

**IN-PERSON** | 2022 BERKELEY SUMMER SESSIONS

# Africa and Modern Global Thought

GLOBAL STUDIES | **GLOBAL 150K**



## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This course will provide students with an introduction to multidisciplinary research on current issues and topics related to Africa and modern global thought. More specifically, students will explore how Africa relates to, and how Africans and people of African descent have advanced, global conversations around six themes of contemporary importance: post-colonialism, society and culture, development, conflict and peace, human rights, and environmentalism. Through weekly film screenings, group discussions, and individual assignments, students will learn how to place our authors' ideas into conversation with their own experiences as well as with global context and course themes articulated in lecture.

## **REQUIREMENTS CLASS FULFILLS**

- This course will satisfy the Global Studies major Africa region requirement and the Political Economy concentration topics related to Africa or Globalization.

## **INSTRUCTOR**

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## **SESSION D**

SIX WEEKS

JULY 5 - AUGUST 12

M, W, F

2:00 PM - 4:30 PM

CLASS # 15522

4 UNITS



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