

COURSE DETAIL

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Country

Denmark

Host Institution

University of Copenhagen

Program(s)

University of Copenhagen

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Urban Studies Environmental Studies

UCEAP Course Number

140

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course introduces the components and structure of an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and discusses how national guidelines and requirements for EIAs influence the outcome. Current EIAs include an evaluation of environmental, economic, social and cultural impacts of development projects, hence the course is interdisciplinary by nature and is relevant for a range of academic disciplines. The course provides a comprehensive overview and thorough knowledge of EIA procedures and methodologies, introduces basic concepts and generic methodologies, and focuses on EIA within the fields of agriculture and forestry, natural resource management, infrastructure and water resource management projects. The problems and pitfalls of EIA are also discussed. The course mainly focuses on EIA in developing countries, but examples from Denmark and other countries are also used.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

LNAK10010U

Host Institution Course Title

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Science

Host Institution Degree

Master

Host Institution Department

Plant and Environmental Sciences; Geoscience and Natural Resource
Management

Course Last Reviewed

2024-2025

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