

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

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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 will consider how the city is described, imagined and planned through official discourses. And at how people create a sense of place, of self and of others in the city. In the Fall semester students explore about 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

London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Geography and Environment

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