COURSE DETAIL

THE ETHICS AND POLITICS OF EMOTION
Country United Kingdom - England
Host Institution University College London
Program(s) University College London
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Political Science
UCEAP Course Number 178
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title THE ETHICS AND POLITICS OF EMOTION
UCEAP Transcript Title ETHICS&POL/ EMOTION
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course tackles a central political and social issue of our times: the role of emotions such as hatred, anger, patriotism, shame, and offence in our politics and society. Students investigate questions such as, what is the social and moral value – or disvalue – of these emotions? When are these instrumentally beneficial, and when are they corrosive of our democratic culture or society? Informed by contemporary work in psychology, ethics, feminist philosophy, and political philosophy, this course explores a range of emotions.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
POLS0115

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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Political Science

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