COURSE DETAIL

FOOD CULTURE AND CUSTOMS
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Wageningen University and Research Center
Program(s) Wageningen University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology Agricultural Sciences
UCEAP Course Number 128
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title FOOD CULTURE AND CUSTOMS
UCEAP Transcript Title FOODCULTURE&CUSTOMS
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units 3.30

Course Description

Studying food is a way of studying some of the big questions that occupy social scientists. This course examines the role that food plays in customs and across cultures. Food culture is the expression of how people value food and everything connected to food. As such, this course is an exploration into the ever-changing social functions of food. This entails an examination of the attitudes and assumptions that shape people's lives; the rituals and beliefs that mark their identities; the role of ethics in food choice; and the ways foods are grown, processed, sold, and consumed in particular places.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
RSO22306

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Host Institution Campus
Wageningen University

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Rural Sociology

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