

COURSE DETAIL

TOPICS AND ISSUES IN SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of Manchester

Program(s)

University of Manchester

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

179

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

TOPICS SOCIAL PSYCH

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

The course extends understanding of historical and contemporary theories in social psychology and challenge students to use their knowledge to engage with real-world issues. For example, what brings people together, and what keeps them apart? The emphasis is on fostering ethically minded and socially responsible psychology graduates, through critical reflection of our personal place in a social system. Students consider one's potential to help others in need, and to be critically and responsively aware of known biases in social perception and judgement. The course equips students with enhanced employability skills through a focus on the ability to understand and articulate complex arguments, and to support claims by making sense of and explaining empirical evidence. Students are encouraged to engage with compelling experimental paradigms and debates in social psychology to move beyond directed textbook material and to become independent, active, and self-directed learners.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PSYC21701

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.manchester.ac.uk/study/international/study-abroad-exchange/unit-sea...>

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Psychology

Course Last Reviewed

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