

COURSE DETAIL

MIGRANT LIVES: EXPERIENCE, PSYCHE, HISTORY

Country

Denmark

Host Institution

University of Copenhagen

Program(s)

University of Copenhagen

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number

122

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

MIGRANT LIVES

UCEAP Quarter Units

12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description

This course provides a deeper understanding of migrant lives, experiences, and emotions in the 20th and 21st century, to give a fuller sense of the varied comparative and transdisciplinary methodologies that can be used in the study of the subject, and to introduce students to research work with a view to thesis writing. The course incorporates varied approaches including chronological, thematic, and theoretical aspects. For example: the relationship between psy disciplines and migration experiences; the emergence of refugee psychiatry and its relationship to broader political contexts; and the politics of humanitarian psychiatry. The course centers around a group of comparative and interdisciplinary case studies. These include displaced persons and forced migration from within and outside Europe after the First and Second World War; dissidents and refugees in Europe; guest workers and post-colonial labor migrants after 1945 in Britain, France, and Germany. The course also incorporates varied methodologies and sources, including printed and unprinted sources, oral history and life-story analysis, quantitative, qualitative, and comparative methods as well as film, memoir, and visual analysis.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

HEGRBTV04U

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Bachelor

Host Institution Department

English, Germanic and Romance Studies

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