COURSE DETAIL

ETHICS IN PUBLIC POLICY MAKING & IMPLEMENTATION

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

Nanyang Technological University

Program(s)

Nanyang Technological University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science

UCEAP Course Number

115

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

ETHICS IN PUBLIC POLICY MAKING & IMPLEMENTATION

UCEAP Transcript Title

ETHICS PUBLIC POLCY

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course examines the study of ethical considerations and issues in public policy making and implementation. The course addresses the question of how (best) to design and implement ethical public policy within a certain societal context? Students examine the different ethical perspectives, issues as well as tensions/dilemmas that arise during the public policy making and implementation phases in key policy sectors primarily, but not exclusively, within the Asia-Pacific region. These policy sectors are prominent sectors that are seen in many Asia-pacific societies, including the education, economic, housing, social and environmental sectors. Lectures focus on delivery of relevant concepts and perspectives relating to ethics in public policy making and implementation. Lectures in the first part of the course center around concepts and perspectives on ethics in public policy making and implementation. Lectures in the second part of the course situate the concepts and perspectives covered in the first part of the course in specific case studies that reflect key policy sectors. Extending from these lectures, the tutorials provide students with the opportunity to apply what is learned in the lectures and to analyze and evaluate the ethical considerations, dilemmas and tensions that arise within the respective public policy sectors under study. This course has a pre-requisite of Introduction to Public Administration and Policy (HA1003).

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HA2028

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