

COURSE DETAIL

AMERICAN CULTURAL THEORY (INTRODUCTION TO CULTURAL STUDIES AND THEORY)

Country

Germany

Host Institution

Humboldt University Berlin

Program(s)

Humboldt University Berlin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy American Studies

UCEAP Course Number

119

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

AMERICAN CULTURAL THEORY (INTRODUCTION TO CULTURAL STUDIES AND THEORY)

UCEAP Transcript Title

AMER CULT THEORY

UCEAP Quarter Units

4.50

UCEAP Semester Units

3.00

Course Description

This course introduces students to a variety of scholarly contributions and concepts used for the analysis of American culture. It focuses on different media and forms of cultural representation including film and TV. Addressed are theories on representation and signs, discourse and power, memory and time, race and privilege, gender and queer studies, and class and popular culture. Students reflect critically on the ways these theories are engaged in the production of knowledge about symbolic and material practices.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

5250063

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Host Institution Campus**Host Institution Faculty**

SPRACH- UND LITERATURWISSENSCHAFTLICHE FAKULTÄT

Host Institution Degree**Host Institution Department**

Anglistik und Amerikanistik

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