

COURSE DETAIL

ECONOMIC INEQUALITY

Country

Australia

Host Institution

University of Technology Sydney

Program(s)

University of Technology Sydney

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Economics

UCEAP Course Number

50

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

ECONOMIC INEQUALITY

UCEAP Transcript Title

ECONOMIC INEQUALITY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines the nature and causes of inequalities in wealth and income that characterize the world. It covers global as well as local dimensions of inequality, and the nature of disparities between various population sub-groups including indigenous peoples, and how these disparities change over time. It looks at how to measure inequality, to differentiate between outcome and opportunity disparities, and to use economic theories in explaining these phenomena. Factors such as capital, labor, technological change, globalization, education, financialization and institutional structures will be covered. It also looks at government policies aimed at reducing inequality.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

23510

Host Institution Course Title

ECONOMIC INEQUALITY

Host Institution Course Details

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Host Institution Campus

City

Host Institution Faculty

Business

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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