

COURSE DETAIL

SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGY

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

University College Dublin

Program(s)

University College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology Anthropology

UCEAP Course Number

185

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGY

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course introduces one of sociology's sister disciplines, social anthropology, which is also referred to as cultural anthropology or ethnology. This course has a theoretical and an applied dimension. In the theoretical portion it introduces classical and modern examples of anthropological theory ranging from B. Malinowski and C. Levi-Strauss to C. Geertz and J. Diamond. The applied portion uses a variety of examples and field studies ranging from geographically closer regions such as Northern Ireland, the Basque country, and South Tyrol, to more "exotic" regions and examples.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SOC20070

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Sociology

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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