COURSE DETAIL

INTERCULTURAL PHILOSOPHY & COMMUNICATION
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Maastricht University - Center for European Studies
Program(s) Maastricht Summer
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Philosophy Communication
UCEAP Course Number 108
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title INTERCULTURAL PHILOSOPHY & COMMUNICATION
UCEAP Transcript Title INTERCLTRL PHIL&COM
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units 3.30

Course Description

This course discusses the intercultural relationship between philosophy and communication. It has the form of a two-sided program that reflects the observation that, in the intercultural context, communication and philosophy are in fact two sides of the same coin. The first side approaches the phenomenon of communication between cultures from a philosophical point of view. Not only the possibility and appearance of communication between civilizations are debated but also the typical philosophical mindsets and attitudes of the different cultures are addressed. The second side relates this all to the question of how to understand, describe, and evaluate the meeting between world philosophies as a phenomenon of intercultural communication. The general framework of the discussion is delivered by some classical models that were developed within the Theory of Communication. They function as tools that enable one to understand why and how culturally dissimilar philosophies can influence the process of intercultural communication and why and how the form and appearance of this kind of communication can or should be regarded as a kind of intercultural philosophy itself.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
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Host Institution Campus
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Host Institution Degree
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