COURSE DETAIL

FUTURES: RISK AND GOVERNANCE IN PRACTICE
Country United Kingdom - Scotland
Host Institution University of St Andrews
Program(s) University of St Andrews
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Urban Studies
UCEAP Course Number 114
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title FUTURES: RISK AND GOVERNANCE IN PRACTICE
UCEAP Transcript Title FUTURES: RISK & GOV
UCEAP Quarter Units 12.00
UCEAP Semester Units 8.00

Course Description

The future is increasingly framed as unpredictable, turbulent, complex, and unknown. This course considers the implications of the future framed as uncertain for sustainable development. It explores risk governance as a means of navigating uncertain futures and its deployment for sustainable development. The first part of the course asks: what is risk governance? Content is theoretical in focus and introduces risk governance as governance that involves interventions based on anticipated futures. Lectures cover theorizations of risk and core components of risk governance. The second part is empirically focused and considers examples of risk governance in practice. Lectures focus on the deployment of risk governance for sustainable development in different industry contexts, such as insurance and urban planning. Concluding lectures reflect on risk governance, including how it is lived, experienced, and resisted.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SD4123

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
School of Geography and Sustainable Development

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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