

COURSE DETAIL

EDUCATION AND SOCIAL CHANGE

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of Bristol

Program(s)

University of Bristol

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Education

UCEAP Course Number

105

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

EDUCATION AND SOCIAL CHANGE

UCEAP Transcript Title

ED&SOCIAL CHANGE

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course introduces students to (1) the main disciplines which shape education, including sociology, philosophy, economics, history, and psychology, and the accounts they give of the relationships between education and social change; (2) the structures of formal education in the UK and the different conceptions of the value and purposes of education they represent; (3) how key stakeholders, such as policymakers, professional associations, teacher unions and employer bodies, have influenced the ways in which education is organized, for example, by raising the school leaving age, the introduction of a National Curriculum, or Academies; (4) the potential of education to create a more just and socially cohesive society, and what structural, organizational, and individual barriers help or hinder the realization of this vision; and (5) the role of educational theory and research in identifying and analyzing critical educational changes, using concepts such as, marketization, widening participation, social justice, and social inclusion.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

EDUC10002

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.bris.ac.uk/unit-programme-catalogue/UnitDetails.jsa?unitCode=EDUC10...>

Host Institution Campus

University of Bristol

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Education

Course Last Reviewed

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