COURSE DETAIL

AUSTRALIA 1901-2008:FROM FEDERATION TO THE APOLOGY
Country Australia
Host Institution University of New South Wales
Program(s) University of New South Wales
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) History Australian Studies
UCEAP Course Number 107
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title AUSTRALIA 1901-2008:FROM FEDERATION TO THE APOLOGY
UCEAP Transcript Title AUSTRALIA 1901-2008
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course examines 20th century Australia from the time of Federation to the Apology in 2008. 20th century Australia was a period of vision and revisioning, a time of grand schemes and grand failures, and of intense questioning around notions of identity, place, race, and nation. This course examines the events that Australians lived through and the issues that preoccupied them, their cultural lives and the myths, legends, visions, and prejudices through which Australians imagined themselves and others. Major topics include: Federation, World War One, the Depression, World War Two, immigration, the Petrov Affair, Vietnam, the Dismissal, Mabo, the Tampa, and the Apology. These events become sites for analyzing concepts of nation, the politics of race, ideologies of domesticity and the family, social movements, the impact of modernity, the cinema, the experience of the cities and the bush, and importantly, Australia's place in the region and the world.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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Host Institution Campus
New South Wales

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