COURSE DETAIL

QUEENS AND QUEENSHIP IN EARLY MEDIEVAL EUROPE
Country United Kingdom - Scotland
Host Institution University of St Andrews
Program(s) University of St Andrews
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) History
UCEAP Course Number 104
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title QUEENS AND QUEENSHIP IN EARLY MEDIEVAL EUROPE
UCEAP Transcript Title QUEENS:MEDVL EUROPE
UCEAP Quarter Units 12.00
UCEAP Semester Units 8.00

Course Description
This course explores the political role played by queens in the early Middle Ages. Students study the constantly shifting representation of female authority (often depicted as unnatural and dangerous); examine various key moments in early medieval political history; and illuminate contemporary power structures. Students confront broader cultural phenomena - for example changing attitudes to marriage, sex, and masculinity - and engage with modern historiographical debates about gender and history. The course is structured around a series of texts written about and for queens.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
ME3232

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Host Institution Course Details
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Host Institution Campus
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History

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