

COURSE DETAIL

SEXUALITY, CULTURE AND IDENTITY

Country

Hong Kong

Host Institution

University of Hong Kong

Program(s)

University of Hong Kong

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Sociology

UCEAP Course Number

139

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

SEXUALITY, CULTURE AND IDENTITY

UCEAP Transcript Title

SEX/ CULTURE & ID

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

What is human sexuality? How can we understand erotic desires? Why are some forms of sexuality being constructed as 'normal' while others are considered as 'deviant'? This course introduces how human sexuality is formed by social, economic, political and cultural factors. Course readings address different understandings of sexuality in various cultures with specific focus on Asian cultures. Classic theoretical texts on the sociology of sexuality are also examined in this course. Key topics include beauty myth and body politics, transgenderism and intersexuality, sexual morality and religion, homosexuality, sexual citizenship and sexual politics, sex work and pornography, urban space of desire, and sexuality education.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SOCI2081

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Host Institution Course Details**Host Institution Campus****Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Sociology

Course Last Reviewed

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