SOC412 Sociology of Development I (2 Units)

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The course examines theories surrounding the nature of the process of development. Major attention is devoted to rival theories of where and why development occurs and to a variety of social consequences of development; an examination of the transitions from pre-modern to modern and from modern to post-modern economies and societies in Africa; An inquiry into the causes and social effects of rapid "modernizing" social changes such as increases in urban residence, schooling, factory work, and mass media exposure.