

COURSE DETAIL

SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY: CLASSICAL AND MODERN SOCIAL ANALYSIS

Country

Sweden

Host Institution

Lund University

Program(s)

Lund University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Environmental Studies

UCEAP Course Number

128

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

SOCIOLOGY OF GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY: CLASSICAL
AND MODERN SOCIAL ANALYSIS

UCEAP Transcript Title

SOCDEV&SUSTN:ANALYS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course provides a sociological perspective on economic, social, and political processes, focusing especially on global social change and sustainable development. Students acquire the knowledge required to understand and critically examine the discussions pursued about the global social change that marks modernity, focusing especially on the post-war period. The course includes four modules, this is the first module: Classical and Modern Social Analysis. The first module addresses classical and modern sociological theory, as well as the economic, social, and political transformations in focus of classical sociology. Emphasis is placed on the processes leading up to the social transformations that are usually covered by the concept of modernity, such as the emergence of sovereign nation-states, capitalism, bureaucracies, rationalization, and increasing division/differentiation of labor in and between countries. Furthermore, the module utilizes the different theories of science positions originally developed in classical sociology but still marking the social sciences.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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SOCA26

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Host Institution Campus

Lund University

Host Institution Faculty

Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Sociology

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