

# COURSE DETAIL

## SOCIAL MEDICINE AND INTERSECTING INEQUALITIES

**Country**

United Kingdom - England

**Host Institution**

King's College London

**Program(s)**

King's College London

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Health Sciences

**UCEAP Course Number**

109

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

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**UCEAP Official Title**

SOCIAL MEDICINE AND INTERSECTING INEQUALITIES

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

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**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

### **Course Description**

Health and disease are shaped by social, cultural, political, and technological forces and inextricably linked with questions of science, technology, modernity, religion, colonialism, capitalism, racism, globalization, humanitarianism, and the state. This course focuses on recent developments towards the pharmaceuticalization of health, the molecularization of life, the commodification of the body, the privatization of medical care, and the securitization of public health. These developments have fundamentally transformed today's landscape of therapeutic governance in fundamental ways.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

4SSHM004

### **Host Institution Course Title**

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### **Host Institution Course Details**

<https://www.kcl.ac.uk/abroad/module-options/social-medicine-and-intersecting-in...>

### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

Social Science & Public Policy

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Global Health and Social Medicine

### **Course Last Reviewed**

2023-2024

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