COURSE DETAIL

CONTEMPORARY POLITICAL LIFE IN LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Country
France

Host Institution
University of Lyon 2

Program(s)
University of Lyon

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Political Science Latin American Studies

UCEAP Course Number
105

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
CONTEMPORARY POLITICAL LIFE IN LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

UCEAP Transcript Title
CONTEM POL LATIN AM

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course studies the relationship between states and social movements in Latin America. First, it provides an overview of Latin America at the beginning of the 21st century, with some of the strong political changes that mark the first decades of the century. It then talks more specifically about the political intermediaries that were multiplied or imposed within the framework of these changes, before studying further precisely some of the most important mobilizations of the period contemporary such as feminist mobilizations, indigenous peoples, or against megaprojects. Thus, it considers the different forms and repertoires that these movements use to oppose the public policies of their governments. The multiplicity of these forms provide an overview of the actions of protest in the American subcontinent to the most contemporary period.

Language(s) of Instruction
Spanish

Host Institution Course Number

Host Institution Course Title
VIDA POLÍTICA CONTEMPORÁNEA EN AMÉRICA LATINA Y EL CARIBE (DE LOS AÑOS 80 A NUESTROS DÍAS)

Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
Sciences Po Lyon

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
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