

COURSE DETAIL

COTEMPORARY AESTHETICS

Country

Italy

Host Institution

University of Bologna

Program(s)

University of Bologna

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

179

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

COTEMPORARY AESTHETICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

CONTEMP AESTHETICS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course is part of the Laurea Magistrale program. The course is intended for advanced level students only. Enrollment is by consent of the instructor. The course focuses on some of the main aesthetic traditions of the past century. Students acquire the conceptual and methodological tools enabling them to analyze the key issues that are central to the contemporary aesthetic debate, according to a mainly theoretical and problematic approach. The new paradigms provided by the theory of mind suggest today a remodeling of the notion of the aesthetic experience starting from a reconsideration of the traditional conceptions of perception and expression. Merleau-Ponty's thought considered a turning point in the passage. The course aims to examine this phenomenological reflection by comparing it with current outcomes that also derive from cognitive sciences and studies on evolutionism that can contribute to shedding new light on the particularity of the aesthetic dimension.

Language(s) of Instruction

Italian

Host Institution Course Number

27992

Host Institution Course Title

COTEMPORARY AESTHETICS

Host Institution Campus

STUDI HUMANISTICI

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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