COURSE DETAIL

CRITICAL APPROACHES TO LANDSCAPES, POWER AND SOCIETY
Country United Kingdom - Scotland
Host Institution University of Edinburgh
Program(s) University of Edinburgh
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Geography
UCEAP Course Number 112
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title CRITICAL APPROACHES TO LANDSCAPES, POWER AND SOCIETY
UCEAP Transcript Title LANDSCAPE POWER&SOC
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This course introduces critical approaches in human geography to understanding the relationships between landscapes, power, and society. The critical approaches applied in this course stem from ideas within cultural, political, and social geographies which centralize the role of power in socio-spatial dynamics, and how power produces complex relations between society and the landscapes we inhabit. Critical approaches in human geography provide a framework to understand society and landscapes as carrying multiple meanings. Students examine society as composed of knowledge, institutions, community dynamics, representations, discourses, inclusions/exclusions, material aspects, and more. Similarly, landscapes are explored in terms of nature, bodies, the imagination, digital realms, technology, everyday experiences, and other dimensions. These various perspectives demonstrate how power imbues landscapes and society with various meanings, and how ideas in human geography can critically analyze the co-production and experiences of landscapes, power, and society.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
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