COURSE DETAIL

POPULATION AGING AND SOCIAL POLICY

Country
Taiwan

Host Institution
National Taiwan University

Program(s)
National Taiwan University

UCEAP Course Level
Graduate

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Sociology

UCEAP Course Number
202

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
POPULATION AGING AND SOCIAL POLICY

UCEAP Transcript Title
POP AGING SOC POLCY

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units
3.00

Course Description

Population aging is a global trend, especially in East Asia. In Taiwan, the population of those ages 65 and over will reach 20% of the total population in 2025. Though the total number of the aging population is relatively small compared to developed countries, the speed at which it is occurring is one of the fastest in the world, thus leaving Taiwan less time to prepare policies and reconstruct an aging society.

Aging-related social policies are major challenges for many countries. This course introduces various policy areas among different countries: health and mental health, social care, economic security, lifelong learning, senior employment, voluntary services, age-friendly community development, social sustainability, and SDGs, etc.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SW7033

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Graduate Institute of Social Work

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