

COURSE DETAIL

THE CAUSES AND CONSEQUENCES OF WAR

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

King's College London

Program(s)

King's College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science International Studies History

UCEAP Course Number

110

UCEAP Course Suffix

Y

UCEAP Official Title

THE CAUSES AND CONSEQUENCES OF WAR

UCEAP Transcript Title

CAUSE&CONSEQENC:WAR

UCEAP Quarter Units

12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description

Reflecting on the causes and consequences of war involves some of the most fundamental questions facing any student of conflict, and this course is an introduction to thinking about them. Students explore the theoretical and methodological questions that arise when studying the causes of war. They consider the definition of war, and examine the role of theory in explaining and understanding its causes. Students utilize historical case studies, explore contemporary international politics and explore political change over time. In the second half of the year, the course also investigates some of the consequences of war – on the international system, on society, and on individuals. The course also addresses ways in which war and conflict can be prevented and mitigated.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

4SSW1001

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.kcl.ac.uk/abroad/module-options/causes-of-war-1>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

War Studies

Course Last Reviewed

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