COURSE DETAIL

FROM THE SANS-CULOTTES TO THE YELLOW VESTS: A HISTORY OF POPULAR PROTESTS

Country

France

Host Institution

University of Lyon 2

Program(s)

University of Lyon

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

UCEAP Course Number

121

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

FROM THE SANS-CULOTTES TO THE YELLOW VESTS: A HISTORY OF POPULAR PROTESTS

UCEAP Transcript Title

HIST/POPULR PROTEST

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course deals with collective mobilizations of working class men and women (riots, strikes, syndicalism, demonstrations) from the 18th century to today. In history, the study of revolts and revolutions has raised the question of the people's participation in national politics. The revolting working classes are indeed a strong representation, full of meaning, images, and symbols. This image is perhaps all the more central in France where the national narrative is built on the legacy of the French Revolution, when the people imposed democracy. This course presents the very history of these mobilizations, of their action patterns and objects of contestation, while focusing on men and women who revolt. It outlines the history of ideas and political movements (socialism, communism, anarchism, etc) along with the history of political and union organizations that structured part of the popular protests. This course examines collective and popular mobilizations from the revolutionary period to today and analyzes the role of these mobilizations on political, social, and cultural history of contemporary France.

Language(s) of Instruction

French

Host Institution Course Number

36KZAA13

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