COURSE DETAIL

CREATIVE CITIES AND URBAN CULTURAL LIFE
Country Hong Kong
Host Institution Chinese University of Hong Kong
Program(s) Hong Kong Summer, CUHK
UCEAP Course Level Lower Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Urban Studies
UCEAP Course Number 40
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title CREATIVE CITIES AND URBAN CULTURAL LIFE
UCEAP Transcript Title URBAN CULTURAL LIFE
UCEAP Quarter Units 4.50
UCEAP Semester Units 3.00

Course Description

Creative economy and cultural industries have been considered crucial strategies for driving the urban development of global cities. The dynamic landscape of the global cultural scene, where culture converges with the economy, community, heritage, and innovative technologies, has created an impetus for many cities to adopt innovative approaches in utilizing urban spaces and cultural resources, enabling citizens to vividly reimagine their urban and cultural life. These approaches are envisioned as and manifested in the form of the development of large-scale urban regions and city clusters, where major cultural facilities such as museums, art districts, performance venues, and festivals significantly contribute to social well-being and intercultural dialogue. This course is designed to provide students with an opportunity to explore the interface among culture, urban space, and the economy with an eye towards the radically changing cultural landscape of Hong Kong. By offering students both theoretical knowledge and first- hand field experience, this course examines museums, galleries, and various cultural institutions as exemplary cases of how different forms of cultural activities can be turned into powerhouses of creative synergies and economic growth.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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