

COURSE DETAIL

POSTCOLONIAL AND CRITICAL APPROACHES TO WORLD POLITICS

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University College London

Program(s)

University College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science International Studies

UCEAP Course Number

116

UCEAP Course Suffix

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UCEAP Official Title

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UCEAP Transcript Title

POSTCOL/WORLD POL

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

Students examine how we form opinions about the world, cases of conflict, diplomacy, and the role of non-state actors and major global institutions in creating/sustaining the world around us today. In particular, students assess the different assumptions within particular approaches to IR, their methods and understanding of who and what matters in global politics; how approaches conceptualizes international institutions, and the relationship between agency and international structure. Students investigate issues like whether there is equal sovereignty in the world today, what do we mean by "North-South relations" and the links between theory and practice. Key concepts include anarchy, sovereignty, power, hegemony and empire, the state, and the international system.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

POLS0088

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Political Science

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