

COURSE DETAIL

MULTI-SENSORY CULTURES

Country

United Kingdom - Scotland

Host Institution

University of Edinburgh

Program(s)

University of Edinburgh

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Art Studio

UCEAP Course Number

123

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

MULTI-SENSORY CULTURES

UCEAP Transcript Title

MULTI-SENSORY CULTR

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course deals with experience. What is it to experience the material world? The course considers how our experiences are conditioned through multiple senses. Whilst the visual realm is, for many, still the fundamental way in which we experience the world this cannot be separated from the intermingling of all senses. In taking this position the course sets out to examine the complex relationships between the different senses and how these affect our engagement with the world around us. With a particular focus on material cultures the course employs a range of cultural contexts from art, architecture, design, sound, and the built environment. It explores these contexts through a variety of thematic approaches including (but not limited to): embodiment; hegemony of the visual; sounding objects; the olfactory imagination; touch and texture; immersive atmospheres; affect; mediated experience; rhythm analysis; creating the multi-sensory.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

DESI10061

Host Institution Course Title

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Host Institution Course Details

<http://www.drps.ed.ac.uk/20-21/dpt/cxdesi10061.htm>

Host Institution Campus

University of Edinburgh

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Edinburgh College of Art

Course Last Reviewed

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