

COURSE DETAIL

DIGITAL FEMINISMS: THEORY AND METHODS FOR FEMINISM ON THE INTERNET

Country

France

Host Institution

Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

Program(s)

Sciences Po Paris

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Women's & Gender Studies Sociology Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

155

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

DIGITAL FEMINISMS: THEORY AND METHODS FOR FEMINISM ON THE INTERNET

UCEAP Transcript Title

DIGITAL FEMINISMS

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course examines questions such as whether gender matters on the internet; how patriarchy, misogyny, and racism get coded into our digital tools; and if a feminist internet is possible. It engages with feminist scholarship from sociology, communication, and technology studies to discuss key theories about the relationship between technology, power, and gender and consider how they are applied to describe various digital pursuits – from Instagram influencer labor to Google searches to data visualizations. The course investigates how feminist theory makes sense of our digital and technologically mediated world. The last third of the course pivots to reviewing feminism put into practice by communities of technologists, designers, and data scientists.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

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DSOC 25A29

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Seminar

Host Institution Department

Sociology

Course Last Reviewed

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