COURSE DETAIL

UK CIVILIZATION
Country France
Host Institution University of Bordeaux
Program(s) University of Bordeaux
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) History
UCEAP Course Number 167
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title UK CIVILIZATION
UCEAP Transcript Title UK CIVILIZATION
UCEAP Quarter Units 5.00
UCEAP Semester Units 3.30

Course Description

This course studies the history of civilization in the United Kingdom. The first part of the course examines the development of British politics, society, and empire. It discusses the Glorious Revolution of 1688-1689 which paved the way for parliamentary monarchy; political life (parties, elections) and the political and social integration of Scotland into Great Britain as important elements in the construction of British identity; and commercial growth and imperial expansion, in particular slavery and abolitionism (the movement against the slave trade) at the end of the century. The second part of the course studies various movements, tendencies, and artistic modes to analyze the question of representation of the nation and the empire. Topics include satirical engravings, caricatures, landscape paintings, war paintings, architectural elements, clothing, and musical works. It explores how the vision that the British had of their nation and their empire, from the 18th century to the 20th century, evolved within what can be called a "display culture."

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
3LILM31

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Host Institution Campus
UNIVERSITÉ BORDEAUX MONTAIGNE

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Langues & Civilisations

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