COURSE DETAIL

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
Country Netherlands
Host Institution Maastricht University - Center for European Studies
Program(s) Maastricht Summer
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Environmental Studies
UCEAP Course Number 120
UCEAP Course Suffix S
UCEAP Official Title SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
UCEAP Transcript Title SUSTAINABLE DEVELOP
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course studies future-defining themes such as Food, Water, Energy, Engineering, and Health both from an academic and real-life perspective. While learning about contemporary efforts and policies to address climate change, inequality, and globalization, the course also explores what these phenomena really entail and how they can be addressed through thinking and actions. The course discusses the thoughts of our greatest philosophers as well as site visits, interviews with leading policymakers, entrepreneurs, and scientists, and an exploration of real life. Understanding the essence of entrepreneurship in the realm of globally interconnected markets, production, and supply chains is a continuous thread throughout the course. Seeking to understand human behavior through the lens of consumption and lifestyles, key elements of positive psychology are studied.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
SUS2001

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Course Details
https://curriculum.maastrichtuniversity.nl/meta/484006/sustainable-development

Host Institution Campus
Maastricht University

Host Institution Faculty
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Host Institution Degree

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