COURSE DETAIL

POWER, IDEOLOGY AND INEQUALITY
Country Australia
Host Institution University of Melbourne
Program(s) University of Melbourne
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Anthropology
UCEAP Course Number 137
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title POWER, IDEOLOGY AND INEQUALITY
UCEAP Transcript Title POWER IDEOL&INEQUAL
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

Drawing principally on Marxist anthropology, post-structuralism and post-colonialism, this course looks cross-culturally to explore the interrelationships between diverse forms and sources of power, the roles of colonialism and corporate globalization in configuring and sustaining local relations of inequality, and the rise of resistance movements that explicitly challenge exclusions based on class, gender, and ethnicity. Special attention will be paid to the effects of multinational corporations on local power relations and patterns of inequality throughout the world via brand marketing, legal reform, and corporate social responsibility. Case studies will be drawn from Latin America, North America, Africa, Australia, and Southeast Asia.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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ANTH30005

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Host Institution Campus
Melbourne

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Anthropology

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