COURSE DETAIL

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & DEMOCRACY
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 120
UCEAP Course Suffix P
UCEAP Official Title SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & DEMOCRACY
UCEAP Transcript Title SCI/TECH &DEMOCRACY
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course explores the relationships between science, technology, and democracy, and the changing role of the State in science and technology (S&T) in our societies. Students explore science and technology policy issues and look at wider challenges, such as efforts to improve public engagement in decisions about science and technology, initiatives to encourage more responsible research and innovation, and debates about the apparent rise in fraud and misconduct in science and concerns on the part of some scientists that many published scientific findings may be false. The issues explored in this course are critical to citizenship in a modern science and technology-based democracy.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
STEP0001

Host Institution Course Title
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Host Institution Course Details
https://www.ucl.ac.uk/steapp/study/masters-public-administration-mpa/electives

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Science, Technology, Engineering and Public Policy

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