

COURSE DETAIL

DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

Country

Denmark

Host Institution

University of Copenhagen

Program(s)

University of Copenhagen

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

107

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCH

UCEAP Quarter Units

12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description

Developmental psychology is the scientific study of human development, covering periods from infancy through childhood to adolescence. A fundamental assumption in developmental psychology is that human development occurs within a specific environment and sociocultural context, profoundly influencing the individual child's developmental trajectory. The course provides an overview of the biological, cognitive, emotional, and social changes occurring during this period; introduces key theories and methods in developmental psychology; and presents quantitative and qualitative empirical research reflecting current international research within the field. A central theme explored throughout the course concerns how development is shaped by multiple levels of context – including genotype and neurobiology; social interactions with caregivers and peers; family, daycare and school environments, norms and culture, broader ecological conditions; and our species evolutionary history.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

APSB21010U

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DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Social Sciences

Host Institution Degree

Bachelor

Host Institution Department

Psychology

Course Last Reviewed

2025-2026

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