COURSE DETAIL

BUDDHIST ETHICS
Country United Kingdom - Scotland
Host Institution University of Edinburgh
Program(s) University of Edinburgh
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Religious Studies Philosophy
UCEAP Course Number 124
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title BUDDHIST ETHICS
UCEAP Transcript Title BUDDHIST ETHICS
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This course explores a selection of topics in Buddhist ethics, using a range of sources from historical contexts and contemporary debate. Themes include ecology and animal rights, human rights (including abortion, euthanasia, and issues of equality), war and peace, and economic ethics. The course begins with an introductory discussion of the foundations of Buddhist ethics, including ideas such as karma and rebirth, and key Buddhist virtues and ideals. Ethical topics are then explored in turn, using a range of sources from a variety of Buddhist contexts, historical and contemporary.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
DIVI10041

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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
Edinburgh

Host Institution Faculty
School of Divinity

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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