

COURSE DETAIL

COLONIALISM AND DECOLONIZATION

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

King's College London

Program(s)

King's College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Religious Studies

UCEAP Course Number

123

UCEAP Course Suffix

N

UCEAP Official Title

COLONIALISM AND DECOLONIZATION

UCEAP Transcript Title

COLONIALISM

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines the relationship between colonialism, decolonization, and religion globally from both historical and contemporary perspectives. This includes the ways in which secularism and colonial modernity provided a context for the remaking of religion, as well as the many different forms of colonial power and anti-colonial resistance across the world. Special attention is paid to questions around gender, class, racialization, and religious minorities. Students critically examine formative concepts, theories, and texts related to the post-colonial study of religion, as well as historical arguments from anti- and decolonial perspectives. Examples may be drawn from a variety of contexts and religious traditions such as Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, and Judaism, as well as indigenous religious traditions.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

4AAT1995

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Arts & Humanities

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