

COURSE DETAIL

LEARNING OUT OF SCHOOL: PLAY, YOUTH WORK AND SOCIAL PEDAGOGY

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

King's College London

Program(s)

King's College London

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Education

UCEAP Course Number

134

UCEAP Course Suffix

N

UCEAP Official Title

LEARNING OUT OF SCHOOL: PLAY, YOUTH WORK AND SOCIAL PEDAGOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

LEARN OUT OF SCHOOL

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines the ideas, policies, and practices surrounding education and learning with children and young people outside of formal school-based settings. The course looks at diverse approaches to informal education, including youth work, play work, social action, social pedagogy, and educational work in other settings such as museums, libraries, science centers, and outdoors. What these approaches have in common is a child-centered or youth-centered ethos; a holistic approach to learning; a central focus on anti-oppressive practice; and a high value placed on respectful and trusting relationships between learners and staff. The course considers what out-of-school practices offer to children and young people, reflects on the vital role of informal educators in such settings, and discusses how policy can support and/or create challenging conditions for learning out of school.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

6SSES010

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Host Institution Campus**Host Institution Faculty**

School of Education, Communication & Society

Host Institution Degree**Host Institution Department**[Print](#)