COURSE DETAIL

HISTORY OF WOMEN AND GENDER IN THE MEDIEVAL PERIOD
Country Italy
Host Institution University of Bologna
Program(s) University of Bologna
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Italian History
UCEAP Course Number 151
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title HISTORY OF WOMEN AND GENDER IN THE MEDIEVAL PERIOD
UCEAP Transcript Title WOMN&GENDR MEDIEVL
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

The course focuses on the methods of gender studies and applies them to the context of medieval historiography. For this purpose, the course highlights narrative sources, legislation, treatises, literature, and iconography. Students are required to write a short paper demonstrating the use of the tools of historical research and communication, and the ability to customize one's own learning path. This course covers the multiple aspects of female monasticism in the Early Middle Ages through the analysis of narrative sources, charters, and iconography. The course illustrates the problem of the representation of female monasticism during the Early and Central Middle Age period. The use of conceptual tools in gender history allows students to identify the shapes assumed in the specific historical contexts through the construction of the social identity of individuals, both male and female.

Language(s) of Instruction
Italian

Host Institution Course Number
81749

Host Institution Course Title
STORIA DELLE DONNE E DI GENERE NEL MEDIOEVO

Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
STUDI HUMANISTICI

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