COURSE DETAIL

POLITICAL ECONOMY

Country

Mexico

Host Institution

National Autonomous University of Mexico

Program(s)

National Autonomous University of Mexico

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Geography Economics

UCEAP Course Number

106

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

POLITICAL ECONOMY

UCEAP Transcript Title

POLITICAL ECONOMY

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

The class first covers the historical-social process of capitalism through a geographic perspective by explaining the different theories of political economy and its critics, mainly Marx. The course begins with the physiocrats, then to the mercantiles, and classical political economic theories. The course covers feudal societies, class antagonisms, creation of port cities, and centralization of markets and power within cities. It also addresses the hierarchical dynamics of capitalism on a global scale and changes in use value and exchange value as a result of higher quality of life.

Language(s) of Instruction

Spanish

Host Institution Course Number

1928

Host Institution Course Title

POLITICAL ECONOMY

Host Institution Campus

NATIONAL AUTONOMOUS UNIVERSITY OF MEXICO

Host Institution Faculty

FACULTAD DE FILOSOFIA Y LETRAS

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

GEOGRAFIA

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