COURSE DETAIL

ANTHROPOLOGY, INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND RESOURCE EXTRACTION

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)
Environmental Studies Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number
135

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
ANTHROPOLOGY, INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND RESOURCE EXTRACTION

UCEAP Transcript Title
RESOURCE EXTRACTION

UCEAP Quarter Units
12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description

This course focuses on the social and cultural relations produced by resource management projects, and explores the global and local frames through a series of world-wide case studies of mining, oil, gas, and forestry projects. Resource projects have long been important sites of cultural contact, environmental impact and anthropological interest: whether first contact with prospectors, disputes with multinational companies, sustainable development initiatives or civil-society monitoring, resource exploration and extraction has long played an important part in the interface with non-western and indigenous peoples and the forces of globalization. The course also examines the potential for anthropological skills and knowledge to contribute to an industry that has increasingly to account for its social and environmental impacts to a global constituency.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SA3062

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Social Anthropology

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