

COURSE DETAIL

THE HOLOCAUST: HISTORY AND LEGACIES

Country

France

Host Institution

Institut d'Etudes Politiques (Sciences Po)

Program(s)

Sciences Po Paris

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

History

UCEAP Course Number

148

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

THE HOLOCAUST: HISTORY AND LEGACIES

UCEAP Transcript Title

HOLOCAUST:HIST&LGCY

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course explores the Holocaust from different perspectives: the various stages of the Nazi persecution and extermination of Jews; Jewish voices, experiences and agency; and the attitude of the surrounding non-Jewish population towards the Holocaust. Thus, the course introduces what the historian Saul Friedländer called an “integrated history of the Holocaust”, taking into account perpetrators, Jewish victims and the surrounding societies. The geographical focus is on Eastern Europe, where almost all of the Holocaust killings had taken place. The course explores different types of sources and historiographical approaches: every-day life, cultural history, gender history, micro-history. The last sessions of the course explore how different societies coped with the memory of the Holocaust and the difficult past, examining Poland, France, and Israel.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

DHIS 25A31

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Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Seminar

Host Institution Department

History

Course Last Reviewed

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