecht University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) History
UCEAP Course Number 146
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title REVOLUTIONS, COUPS, AND REGIME CHANGE
UCEAP Transcript Title REVOLSCOUPS&REGIME
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course focuses on the explanations for revolutions and other forms of political upheaval from a long-term historical perspective. Four different academic theories to explain the causes, developments, and consequences of revolutions, coups, and regime changes are investigated. Particularly there is a focus on social class, the actions of the state elites, ideology, and transitions to democracy. Different explanations to concrete historical and recent instances of political upheaval, from the eighteenth century right up to the Arab Spring in the world of today are applied. Through an individual research project, students apply these various explanations to investigate a concrete revolutionary case in the past or present.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
GE3V17010

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Host Institution Campus
Utrecht University

Host Institution Faculty
Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Language and Culture Studies

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