COURSE DETAIL

NORDIC POLITICS AND SOCIETY
Country United Kingdom - England
Host Institution University College London
Program(s) University College London
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Scandinavian Studies European Studies
UCEAP Course Number 120
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title NORDIC POLITICS AND SOCIETY
UCEAP Transcript Title NORDIC POL&SOCIETY
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

The Nordic countries have often been regarded as model societies, famous for their high levels of economic prosperity, social equality, and political stability. Students discuss the historical roots of this distinctive Nordic experience and how it has changed since the end of the Cold War, as the Nordic countries have needed to adopt to new regional, Europewide, and global developments. The historical introduction is followed by a thematic examination of contemporary Nordic societies in a comparative perspective, looking at the varied legacies of the Nordic model. Topics include Nordic foreign and security policy, domestic politics and the rise of the populist right, immigration and integration, crime and justice, gender equality, environmentalism and Nordic co-operation. It should be noted that a focus on the Nordic countries also provides a new perspective on some of the most important developments affecting the whole of Europe over the last 30 years.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SCAN0025

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Host Institution Campus
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European Languages, Culture and Society

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