

COURSE DETAIL

GLOBAL CHANGE, SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS

Country

Australia

Host Institution

University of Sydney

Program(s)

University of Sydney

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Geography Development Studies

UCEAP Course Number

152

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

GLOBAL CHANGE, SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS

UCEAP Transcript Title

GLOBAL CHANGE

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines core theories and frameworks used in geography to account for the social, spatial and economic unevenness in global development. It focuses on questions relating to who are the winners and losers from contemporary patterns of global economic change. This includes the analysis of relevant conceptual approaches to understand processes of global development and inequality (including comparative advantage, global value chain theory, developmentalism, structuralism, neo-liberalism, and post-development). Then, it adopts a livelihoods approach to better understand these broader processes from the perspective of individuals, households and communities. In general, issues are tailored to themes being played out in Asia-Pacific countries.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

GEOS3524

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.sydney.edu.au/units/GEOS3524>

Host Institution Campus

Camperdown / Darlington

Host Institution Faculty

Science

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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