COURSE DETAIL

THE UNITED STATES OF EMPIRE: PLACE AND POWER IN US FOREIGN RELATIONS

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

UCEAP Course Number
167

UCEAP Course Suffix
N

UCEAP Official Title
THE UNITED STATES OF EMPIRE: PLACE AND POWER IN US FOREIGN RELATIONS

UCEAP Transcript Title
US OF EMPIRE

UCEAP Quarter Units
6.00

UCEAP Semester Units
4.00

Course Description

This course explores how different kinds of outposts became key sites for directing and negotiating the different forms of US empire, from the early days of colonization to the recent past. Each week students explore a different kind of outpost, often focusing on one particular beachhead of American power. Likewise, they analyze the outsized influence of Americans abroad and assess how the creation and maintenance of different kinds of outposts helped form the structure and sinews of the US empire. This course combines different strands of transnational history, particularly the histories of empire, capitalism, and ecology.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
AMER0095

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty
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Host Institution Degree

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