COURSE DETAIL

CONTEMPORARY BRITISH CINEMA 1

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

University of London, Royal Holloway

Program(s)

University of London, Royal Holloway

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Film & Media Studies

UCEAP Course Number

122

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

CONTEMPORARY BRITISH CINEMA 1

UCEAP Transcript Title

CONTEMP BRIT CINE 1

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

The course examines key issues and themes in the study of British cinema with particular reference to questions of form, style, and genre. It explores the following topics: the different traditions of British cinema and the debates that these have generated, the realist tradition in contemporary British cinema, the tradition of the period film in British cinema; representations of the past in the heritage film, forms of contemporary, British "art cinema," genre traditions (such as gangster films and horror films) in British cinema, the relationship of British cinema to European cinema and Hollywood, the relationship of British film to British television; and genre traditions in contemporary British film-making.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

MA3071

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Host Institution Campus

Royal Holloway, University of London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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