

# COURSE DETAIL

## HUMAN GEOGRAPHY AND THE CITY

**Country**

United Kingdom - England

**Host Institution**

London School of Economics

**Program(s)**

London School of Economics

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Urban Studies Geography

**UCEAP Course Number**

130

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

Y

**UCEAP Official Title**

HUMAN GEOGRAPHY AND THE CITY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

HUMAN GEOG & CITY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

12.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

8.00

### **Course Description**

This course introduces students to selected ways in which human geographers seek to understand cities. It explores the relationship between people and place. Primarily engaging with London, students consider how the city has been shaped over time by its people and how, in turn the city experience has shaped and continues to shape the lives of those who live there. Students consider how the city is described, imagined, and planned through official discourses, and how people create a sense of place, of self, and of others in the city. In the fall semester, students explore the relationship between planning, architecture, design, and people's identities. In the spring semester, students explore the relationship between infrastructure and people. Throughout students consider how human geographers engage with the lived experience of the city through the lens of, for example, ethnicity, class, and sexual identity.

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

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

GY144

### **Host Institution Course Title**

HUMAN GEOGRAPHY AND THE CITY

### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Geography and Environment

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