

COURSE DETAIL

ASTROBIOLOGY

Country

New Zealand

Host Institution

University of Auckland

Program(s)

University of Auckland

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Earth & Space Sciences

UCEAP Course Number

120

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ASTROBIOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

ASTROBIOLOGY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines topics such as the nature of science and matauranga Maori; the origin and age of the Universe and our solar system; the origin and evolution of life on Earth; extremophiles and the environmental limits of life; the search for habitable environments in the Solar System; exploration of Mars and Icy Worlds for extra-terrestrial life; extrasolar planets; planetary protection; and the ethics and future of space exploration.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

ASTRO 200

Host Institution Course Title

ASTROBIOLOGY

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Science

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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