COURSE DETAIL

MIGRATION AND MOBILITY IN A GLOBAL WORLD

Country

Germany

Host Institution

CIEE, Berlin

Program(s)

The Berlin Experience

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science International Studies

UCEAP Course Number

120

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

MIGRATION AND MOBILITY IN A GLOBAL WORLD

UCEAP Transcript Title

MIGRATION&MOBILITY

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course provides students with insight and tools to analyze migration in 20th and 21st centuries, focusing on the major migration waves that have involved the USA and how it is also perceived as a transfer of knowledge, goods, capital and networks across borders. Demographic, economic, social, political and religious causes of migration are addressed through the analysis of specific case studies, which provide the students with a map of the most significant movements of people and their aftermaths in the decades to follow. The instructor and different guest speakers pose a variety of questions such as, what are the definitions of migration? What is the role of states in defining and managing migration? Does it complement, compete with, subvert and/or foreshadow ethnic, national, religious, class and gender identities? What are the most vulnerable migrant groups? How do practices of migration cohabit with the state? What are the references in migration studies to concepts such as multiculturalism, toleration, diversity, collective rights, alienation and difference?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

POLI 3006

Host Institution Course Title

MIGRATION AND MOBILITY IN A GLOBAL WORLD

Host Institution Campus

CIEE Berlin

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Print