

# 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**

ENVR IMPACT ASSESS

**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 Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

Science

### Host Institution Degree

Master

### Host Institution Department

Plant and Environmental Sciences; Geoscience and Natural Resource Management

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