

# COURSE DETAIL

## INTRODUCTION TO DEVELOPMENT

**Country**

Israel

**Host Institution**

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

**Program(s)**

Hebrew University of Jerusalem

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

International Studies Development Studies

**UCEAP Course Number**

110

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO DEVELOPMENT

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

INTRO DEVELOPMENT

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

3.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

2.00

## Course Description

This course provides an introduction to the field of international development, focusing on community development and the impact of development interventions on disadvantaged individuals and communities. The course discusses the development of development theory since the 20th century; the various world events which led to changes in development theory and were significantly affected by them; and influential approaches to development practice. Historically, the course provides a broad understanding of power relations between the developed and the developing worlds since the 15th century; discusses the links between conflict, governances, and development; and examines various approaches to governance and their implications on development. Building on the understanding that communities are the key for achieving sustainable positive advancement in human development, the course focuses on theories and approaches which are relevant to community development, including the Capability Approach and the Assets Based Approach to development.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

59531

### Host Institution Course Title

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### Host Institution Course Details

### Host Institution Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

Rothberg International School

**Course Last Reviewed**

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