

COURSE DETAIL

SPECIAL AUTHOR: GEOFFREY CHAUCER

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of Sussex

Program(s)

University of Sussex

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

English

UCEAP Course Number

182

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

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UCEAP Transcript Title

CHAUCER

UCEAP Quarter Units

12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description

This course explores some of the great works of Chaucer in depth, looking at a broad spectrum of the tales making up The CANTERBURY TALES, several of his dream vision poems, and his ballads and lyrics. It also considers the place of Chaucer in literary history, the formation of the Chaucerian canon, and the fragility and instability of that canon. A variety of themes are explored including marriage, gender, and sexual relations; fate and foreknowledge; dreams and their significance; Chaucer's literary theory; ideas of authority and authorship; and religion and the nature of religious experience in the late 14th century.

Language(s) of Instruction

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