

# COURSE DETAIL

## SOCIAL MOVEMENTS

**Country**

Egypt

**Host Institution**

American University in Cairo

**Program(s)**

The American University in Cairo

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Sociology

**UCEAP Course Number**

113

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

SOCIAL MOVEMENTS

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

SOCIAL MOVEMENTS

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## **Course Description**

This course introduce the theories and the tools that attempt to explain the emergence, trajectories, and outcomes of social movements. It covers the basic processes by which societies initiate, consolidate, transform, and change their basic institutions and social structures and provides an anatomy of reform and revolutionary social movements, especially those affecting Arab and Third World societies. It examines a variety of case studies of social movements during the 20th century and discusses some of the case studies of the recent wave of uprisings in the Arab World. The course encourages students to think critically about how social movements emerge, sustain themselves, feel, think, achieve their goals or/and decline.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

SOC 3303

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### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Sociology, Egyptology and Anthropology

### **Course Last Reviewed**

2024-2025

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