COURSE DETAIL

FOOD IN CONTEMPORARY FRANCE
Country France
Host Institution UC Center, Paris
Program(s) Food, History, and Culture in Paris
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Sociology Anthropology
UCEAP Course Number 115
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title FOOD IN CONTEMPORARY FRANCE
UCEAP Transcript Title FOOD/CONTEMP FRANCE
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units 3.30

Course Description

This course explores the intersection between food cultures and food politics, emphasizing the pivotal debates and discussions that have shaped French culinary traditions. It delves into how food serves as a medium for studying urban transformations, global interactions, and the evolution of national identity. The course examines how food has been a tool for constructing community and belonging, as well as exclusion. Through a combination of interdisciplinary readings, analytic and ethnographic writing assignments, and immersive excursions around Paris, the course considers the role of food in structuring identities, everyday practices, and political landscapes in modern France.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
UC Center, Paris

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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