

## COURSE DETAIL

### COMMUNICATION REVOLUTIONS IN LATIN AMERICA, C.1539 TO THE PRESENT

**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)**

Latin American Studies History

**UCEAP Course Number**

156

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

Y

**UCEAP Official Title**

COMMUNICATION REVOLUTIONS IN LATIN AMERICA, c.1539 TO THE PRESENT

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

COMM IN LATAM 1539+

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

12.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

8.00

**Course Description**

This course examines the idea of the communication revolution from two perspectives. First, how have changes in communications technology altered the speed and nature of communication between individuals and societies? The course explores how inventions such as the printing press, the camera and the radio helped connect Latin Americans to national and international networks and gave rise to new political and cultural identities. Second, how have individuals and groups used mass communication to both push for and resist revolutionary change? Examples include the role of print culture in the Atlantic Revolutions, printmaking in the Mexican Revolution and the pioneering use of radio education in the Andean countryside during the 1960s.

**Language(s) of Instruction**

English

**Host Institution Course Number**

HY334

**Host Institution Course Title**

COMMUNICATION REVOLUTIONS IN LATIN AMERICA, c.1539 TO THE PRESENT

**Host Institution Campus**

London

**Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

International History

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