

COURSE DETAIL

SOCIALIST POLITICAL IDEAS

Country

Brazil

Host Institution

Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro

Program(s)

Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology

UCEAP Course Number

135

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

SOCIALIST POLITICAL IDEAS

UCEAP Transcript Title

SOCIALIST POL IDEAS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

The objective of this course is to carry out an updated reading of certain classic texts of the socialist tradition in order to discuss the relationship between the Political and the Economic, and from there, between a Politics overdetermined by class and a postmodern Politics centered on identity and subjective elements. This course explores Rousseau, the thought of the utopian socialists and their Marxist critique, the evolution of Marx and Engels' political thought from 1848, the Paris Commune, Evolutionism and reformism in the Marxism of the Second International, the Luxembourgist critique, Lenin and the emergence of Bolshevism, Gramsci, and the radicalization of Leninism by Trotsky. This course also includes contemporary assessments of these topics.

Language(s) of Instruction

Portuguese

Host Institution Course Number

SOC 1294

Host Institution Course Title

SOCIALIST POLITICAL IDEAS

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

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