COURSE DETAIL

ETHNOGRAPHIES AND ADVENTURES IN MANCHESTER
Country United Kingdom - England
Host Institution University of Manchester
Program(s) University of Manchester
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Urban Studies Anthropology
UCEAP Course Number 161
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title ETHNOGRAPHIES AND ADVENTURES IN MANCHESTER
UCEAP Transcript Title ETHNOGRAPHIES/MANCH
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description

This course begins by exploring the intellectual interventions and traditions that have emerged in the anthropology in and of Britain over the last 50 years, and then swiftly moves into exploring the ways in which interdisciplinary ethnographic research has been conducted across Britain. While reading ethnographies in cross cultural, global contexts, in this course students place a particular emphasis on the urban context of Greater Manchester. Students explore ethnographies that have been based on ethnographic research across Greater Manchester, and which raise and address urgent questions of social, political, and economic change in Manchester and beyond. The course tackles the concept of "the urban'" by exploring ethnographic examples from anthropology, sociology, human geography, and business studies that focus on social and cultural lives and relations. Students take two fieldtrips (Cheetham's Library and Manchester Airport) and two walking tours (Fallowfield and Rusholme) to visit and reflect on the ethnographic locations of the materials and readings they engage with.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Social Anthropology

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